

Knowledge Organiser: Fundamentals Year 1

Links to the PE National Curriculum

- Pupils should develop fundamental movement skills, become increasingly competent and confident and access a broad range of opportunities to extend their agility, balance and coordination, individually and with others. They should be able to engage in competitive (both against self and against others) and co-operative physical activities, in a range of increasingly challenging situations.
- Pupils should be taught to master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination, and begin to apply these in a range of activities.

Key Skills: Physical

- Balancing
- Sprinting
- Jogging
- Dodging
- Jumping
- Hopping



Key Skills: S.E.T

- Social: Taking turns
- Social: Supporting and encouraging others
- Social: Working safely
- Social: Communication
- Emotional: Challenging myself
- Emotional: Perseverance
- Emotional: Honesty
- Thinking: Selecting and applying
- Thinking: Identifying strengths
- Thinking: Listening and following instructions

What are fundamental skills?

Fundamental movement skills are a specific set of gross motor skills that involve different parts of the body. When confident and competent in these skills, children can develop more complex movement skills and apply these to recreational, activity or sport-specific situations.

Key Vocabulary:

balance direction land fast safely jump hop

Teacher Glossary

Balance: The ability to maintain stability when stationary (static balance) or when moving (dynamic balance).

Jump: Take off and land on two feet.

Hop: Take off on one foot and land on the same foot.

Travel: A method of moving around space e.g. jog,

slide, skip, crawl etc.



Where this unit sits

Assessment Criteria

Reception

- I can negotiate space safely with consideration for myself and others.
- I am confident to try new challenges, deciding on the skills I use to complete the task.
- I use movement skills with developing balance and co-ordination.
- I follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.
- I play co-operatively, take turns and congratulate others.
- I play games honestly with consideration of the rules.
- I show an understanding of my feelings and can regulate my behaviour.

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- I can change direction when moving at speed.
- I can recognise changes in my body when I do exercise.
- I can run at different speeds.
- I can select my own actions in response to a task.
- I can show hopping and jumping movements.
- I can work co-operatively with others to complete tasks.
- I show balance and co-ordination when static and moving at a slow speed.









- I am beginning to provide feedback using key words.
- I am beginning to turn and jump in an individual skipping rope.
- I can describe how my body feels during exercise.
- I can show balance when changing direction.
- I can show hopping, skipping and jumping movements with some balance and control.
- I can work co-operatively with a partner and a small group.
- I show balance and co-ordination when running at different speeds.

Progression of Skills Ladder

Balance Hopping Skipping Running Year Demonstrate jumping Demonstrate hopping for Explore single and Demonstrate balance when Demonstrate balance for distance, height and changing direction. double bounce when distance, height and in when performing in different directions. • Clearly show different speeds jumping in a rope. different directions. movements. when running. **Running Balance** Jumping Hopping Skipping Show co-ordination when Move with some Explore changing direction Year Demonstrate control Begin to explore turning a rope. in take off and landing hopping in different • control and balance. and dodging. Use rhythm to jump Discover how the body Explore stability and when jumping. continuously in a French rope. directions. moves at different speeds. landing safely. Running Hopping Skipping **Balance Jumping** Explore running and stopping. Begin to explore Explore skipping Explore Explore balancing whilst **EYFS** take off and Explore changing direction as a travelling hopping on stationary and on the move. landing safely. safely. action. both feet.