

SALSA, MERENGUE & BACHATA CLASS

COURSE SYLLABUS

Physical Education #1117, A01A
Alumni Gymnasium

A-Term 2009
Tuesday/Thursday
5:30—6:30 PM

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COURSE DESCRIPTION: **Get ready to enjoy the exciting Latin rhythms!** This class will introduce you to the most popular styles of Latin Dance, including Salsa, Merengue and Bachata. Proper partnering techniques, footwork, and turn patterns will be covered. You will quickly gain the confidence to get on the dance floor with this fun and easy-to-follow course. To promote better leading and following techniques, participants change partners during the course of the class.

This class will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30pm to 6:30pm, **beginning on Tuesday, September 1, and ending on Thursday, October 15.**

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

1. To develop cardio vascular system.
2. To increase flexibility and endurance.
3. To enhance energy and wellbeing.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS: Class attendance and active participation. **Class starts at 5:30PM;** please be on time. Participants must wear comfortable clothes, sneakers or dance shoes, and bring a bottle of water to class.

ATTENDANCE POLICY: **On-time attendance and active participation is required. Missed classes will result in a lower grade. There are no make-up classes available. Attendance is taken for each class.**

A = 13/14 Attendances and active participation
B = 12/14 Attendances and active participation
C = 11/14 Attendances and active participation
N/R = any less than 11 attendances.



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