

**Course Number/Title:** PE 255, 257  
Rodeo I, III

**Year:** Fall 2012

**Department:** Physical Education

**Credit Hours:** 1 credit hour each

**Required Text:** Record Book

**Days/Time:** MTWR  
3:00 - 6:00 pm

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**Course Placement:** Freshman/Sophomore

**Pre-requisite:** None

## Rationale

To provide students an insight to intercollegiate rodeo on a national scale as an organized, standard collegiate sport. Also to promote college rodeo as a collegiate sport representing an educational institution on individual campuses throughout the nation.

## Course Description

Provide students some insight to college rodeo, the rules, which apply to college rodeo and basic skills used in each event.

## Course Learning Objectives

After completion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. List the purposes of the NIRA
2. List the NIRA Regions complete with their geographic locations
3. Discuss in writing student eligibility
4. Explain in writing the college National Finals Rodeo regulations and awards
5. Explain in writing the general rules and regulations
6. Explain in writing the point system
7. Explain in writing the women's NIRA events
8. Explain in writing the men's NIRA events
9. Define terms associated with the sport of rodeo

## COURSE CONTENT:

- I. Purposes of NIRA
- II. Regulations of Financial Awards
- III. NIRA Regions with Geographic Locations
- IV. Student Eligibility
- V. College National Finals Rodeo Regulations and Awards
- VI. General Rules and Regulations

- VII. Point System
- VIII. Women's NIRA
- IX. Men's NIRA
- X. Terms Associated with Rodeo

## **Student Assessment**

Colby Community College assesses student learning at several levels: general education, program, and classroom. The goal of these assessment activities is to improve student learning. As a student in this course, you will participate in various assessment activities. An example of your work, a paper, some test questions, a presentation, or other work may be selected for assessment. This process will not affect your grade, will not require you to do additional work, and your evaluation will be confidentially handled. Results of these activities will be used to improve teaching and learning at Colby Community College.

## **Method of Instruction**

Lectures, discussion, written reports, videos, individualized problem solving.

## **Method of Evaluation**

Grading will be done by the total points accumulated throughout the semester from assignments, work sheets, and examinations. The following grading scale will be used:

Percent of total points possible:	100% - 90%	A
	89% - 80%	B
	79% - 70%	C
	69% - 60%	D
	59% -	F

## **Course Requirements**

Students will complete all work assignments and tests as required by instructor.

## **Assignment Policy**

Any notes or work missed by a student are to be made up by the individual within a designated time period.

## **Test Policy**

Any tests missed by a student are to be made up by the individual within a designated time period.

## **Attendance Policy**

Attendance is mandatory. If a student finds it absolutely necessary to miss a class period, the instructor is to be notified.

## **Academic Integrity**

Colby community College defines academic integrity as learning that leads to the development of knowledge and/or skills without any form of cheating or plagiarism. This learning requires respect for Colby's institutional values of quality, service and integrity. All Colby Community College students, faculty, staff, and administrators are responsible for upholding academic integrity.

**Cheating** is giving, receiving, or using unauthorized help on individual and group academic exercises such as papers, quizzes, tests, and presentations through any delivery system in any learning environment. This includes impersonating another student, sharing content without authorization, fabricating data, and altering academic documents, including records, with or without the use of personal and college electronic devices.

**Plagiarism** is representing or turning in someone else's work without proper citation of the source. This includes unacknowledged paraphrase, quotation, or complete use of someone else's work in any form. It also includes citing work that is not used and taking credit for a group project without contributing to it.

The following procedure will be used for students who violate the policy:

- First Offense – Student will receive a zero for the assignment and the student will be reported to the Dean of Academic Affairs.
- Second Offense – The student will be reported to the Dean of Academic Affairs and removed from the class.
- Third Offense – The student will be reported to the Dean of Academic Affairs and dismissed from the college.

Any questions about this policy may be referred to the Dean of Academic Affairs.

### **Syllabus Information Disclaimer**

“I reserve the right to change any information contained in this document, when necessary, with adequate notice given to the student. Notice shall be given in the classroom during class. No other notice is required. It is the students’ responsibility to keep up with any changes, modifications, adjustments or amendments that are made to this document.”

### **Accommodations for Students With Disabilities**

“According to the Americans with Disabilities Act, it is the responsibility of each student with a disability to notify the college of his/her disability and to request accommodation. If a member of the class has a documented learning disability or a physical disability and needs special accommodations, he/she should contact Student Support Services, which is located in the Student Union.”

### **Bibliography**

National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association Constitution, By-Laws and Rules