

WACO, TEXAS

# GOLF I PHED - 1121 - XX

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**NOTE:** This is an 8-week course.

This is an online course.

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#### **Course Description:**

Emphasizes skills and techniques necessary for the beginner to learn putting, chipping, and the use of irons and woods. Introduces history, rules, terms, etiquette, equipment, and golf course procedures necessary to be able to play a round of golf successfully. Semester Hours 1 (3 activity)

#### **Prerequisites and/or Corequisites:**

**NONE** 

## **Course Notes and Instructor Recommendations:**

The student will be able to explain multiple strategies for a competitive round of golf. The student will demonstrate core chipping skills related to lies near the green. The student will demonstrate core skills for wood and iron shots. The student will develop an attitude that appreciates the benefit of golf as a physical activity. Students will understand the physical activity value of golf in multiple situations: walking, pulling a bag or riding in a golf cart. Students will be able to explain how to properly prepare for a round of golf in relation to: fitness, weather, nutrition and positive thinking. Students will learn proper stretching before, during and after play. The student will be able to plan a productive schedule incorporating the key aspects of the game of golf. Understand how to assess a round of golf after play and plan a strategy for improvement. Learn how to use limited time to focus on the key areas of improvement. Students will understand and demonstrate how to play a round of golf using USGA rules and sportsmanship.

## **Instructor Information:**

Bob Ammon Office: WF 111 Phone: 254-299-8803

Email: <a href="mailto:rammon@mclennan.edu">rammon@mclennan.edu</a>
Office hours: Contact Instructor

#### **Required Text & Materials:**

Title: GOLF MADE SIMPLE Author: LAMB, WILLIAM R.

Edition: 3<sup>RD</sup>, PB

Publisher: HUNT PUB. CO. ISBN: 978-1465276667

MCC Bookstore Website: http://www.mclennan.edu/bookstore/

#### **Methods of Teaching and Learning:**

Examples: Lecture, discussion groups, group projects, field trips, lab exercises, projects, service learning assignments, student performances/presentations, portfolio, written reports/papers, exams, quizzes, simulators, and/or tutorial software.

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## **Course Objectives and/or Competencies:**

Insert course objectives or competencies here

### **Course Outline or Schedule:**

#### VI. Class Outline

Assignment 1

Assignment 2/Test 1

Assignment 3

Assignment 4

Assignment 5/Test 2

Assignment 6/Test 3/Putting Skill Test

Assignment 7/Chip Skill Test

Assignment 8/80 Yard skill test

Until the end of the semester - Assignment 9

#### VII. Grading

A. Chapter Tests

B. Skill Tests

#### VIII. Proctor

- A. You must find someone to be your **PROCTOR.** This can be a spouse, teacher, parent, boss, co-worker, or any responsible person.
- B. Have the proctor email me at <u>rammon@mclennan.edu</u> on the first day of class stating that they agree to be your proctor. Have them include their name and email address.
- C. The proctor observes you when you are taking <u>online or skill</u> tests. They email me at<u>rammon@mclennan.edu</u> within 10 minutes of the time you finish the test. Their email should simply say, for example, "I observed Joe Smith taking Test 1." This is for security purposes.
- D. The proctor will help you do the skills tests.
- E. The proctor does not need to go to the golf course with you. (Only exceptions are the skills tests.)

NOTICE: I will be available to meet with students for face-to-face instruction at the golf courses. Email or call me for times.

ATTENDANCE SIGN IN SHEETS: Will be at the golf course. Please sign in before practicing or playing and have the golf course personnel initial your attendance. The sign in sheet will be picked up periodically.

Important Golf Course information: Enjoy the class and feel free to go to the golf course Cottonwood Creek GC on days that are best for you. You may choose the morning, lunchtime,

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or weekends. You may choose to hit range balls and play the Par 3 course at Cottonwood Creek GC. Our class is designed for you to use the course often- up to 30 times per semester. If you want to play or use the range at Cottonwood Creek beyond 30 times please email me at rammon@mclennan.edu. You CAN complete the class requirements at a golf course or driving range outside of Waco.

OUT OF TOWN STUDENTS (not using Waco golf courses): Have your proctor email me with the dates of your practice sessions. Do this on the last day of each month. Please include the location of practice or play.

