

# PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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**Davis & Elkins College**  
DIVISION OF EDUCATION

You can go the teacher certification route or pursue the degree without the teacher certification. With teacher certification, you minor in education and we recommend a health minor as well. After completing the program, you would be certified to teach in the state of West Virginia and your teaching certificate would be reciprocal in many states (based on your Praxis scores). Your certification is for PreK-adult so you can teach elementary, middle or high school.

## UNIQUE COURSES

- Foundations of Physical Education
- Human Anatomy
- Human Physiology
- Safety, First Aid and CPR
- Kinesiology
- Exercise Testing and Prescription
- Physiology of Exercise
- Individual and Dual Sports
- Outdoor Physical Education
- Team Sport I
- Team Sport II
- Rhythms
- Gymnastics and Movement Skills
- Aquatics II
- Psychomotor Development

## GRADUATE SUCCESS STORY

George Wagner, a 2003 physical education graduate, accepted a full-time teaching position in the state of Maryland. Along with earning a master's degree in exercise science, he has been teaching and coaching in Anne Arundel County for 16 years.

"Throughout my time at Davis & Elkins College, I developed many close working relationships with faculty, staff, and student members. I established new learning and studying strategies, participated in professional leadership opportunities within the community, and completed my primary and secondary student teaching."  
- George Wagner

**13:1**

Student to Faculty Ratio

**45**

Undergraduate Programs

**<700**

Students Enrolled

