**Overview:** The students will learn and practice methods to play the game of softball, utilizing rules, skills, cooperation and teamwork. Students will have opportunities to progress their skills through individual and group practices.

Overview	Standards	Unit Focus	Essential Questions
Softball	2.2.12.MSC.4 2.2.12.MSC.5 2.2.12.MSC.1 2.2.12.MSC.2 2.2.12.MSC.3 2.2.12.PF.2 WIDA 1	<ul> <li>Use the information gathered to further explore the impact of softball as a global sport.</li> <li>Understand and identify technical, tactical and positional play.</li> <li>Analyze the rules and apply them to game situations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>How can team sports relate to life skills?</li> <li>How can team sports help to improve lifelong fitness?</li> <li>How can understanding sportsmanship,</li> </ul>
Enduring Understandings	<ul> <li>It is important transferred for playing a part badminton.</li> <li>Implementing improves per ability to work ability to work ability to work ability to be a series.</li> <li>Team sports</li> </ul>	nt to understand that various movement skills can be from one game to another in order to be successful while rticular game. An example would be tennis to g offensive and defensive strategy into games rformance by increasing the individual team player's rk as a unit to achieve a common goal. Inding good sportsmanship, rules and safety you can resocial interaction, ethical behavior and cooperation productive member of society. It can affect and benefit the overall health of an removing cardiovascular fitness, muscular strength rendurance.	rules, and safety carry over into everyday life?  How can implementing offensive and defensive strategies improve team performance?  How do you use speed and agility in the game?  What formations are used for offensive and defensive tactics?  What physical fitness skills are required to be successful at this sport?  What forms of communication are necessary during a team sport?

			Pacing	
Curriculum Unit	Standards			Unit Days
Softball	2.2.12.MSC.4	Analyze etiquette, responsibilities, and preparation of players, officials, trainers, and other participants and recommend strategies to improve their performance, participation, and behavior.	2	
	2.2.12.MSC.5	Develop rule changes to existing games, sports, and activities that enhance participation, safety, and enjoyment.	2	13
	2.2.12.MSC.1	Explain and demonstrate ways to apply movement skills from one game, sport, aerobics, or recreational activity to another including striking skills (e.g., tennis, badminton, ping pong, racquetball, pickleball).	2	
	2.2.12.MSC.2	Analyze application of force and motion (e.g., weight transfer, power, speed, agility, range of motion) and modify movement to impact performance.	2	
	2.2.12.MSC.3	Design, lead and critique rhythmic and physical activity that includes variations in time, space, force, flow, and relationships (e.g., creative, cultural, social, aerobics dance, fitness).	2	
	2.2.12.PF.2	Respect and appreciate all levels of ability and encourage with care during all physical activities.	1	
		Assessment, Re-teach and Extension	2	

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Core Idea	Indicator #	Performance Expectations			
Individual and team execution	2.2.12.MSC.4	Analyze etiquette, responsibilities, and preparation of players, officials, trainers, and other			
requires interaction, respect,		participants and recommend strategies to improve their performance, participation, and behavior.			
effort, and positive attitude.					
Individual and team execution	2.2.12.MSC.5	Develop rule changes to existing games, sports, and activities that enhance participation, safety,			
requires interaction, respect,		and enjoyment.			
effort, and a positive attitude.					
Advanced technique and concepts	2.2.12.MSC.1	Explain and demonstrate ways to apply movement skills from one game, sport, aerobics, or			
will elevate student's confidence,		recreational activity to another including striking skills (e.g., tennis, badminton, ping pong,			
performance, skills, and		racquetball, pickleball).			
participation in physical activity					
(e.g., games, sports, aerobics,					
fitness activities).					
Advanced technique and concepts	2.2.12.MSC.2	Analyze application of force and motion (e.g., weight transfer, power, speed, agility, range of			
will elevate student's confidence,		motion) and modify movement to impact performance.			
performance, skills, and					
participation in physical activity					
(e.g., games, sports, aerobics,					
fitness activities).					
The quality of feedback from	2.2.12.MSC.3	Design, lead and critique rhythmic and physical activity that includes variations in time, space,			
others, self assessment as well as		force, flow, and relationships (e.g., creative, cultural, social, aerobics dance, fitness).			
effort and repetition influences					
movement skills, concepts, and					
performance.					

#### **Softball Grade 9-12**

#### **Assessment Plan**

- Assess student's knowledge in the form of a written test.
- Survey student's knowledge through a K-W-L-A chart
- Teacher observation of skills
- Self-evaluation
- Peer evaluation
- Lead-up games
- Translation to game play
- Teacher lead skill based instruction
- Drill work
- Lead up game
- Student created drill work
- Current Event Article Summary
- Questioning Strategies
- Video Analysis
- Polls/Surveys
- Exit Tickets
- Student Demonstrations

### Alternative Assessments:

You will be assigned a professional or college level team to research. Provide a power point "scouting report" of what your assigned team does strategically in a game. You will conduct a 3 minute oral presentation of your team to the class. Please include the following criteria:

- Team record for the past three seasons.
- List of key players and positions.
- System of play they use including a diagram of positions.
- Strengths and weaknesses
- Include fun facts and Interesting statistics...i.e. average shots to made on goals per game, goalkeeper saves, amount of fans...etc...
- You have the option of providing a brief video highlight clip from a game involving your team or creating a promo video (no more than 1 minute) for your team.
- Peer assessment forms will be distributed and completed by classmates.

