

**JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**State University of New York**

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**INSTITUTIONAL COURSE SYLLABUS**

**Course Title:** Youth Sport Administration

**Course Abbreviation and Number:** SPT 2330

**Credit Hours:** 3

**Course Type:** Lecture

**Course Description:** Students will examine the youth sport movement by exploring a broad overview of the major topics in the area. Specifically, the course prepares students as program directors by focusing on related issues such as sport specialization, burnout, overuse injuries, and parent and coaching education. Information garnered in this course is relevant for sport management personnel, fitness professionals, teachers/coaches, and/or athletic trainers.

Prerequisite: ENG 1510.

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**Student Learning Outcomes:**

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

1. Demonstrate skills and knowledge needed to administer a youth sport program with special emphasis on coaching and parent education programs focused on teaching life skills.
  2. Articulate the athletic first, winning second philosophy and locate credible youth sport resources for education and program administration.
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**Topics Covered:**

- Directing youth sport programs
  - Recruiting coaches
  - Parent education
  - Program Development
  - Financing programs
  - Public relations
  - Facility and event management
  - Risk management and legal liability
  - Special issues
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**Information for Students**

- Expectations of Students
  - [Civility Statement](#)
  - [Student Responsibility Statement](#)
  - [Academic Integrity Statement](#)
- [Accessibility Services](#)  
Students who require accommodations to complete the requirements and expectations of this course because of a disability must make their accommodation requests to the Accessibility Services Coordinator.
- [Get Help: JCC & Community Resources](#)
- [Emergency Closing Procedures](#)
- Course grade is determined by the instructor based on a combination of factors, including but not limited to, homework, quizzes, exams, projects, and participation. Final course grade can be translated into a grade point value according to the following:

A=4.0	B+=3.5	B=3	C+=2.5	C=2	D+=1.5	D=1	F=0
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- Veterans and active duty military personnel with special circumstances (e.g., upcoming deployments, drill requirements, VA appointments) are welcome and encouraged to communicate these to the instructor.
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**Effective Date:** Fall 2021