

Year 2 Unit 3 Games

National Curriculum objectives

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. Participate in team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending.

Key Learning

- Demonstrate confidence in ball handling skills.
- Use space whilst passing and receiving a kicked ball.
- Throw & catch to pass and receive a ball in a game.
- Attack & defend in a game, making and denying space
- Develop tactics when shooting at and protecting targets.

Equipment

- Bibs / bands.
- Cones/Spots.
- Tennis balls/Footballs/Soft balls/Rugby balls/Large balls.
- Hoops.
- Skipping ropes.
- Beanbags.
- Benches.
- Tag rugby belts or tails, bibs.
- Stopwatch.

Key Questions

How does your body move when dodging?

How can a defender win the ball?

Which is more difficult – overarm or underarm?

What is an invasion game?

Key Vocabulary

Aiming: lining up your body towards the target.

Attacking: moving the ball towards your opponents' end of the playing area.

Control: making the ball go where you want it at all times.

Defending: working to stop the opposition from moving towards your goal.

Dodging: moving away from opposition players.

Dribbling: moving with the ball close towards your feet.

Football: a game played by kicking the ball towards your opponents' goal.

Intercept: to win the ball when your opponents are passing the ball.

Invasion game: a game in which you try to move a ball towards your opponents' end of the playing area.

Marking: staying close to an opposition player to make it hard to pass to them.

Overhead: when something moves over head height.

Passing: moving the ball to other players on your team.

Points: how you keep score when you have hit the target.

Possession: whichever team is controlling the ball has possession.

Shooting: kicking the ball hard to try to score a goal.

Space: a place on the pitch where there are no other players.

Target: what you are aiming for.

Underarm: when you roll or throw and your arm is always below shoulder height.

Safety

- Remove all jewellery including earrings
- Long hair must be tied back
- Wear suitable footwear
- Use correct techniques
- Complete a warm-up and cool-down