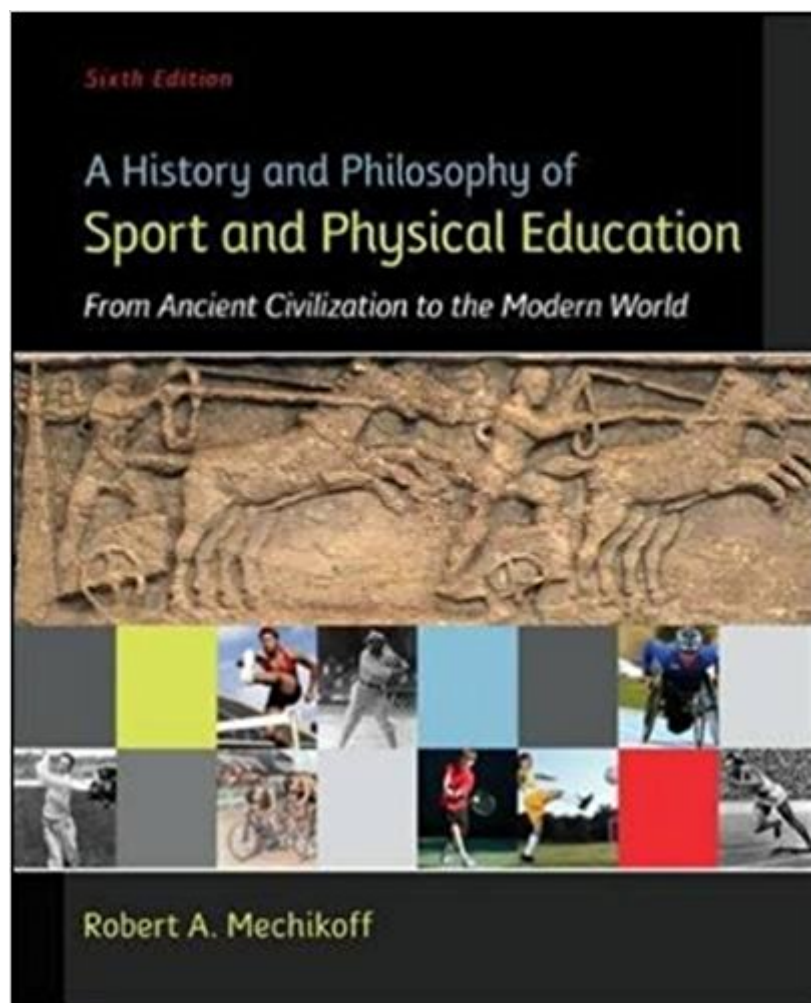




**Ebook Directory**  
the best source of ebook

The book was found

# A History And Philosophy Of Sport And Physical Education: From Ancient Civilizations To The Modern World



## Synopsis

Mechikoff's *A History and Philosophy of Sport and Physical Education* offers an engaging and informative overview of the philosophy of sport from Egypt to Ancient Greece and on to the present time. From Mesoamerica and Ancient Greece to the Olympic Games, the book touches on religion, politics, social movements, and individuals as they contributed to the development of sport and physical education. An extensive array of pedagogical tools—including timelines, comprehensive lists of chapter objectives, suggested websites, and discussion questions—aid the learning experience. Instructors and students can now access their course content through the Connect digital learning platform by purchasing either standalone Connect access or a bundle of print and Connect access. McGraw-Hill Connect® is a subscription-based learning service accessible online through your personal computer or tablet. Choose this option if your instructor will require Connect to be used in the course. Your subscription to Connect includes the following:

- SmartBook® - an adaptive digital version of the course textbook that personalizes your reading experience based on how well you are learning the content.
- Access to your instructor's homework assignments, quizzes, syllabus, notes, reminders, and other important files for the course.
- Progress dashboards that quickly show how you are performing on your assignments and tips for improvement.
- The option to purchase (for a small fee) a print version of the book. This binder-ready, loose-leaf version includes free shipping.