### Late Work, Attendance, and Make Up Work Policies:

LATE WORK MAY NOT RECEIVE FULL CREDIT.

### **Student Behavioral Expectations or Conduct Policy:**

Describe the behaviors students are expected to demonstrate in class, lab, clinical, including dress policy and reference to the General Conduct Policy in the Highlander Guide. For example, "Students are expected to maintain classroom decorum that includes respect for other students and the instructor, prompt and regular attendance, and an attitude that seeks to take full advantage of the education opportunity."

## \* Click Here for the MCC Academic Integrity Statement

## (www.mclennan.edu/academic-integrity)

The link above will provide you with information about academic integrity, dishonesty, and cheating.

### **Click Here for the MCC Attendance/Absences Policy**

#### (https://www.mclennan.edu/highlander-guide/policies.html)

Click on the link above for the college policies on attendance and absences. Your instructor may have additional guidelines specific to this course.

\* You will need to access each link separately through your Web browser (for example: Mozilla Firefox, Chrome, Microsoft Edge or Safari) to print each link's information.

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# **ACADEMIC RESOURCES/POLICIES**

### **Accommodations/ADA Statement:**

Any student who is a qualified individual with a disability may request reasonable accommodations to assist with providing equal access to educational opportunities. Students should contact the Accommodations Coordinator as soon as possible to provide documentation and make necessary arrangements. Once that process is completed, appropriate verification will be provided to the student and instructor. Please note that instructors are not required to provide classroom accommodations to students until appropriate verification has been provided by the Accommodations Coordinator. For additional information, please visit <a href="https://www.mclennan.edu/disability">www.mclennan.edu/disability</a>.

Students with questions or who require assistance with disabilities involving physical, classroom, or testing accommodations should contact:

<u>disabilities@mclennan.edu</u> 2542998122 Room 319, Student Services Center

### **Title IX:**

We care about your safety, and value an environment where students and instructors can successfully teach and learn together. If you or someone you know experiences unwelcomed behavior, we are here to help. Individuals who would like to report an incident of sexual misconduct are encouraged to immediately contact the acting Title IX Coordinator at <a href="mailto:titleix@mclennan.edu">titleix@mclennan.edu</a> or by calling, Dr. Claudette
Jackson, (Accommodations/Title IX) at (254) 299-8465. MCC employees are mandatory reporters and must report incidents immediately to the Title IX Coordinator. Individuals may also contact the MCC Police Department at (254) 299-8911 or the MCC Student Counseling Center at (254) 299-8210. The MCC Student Counseling Center is a

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confidential resource for students. Any student or employee may report sexual harassment anonymously by visiting <a href="http://www.lighthouse-services.com/mclennan/">http://www.lighthouse-services.com/mclennan/</a>. Go to McLennan's Title IX webpage at <a href="www.mclennan.edu/titleix/">www.mclennan.edu/titleix/</a>. It contains more information about definitions, reporting, confidentiality, resources, and what to do if you or someone you know is a victim of sexual misconduct, gender-based violence or the crimes of rape, acquaintance rape, sexual assault, sexual harassment, stalking, dating violence, or domestic violence.

## **Student Support/Resources:**

MCC provides a variety of services to support student success in the classroom and in your academic pursuits to include counseling, tutors, technology help desk, advising, financial aid, etc. A listing of these and the many other services available to our students is available at <a href="http://www.mclennan.edu/campus-resource-guide/">http://www.mclennan.edu/campus-resource-guide/</a>

Academic Support and Tutoring is here to help students with all their course-related needs. Specializing in one-on-one tutoring, developing study skills, and effectively writing essays. Academic Support and Tutoring can be found in the Library and main floor of the Learning Commons. This service is available to students in person or through Zoom. You can contact the Academic Support and Tutoring team via Zoom or email (ast@mclennan.edu) by going to our website [https://www.mclennan.edu/academic-support-and-tutoring/).

