### Field Experience Fact Sheet

**PHED 4870/5870 Practicum in Physical Education Teaching**  
Dr. Shannon Norman

**Students:** Give a Fact Sheet to each of your cooperating teachers.

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<th>Course Name/Number</th>
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| **Expectations of Student** | Students are expected to begin by observing a licensed PE teacher in the K-12 setting. Students should engage in the lesson, interact and encourage students during participation. Set up equipment when needed and other duties allowed by the teacher. If possible, the student should teach a lesson or parts of a lesson approved by the teacher. The student should schedule and spend 1 full day in the PE environment to observe a full day teaching experience.  
Student is expected to display professional dispositions of a teaching professional: be on time, communicate schedule, interact with classroom students in a professional manner, abide by all school policies and procedures. |
| **Number of Hours Required** | A minimum of 30 hours required for entire experience  
If applicable participate in more than one grade level. (k-5) (6-8) (9-12) |
| **Expectations of Teacher** | Engage student in physical education lessons when possible—helping students in small group settings, give responsibilities to student such as preparing materials for lesson, setting up equipment, allowing them to engage with students in the classroom. If applicable allow student to teach a minimum of 1 lesson during a PE unit or parts of a lesson such as the introductory activity and/or skills and games. If there are multiple university students doing practicum experience, possibly allow for co-teaching opportunities for more than one lesson.  
Complete a 3-minute online dispositions survey on the teacher candidate(s) in SL&L account and verification of hours. The link will be emailed to the host teacher at the end of the semester. Sample form on next page. |
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Dear Field Experience Cooperating Teacher:

Below is the teacher candidate disposition form with which you will evaluate your teacher candidate during their participation in field experience. This allows us to catch and address any issues before the teacher candidate begins student teaching. This data will also be utilized to improve teacher candidate performance and to inform change in our field experience program. It should only take a few minutes to complete the form.

This form is now completed in SL&L. This paper copy is for your reference and can be used to guide discussions of dispositional issues with your field experience student.

Thank you,
Office of Teacher Education
Bemidji State University

Teacher Candidate’s Name: ______________________________________ Semester/Year: _____________________
School Name: _______________________________  Grade Level(s): _____________ Subject(s):__________________

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<tr>
<th>Dedication/Responsibility</th>
<th>Compassion</th>
<th>Curiosity</th>
<th>Integrity</th>
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<td>Participation in discussions/engaging with students</td>
<td>Listens thoughtfully and responds to students, faculty, peers, and cooperating teachers</td>
<td>Takes initiative by asking questions</td>
<td>Demonstrates academic and personal honesty</td>
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<td>Demonstrates willingness to give and receive help</td>
<td>Shows concern and interest in others and follows through</td>
<td>Takes initiative by seeking out own resources and sharing with others</td>
<td>Completes tasks agreed to/assigned</td>
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<td>Dresses appropriately</td>
<td>Empathetic</td>
<td>Uses feedback to make adjustments for continuous improvement</td>
<td>Takes ownership and accepts responsibility</td>
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<td>Flexible</td>
<td>Reflects on learning</td>
<td>Is earnest and sincere</td>
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<td>Treats people equitably</td>
<td>Open to constructive criticism/critiquing</td>
<td>Demonstrates perseverance</td>
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For each category, please indicate which level the teacher candidate has demonstrated:

- [ ] Exemplary (Majority)
- [ ] Proficient (More than half)
- [ ] Developing (Less than half)
- [ ] Unsatisfactory (Few, if any)

If you marked Developing or Unsatisfactory for any category, please explain why:

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If you have any additional concerns about this candidate’s professionalism, please detail them on the back of this document.

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Thank you very much for taking the time to work with our teacher candidates and for completing this disposition form.

Cooperating Teacher’s Signature: ____________________________________________ Date: __________________

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