## Physical Education Unit 13: Pickleball

Essential Understandings	<ul> <li>Plckleball requires the coordination and transfer of sport specific motor skills to develop team strategies.</li> </ul>
Essential Questions	<ul> <li>What is pickleball?</li> <li>How does one hit a forehand shot?</li> <li>How does one hit a backhand shot?</li> <li>How does one serve?</li> <li>How does one volley?</li> <li>What is the follow-through?</li> <li>What is the non-volley zone?</li> <li>How does one score?</li> <li>What are the boundaries?</li> </ul>
Essential Knowledge	<ul> <li>Game can be played either as singles or doubles.</li> <li>Basic Rules <ul> <li>Serving</li> </ul> </li> <li>1. The serve must be hit underhand and must be diagonal.</li> <li>2. Always start a game by serving from the right hand court to the opponent's diagonal court.</li> <li>3. Paddle must be below the waist when serving.</li> <li>4. The ball must land in the service box.</li> <li>5. The ball must bounce once before hit by an opponent.</li> <li>6. One player serves an entire game.</li> <li>7. A game is played to 11 points and a team must win by two points.</li> <li>8. Points are only scored when serving.</li> <li>9. Only one service attempt is allowed.</li> <li>9. Faults</li> <li>1. Hitting the ball out of bound.</li> <li>2. Serving faults.</li> <li>3. Allowing the ball to bounce more than once.</li> <li>4. Hitting the ball on the fly in the non-volley zone.</li> <li>5. Hitting the ball to the wrong service court.</li> <li>6. Hitting the ceiling.</li> <li>General</li> <li>1. A ball that hits the net and falls over the net is good except for the serve.</li> <li>2. A ball hitting the boundary line is good.</li> <li>3. A shot disputed should be replayed.</li> </ul> Game Etiquette <ul> <li>Call faults immediately.</li> <li>Offer to replay a point if there is a dispute.</li> <li>Play honestly.</li> </ul>

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Related Health and Physical Education
Maine Learning G. Movement/Motor Skills and Knowledge
ResultsG1. Stability and ForceStudents change their motion and the motion of objects by
applying the principles of stability and force during skill
practice.
a. Demonstrate the principle of opposition.
b. Demonstrate how the point of contact changes the
path of an object.
c. Demonstrate how the point of release changes the
path of an object.
d. Demonstrate lifts and actions that decrease risk for
injury.
G2. Movement Skills
Students demonstrate motor skills and manipulative skills
during drills or modified games/physical activities.
a. Demonstrate correct technique for motor skills and
manipulative skills during drills or modified games/
physical activities.
b. Combine manipulative skills with motor skills during
drills or modified games/physical activities. G4. Skill Improvement
Students explain how specific, positive, and correct
feedback affect skill improvement.
I. Personal and Social Skills and Knowledge
I1. Cooperative Skills
Students demonstrate cooperative and inclusive skills
while participating in physical activities.
a. Work together as a team.
b. Respond appropriately to peer pressure.
c. Manage conflict.
d. Engage peers respectfully in activities.

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Samplo	<ul> <li>I2. Responsible Behavior Students demonstrate responsible personal behaviors while participating in physical activities.</li> <li>I3. Safety Rules and Rules of Play <ul> <li>a. Explain the purpose for modifying playing rules in specified situations.</li> <li>b. Explain the safety rules and possible risks associated with specific games/physical activities.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Working individually, students will practice taps on paddle, bounce</li> </ul>
Sample Lessons And Activities	<ul> <li>Working individually, students will practice taps on paddle, bounce and tap on paddle, and rotate paddle each tap.</li> <li>Working with a partner, students will practice 1 bounce forehand returns, 1 bounce backhand returns, and serves.</li> <li>Working in groups in a circle, students will practice skills.</li> <li>Working with a partner separated by a net, practice skills.</li> <li>Working in line drills, practice skills over net.</li> <li>Working with a partner, challenge another pair to a game.</li> </ul>
Sample Classroom Assessment Methods	<ul> <li>Students will be observed and corrected during skill drills for proper Techniques.</li> </ul>
Sample Resources	<ul> <li><u>Publications:</u> <ul> <li><u>Complete PE Plans for Grades 7 – 12</u> – Isobel Kleinman</li> <li><u>Official Pickleball Rules &amp; Equipment</u> -</li> </ul> </li> <li><u>Websites</u> <ul> <li>www.usapa.org</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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