



Crown Point High School

Non-Traditional Core Physical Education

(2 Credits required for 2026, 2027, 2028)

(1 Credit required for 2029+)

Awarding credit for Physical Education: Non-Traditional

Core physical education credit (required for graduation) can be earned through “non-traditional” means through participation in qualifying activities. Students may earn (1) core physical education credit for each qualifying activity. Students may earn a maximum of (2) credits through participation in qualifying activities. Students may **not** earn (2) credits by participating in the same activity over the course of different seasons.

Rationale

Crown Point High School provides opportunities to participate in a wide range of IHSA sports along with many other extracurricular activities such as cheerleading, color guard, dance, and marching band. Recognizing the healthy, active lifestyle that these activities promote, students have the option of applying for a non-traditional physical education course credit to earn high school physical education credit for extracurricular participation. Consequently, students can take additional courses during their regular school day, including advanced physical education courses.

Qualifying Activities

Baseball	Basketball	Cheerleading	Color Guard
Cross Country	Dance	Flag Football (girls)	Football
Golf	Gymnastics	Lacross (girls)	Marching Band
Soccer	Softball	Swimming	Tennis
Track & Field	Unified Track	Volleyball	Wrestling

Criteria

- Student must finish the season in “Good Standing.”
- If injured – Student must still attend and participate as able. Rehabilitation qualifies as remaining in “Good Standing.”
- Students applying for non-traditional credit must complete core physical education requirements by their 4th semester in high school. Students not meeting this timeline will be scheduled into a core physical education course in their 5th semester of high school.
- Forms must be signed by student, parent, and coach/sponsor at the conclusion of the qualifying activity.

Performance Evaluation

Attendance (season)	Practice, Competition	600 Points
Citizenship	Spirit, Attitude, Leadership	100 Points
Ability	Commitment, Skill Development	50 Points
Total		750 Points

650 – 750 = “A” Grade (Below 650 fails to meet requirements)

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Activity: _____ Coach/Sponsor: _____

Student Signature: _____ Parent Signature: _____

Coach/Sponsor Signature: _____ Date: _____