#### Skill Rubrics

Written Rubrics on identified activities

Resources	Activities
www.naspe.org PE-Metrics "Assessing National Standards 1-6 in Secondary School" www.aapherd.org     www.pecentral.com	<ul> <li>History</li> <li>Rules/regulations</li> <li>Safety</li> <li>Field position</li> <li>Strategy/systems of play</li> <li>Sportsmanship/Etiquette</li> <li>Throwing and Receiving</li> <li>Fielding</li> <li>Hitting</li> <li>Base Running</li> <li>Double Plays / Tagging Out</li> <li>Modified Games</li> <li>Games/Tournaments</li> </ul>
Instructional Best F	Practices and Exemplars
<ol> <li>Identifying similarities and differences</li> <li>Summarizing and note taking</li> <li>Reinforcing effort and providing recognition</li> <li>Homework and practice</li> <li>Nonlinguistic representations</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>6. Cooperative learning</li> <li>7. Setting objectives and providing feedback</li> <li>8. Generating and testing hypotheses</li> <li>9. Cues, questions, and advance organizers</li> <li>10. Manage response rates</li> </ul>

### 9.1 Personal Financial Literacy - Income And Careers & 9.2 Career Awareness, Exploration, And Preparation - Career Awareness

9.2.12.CAP.6: Identify transferable skills in career choices and design alternative career plans based on those skills.

9.4.12.CI.1: Demonstrate the ability to reflect, analyze, and use creative skills and ideas

9.4.12.TL.3: Analyze the effectiveness of the process and quality of collaborative environments.

The implementation of the 21st Century skills and standards for students of the Winslow Township District is infused in an interdisciplinary format in a variety of curriculum areas that include, English language Arts, Mathematics, School Guidance, Social Studies, Technology, Visual and Performing Arts, Science, Physical Education and Health, and World Language.

Additional opportunities to address 9.1, 9.2 & 9.4:

Philadelphia Mint

https://www.usmint.gov/learn/kids/resources/educational-standards

Different ways to teach Financial Literacy.

https://www.makeuseof.com/tag/10-interactive-financial-websites-teach-kids-money-management-skills/

### **Modifications for Special Education/504**

*Students with special needs:* Supports, Accommodations, and Modifications must be provided as stated in IEP, 504 Plan, or CST Team Intervention Plan, and may include (but are not limited to) the following:

Equipment size Modified rules
Pictures Preferential Seating

Spacing / distance Modifications to Equipment

Peer partnering Study guides/notes

Larger printModifications of assignmentsRelaxed rulesModifications of due datesSafe environmentModified Tests/Quizzes

### **Modifications for At-Risk Students**

Formative and summative data will be used to monitor student success. Student work/performance will be reviewed to determine support. This may include parent notification, basic skills review and differentiation strategies. With considerations to UDL, time may be a factor in overcoming developmental considerations. More time will be made available with a certified instructor to aid students in reaching the standards or:

- Increase one on one time
- Teachers may modify instructions by modeling what the student is expected to do
- Oral prompts can be given.
- Using visual demonstrations, illustrations, and models
- Give directions/instructions verbally and in simple written format.
- Peer Support

English Language Learners	Modifications for Gifted Students			
All WIDA Can Do Descriptors can be found at this link: <a href="https://wida.wisc.edu/teach/can-do/descriptors">https://wida.wisc.edu/teach/can-do/descriptors</a> ☐ Grades 9-12 WIDA Can Do Descriptors:  ☐ Listening ☐ Speaking ☐ Reading ☐ Writing ☐ Oral Language  This particular unit has limited language barriers due to the physical nature of the curriculum. The following can be utilized: Review previously learned terminology. Display labeled images of activity/sport terminology.  Assign a native language partner.  • Assign a native language partner.  • Pointing to objects as you say them, such as 'basketball' or 'racquet'  • Physically demonstrating something, such as dribbling a basketball  • Developing non-verbal cues, such as holding up a hand to say 'stop'  • Using a whistle to indicate start and stop times or errors  • Referring to a picture or diagram when introducing a new activity	<ul> <li>Students excelling in mastery of standards will be challenged with complex, high level challenges related to the complexity of the unit requirements. This will include allowing more opportunities to demonstrate creativity. In addition, the following can be utilized:</li> <li>Alternate Learning Activities/Units: Opportunities to pursue alternate activities permit students to engage in new learning and avoid the boredom of repeating instruction or unnecessary practice in skills already mastered.</li> <li>Create and lead the class in a warm up focusing on body alignment, balance, strength, and coordination.</li> <li>Create a detailed report on observations of other students and professional athletes.</li> </ul>			
Interdisciplinary Connections				
NJSLSA.SL1 Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.  NJSLSA.SL2 Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.  Interdisciplinary Standards  RH.6-8.7 Integrate visual information (e.g., in charts, graphs, photographs, videos, or maps) with other information in print and digital texts.  RST.6-8.3 Follow precisely a multistep procedure when carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks.  HS-LS2-3. Construct and revise an explanation based on evidence for the cycling of matter and flow of energy in aerobic and anaerobic conditions.				

### **Integration of Computer Science and Design Thinking NJSLS 8**

- 8.1.12.IC.1: Evaluate the ways computing impacts personal, ethical, social, economic, and cultural practices
- 8.2.12.ED.5: Evaluate the effectiveness of a product or system based on factors that are related to its requirements, specifications, and constraints (e.g., safety, reliability, economic considerations, quality control, environmental concerns, manufacturability, maintenance and repair, ergonomics).
- 8.1.12.CS.4: Develop guidelines that convey systematic troubleshooting strategies that others can use to identify and fix errors.
- 8.2.12.ED.1: Use research to design and create a product or system that addresses a problem and make modifications based on input from potential consumers.