Complete system requirements to use Connect can be found here:

<http://www.mheducation.com/highered/platforms/connect/training-support-students.html>

## Book Information

Paperback: 480 pages

Publisher: McGraw-Hill Education; 6 edition (January 25, 2013)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0078022711

ISBN-13: 978-0078022715

Product Dimensions: 7.3 x 0.7 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.6 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.7 out of 5 stars 4 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #44,562 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #44 in Books > Sports & Outdoors > Miscellaneous > History of Sports #13724 in Books > Textbooks

## Customer Reviews

Robert Mechikoff is a Professor in the Department of Exercise and Nutritional Sciences at San Diego State University where he has taught history of sport and philosophy courses since 1981. He received his BA in Political Science from Long Beach State University as well as his MA in Physical Education. Professor Mechikoff earned his Ph.D. from The Ohio State University where he studied history and philosophy. He coached football and swimming at both the high school and college level. Professor Mechikoff is an internationally recognized scholar, conducting extensive research and lecturing in the history and philosophy of the Ancient and Modern Olympic Games all over the world. He is a member of The Olympic Family, The International Society of Olympic Historians, and has served as Supervising Professor at the International Olympic Academy in Olympia, Greece on more than once occasion where he taught philosophy to graduate students from 25 different countries. In 1982, Professor Mechikoff served as Founding President and CEO of USA Volleyball (Men's Team). The U.S. Olympic Men's Team won the Gold Medal at the 1984 Los Angeles Olympiad. He is a frequent lecturer at the British Olympic Academy and numerous Olympic Academies and Universities around the world. His interest in sport in antiquity, especially Greek athletics, is evident in his latest research. Since 2002 Professor Mechikoff has assisted in the work being conducted at the archeological site in Ancient Nemea, one of the four great athletic festivals of ancient Greece. He is a frequent visitor to the Olympic Museum and Studies Center in Lausanne, Switzerland and knows many members of the International Olympic Committee on a personal basis. Because of his international reputation as an Olympic Scholar, the International Olympic Committee awarded him the title of "Distinguished Guest of the IOC" during the 2002 Salt Lake Winter Olympics. He is one of the few Kinesiology / Physical Education Professors who can (albeit with difficulty), translate ancient Greek from their original sources. He speaks and reads French, Modern Greek, Spanish, and Russian; one day he hopes to actually be able to understand what the French, Greek, Spanish, and Russians are saying to him. In addition to his scholarly contributions in history and philosophy, Professor Mechikoff has published several texts in sport psychology as well as an introduction to kinesiology text. He is frequently sought out by the media to share his expertise on issues pertaining to ethics in sport, fan and coaching behavior, sport history, and the Olympics. He enjoys lecturing in North America as well as abroad.

Exactly what my wife needed. Thank you

Exactly as described by seller and exactly what i needed

Good

Very good!

[Download to continue reading...](#)

A History and Philosophy of Sport and Physical Education: From Ancient Civilizations to the Modern World Young People's Voices in Physical Education and Youth Sport (Routledge Studies in Physical Education and Youth Sport) History: Human History in 50 Events: From Ancient Civilizations to Modern Times (World History, History Books, People History) (History in 50 Events Series Book 1) Sumerians: Discover History's First Civilization: Everything You Need to Know About the Sumerians of the Ancient World (Ancient History, Ancient Civilizations Handbook) Alexander: The Great Leader and Hero of Macedonia and Ancient Greece (European History, Ancient History, Ancient Rome, Ancient Greece, Egyptian History, Roman Empire, Roman History) World History, Ancient History, Asian History, United States History, European History, Russian History, Indian History, African History. ( world history) Global Perception: Sport Education, Teaching of Physical Education and Curriculum Studies Manifesto for Philosophy: Followed by Two Essays: "the (Re)Turn of Philosophy Itself" and "Definition of Philosophy" (Sunny Series, Intersections, Philosophy and Critical Theory) Viking: Viking Mythology: Ancient Myths, Gods and Warriors (Norse Mythology, Greek Mythology, Ancient Civilizations, Greek Gods, Ancient Rome, Viking Myths) 4th Grade History: Ancient Civilizations: Fourth Grade Books for Kids (Children's Ancient History Books) The Physical Educator's Big Book of Sport Lead-Up Games: A complete K-8 sourcebook of team and lifetime sport activities for skill development, fitness and fun! Ancient Egypt: A History From Beginning to End (Ancient Civilizations Book 2) Ancient Rome: A History From Beginning to End (Ancient Civilizations Book 1) History: The Ancient Civilizations That Defined World History Philosophy for Life and Other Dangerous Situations: Ancient Philosophy for Modern Problems The Early River Valley Civilizations (The First Humans and Early Civilizations) The Early River Valley Civilizations (First Humans and Early Civilizations) Sport and Spectacle in the Ancient World (Ancient Cultures) Sport Facility Management (Jones and Bartlett Series in Health and Physical Education) Game Sense: Pedagogy for Performance, Participation and Enjoyment (Routledge Studies in Physical Education and Youth Sport)

Contact Us

DMCA

Privacy

FAQ & Help