



Syllabus

Term: 2025/26/2 **Subject name:** Social Sciences III. (Introduction to Sport Pedagogy and Sport Sociology) **Subject code:** ENAEDZN2503

Unit (Unit code) (TESTNEV)

Lecturer responsible for the course: Dr. PRISZTÓKA Gyöngyvér

Requirement: Exam

Classes per week : 4/0/0

Classes per term:

Purpose of education:

The aim of the course is to introduce body culture as a social phenomenon, to examine its characteristics and laws. Students should get acquainted with the most important empirical and theoretical investigations and theories, which seek to present and explain the characteristics and essential relationships of massively occurring physical cultural phenomena and sport, their place and role in the given social reality, as well as their relationship with other spheres of society (politics, health, economy, education, etc.).

Contents:

Week 1: Description of the requirements of the course, the formation, development, subjects, national and international history of sports sociology. Week 2: Main research areas, methods, basic concepts of sports sociology. Week 3: Characteristics and social structure of sport as a social subsystem. Competitive and recreational sports. Week 4: The development and changes of the social roles of sport. Sport and socialization. Week 5: Issues of social equality and inequality in sport. Week 6: The situation and perception of sport in Hungarian society. Sport as a factor in the phenomena of migration and social mobility. Week 7: Norms and values in sports: subcultures. Sport, national consciousness and European values. Week 8: Deviance: the social dimension of sport and violence. Doping. Hooliganism. Week 9: Health and illness as social concepts: the sociological context of sport and health. Prevention and health promotion. Week 10: Sport and media. Week 11: Sport and the economy: Characteristics and current social issues of sport economy and sport financing. Week 12: Application of sport in education. Week 13: The place, role and opportunities of sport in today's modern society. Summary.

System of examining and valuation:

Successful written test (over 50%) 80%, submission 20%. If the result of the test is below 50%, an oral remedial exam is due for the given material. Grade in proportion to the total number of points achieved: 0% to 50% insufficient 51–62% satisfactory 63–74% medium 75–87% good 88–100% excellent



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