College personnel recognize that food, housing, and transportation are essential for student success. If you are having trouble securing these resources or want to explore strategies for balancing life and school, we encourage you to contact either MCC CREW – Campus Resources Education Web by calling (254) 299-8561 or by emailing <a href="mailto:crew@mclennan.edu">crew@mclennan.edu</a> or a Success Coach by calling (254) 299-8226 or emailing <a href="mailto:SuccessCoach@mclennan.edu">SuccessCoach@mclennan.edu</a>. Both are located in the Completion Center located on the second floor of the Student Services Center (SSC) which is open Monday-Friday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Paulanne's Pantry (MCC's food pantry) provides free food by appointment to students, faculty and staff. To schedule an appointment, go to <a href="https://mclennan.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_07byXd7eB8iTqJg">https://mclennan.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_07byXd7eB8iTqJg</a>. Both the Completion Center and Paulanne's Pantry are located on the second floor of the Student Services Center (SSC).

## **MCC Foundation Emergency Grant Fund:**

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Unanticipated expenses, such as car repairs, medical bills, housing, or job loss can affect us all. Should an unexpected expense arise, the MCC Foundation has an emergency grant fund that may be able to assist you. Please go to <a href="https://www.mclennan.edu/foundation/scholarships-and-resources/emergencygrant.html">https://www.mclennan.edu/foundation/docs/Emergency Grant Application.pdf</a>.

#### **MCC Academic Integrity Statement:**

Go to <a href="www.mclennan.edu/academic-integrity">www.mclennan.edu/academic-integrity</a>, for information about academic integrity, dishonesty, and cheating. The unauthorized use of artificial intelligence (AI) for classwork can be a violation of the College's General Conduct Policy. Whether AI is authorized in a course and the parameters in which AI can be used in a course will be outlined by each instructor.

## Minimum System Requirements to Utilize MCC's D2L|Brightspace:

Go to <a href="https://www.mclennan.edu/center-for-teachingandlearning/FacultyandStaffCommons/requirements.html">https://www.mclennan.edu/center-for-teachingandlearning/FacultyandStaffCommons/requirements.html</a> for information on the minimum system requirements needed to reliably access your courses in MCC's D2L|Brightspace learning management system.

## **Minimum Technical Skills:**

Students should have basic computer skills, knowledge of word processing software, and a basic understanding of how to use search engines and common web browsers.

## **Backup Plan for Technology:**

In the event MCC's technology systems are down, you will be notified via your MCC student email address. Please note that all assignments and activities will be due on the date specified in the Instructor Plan, unless otherwise noted by the instructor.

### **Email Policy:**

McLennan Community College would like to remind you of the policy (<a href="http://www.mclennan.edu/employees/policy-manual/docs/E-XXXI-B.pdf">http://www.mclennan.edu/employees/policy-manual/docs/E-XXXI-B.pdf</a>) regarding college email. All students, faculty, and staff are encouraged to use their McLennan email addresses when conducting college business.

A student's McLennan email address is the preferred email address that college employees should use for official college information or business. Students are

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expected to read and, if needed, respond in a timely manner to college emails. For more information about your student email account, go to <a href="https://www.mclennan.edu/studentemail">www.mclennan.edu/studentemail</a>.

### **Instructional Uses of Email:**

Faculty members can determine classroom use of email or electronic communications. Faculty should expect and encourage students to check the college email on a regular basis. Faculty should inform students in the course syllabus if another communication method is to be used and of any special or unusual expectations for electronic communications.

If a faculty member prefers not to communicate by email with their students, it should be reflected in the course syllabus and information should be provided for the preferred form of communication.

#### **Email on Mobile Devices:**

The College recommends that you set up your mobile device to receive McLennan emails. If you need assistance with set-up, you may email <a href="mailto:Helpdesk@mclennan.edu">Helpdesk@mclennan.edu</a> for help.

You can find help on the McLennan website about connecting your McLennan email account to your mobile device:

- Email Setup for iPhones and iPads
- Email Setup for Androids

# Forwarding Emails:

You may forward emails that come to your McLennan address to alternate email addresses; however, the College will not be held responsible for emails forwarded to an alternate address that may be lost or placed in junk or spam filters.

For more helpful information about technology at MCC, go to MCC's Tech Support Cheat Sheet or email helpdesk@mclennan.edu.

## **Disclaimer:**

The resources and policies listed above are merely for informational purposes and are subject to change without notice or obligation. The College reserves the right to change policies and other requirements in compliance with State and Federal laws. The provisions of this document do not constitute a contract.