

# Fairways Primary School. PE and Games Progression of Skills

## Progression of skills: PHYSICAL EDUCATION

**EYFS:** This section outlines the most relevant statements taken from the Early Learning Goals in the EYFS statutory framework and the Development Matters age ranges for Reception to match the programme of study for PE.

Revise and refine the fundamental movement skills they have already acquired:

- rolling      - running
- crawling    - hopping
- walking     - skipping
- jumping    - climbing
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- Progress towards a more fluent style of moving, with developing control and grace.
- Develop overall body-strength, balance, coordination and agility needed to engage successfully with future physical education sessions and other physical disciplines, including dance, gymnastics and sport.
- Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor.
- Combine different movements with ease and fluency.
- Confidently and safely use a range of large and small apparatus indoors and outdoors, alone and in a group.
- Develop overall body strength, balance, coordination and agility.
- Know and talk about the different factors that support overall health and wellbeing:  
regular physical activity.
- Negotiate space and obstacles safely, with consideration for themselves and others.
- Demonstrate strength, balance and coordination when playing. Move energetically, such as running, jumping, dancing, hopping, skipping and climbing.

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Dance (including Calisthenic and Aerobic Activities to music)	<p>Copies and explores basic movements and body patterns</p> <p>Remembers simple movements and dance steps</p> <p>Links movements to sounds and music.</p> <p>Responds to a range of stimuli.</p>	<p>Copies and explores basic movements with clear control.</p> <p>Varies levels and speed in sequence</p> <p>Can vary the size of their body shapes</p> <p>Add a change of direction to a sequence</p> <p>Uses space well and negotiates space clearly.</p> <p>Can describe a short dance using appropriate vocabulary.</p> <p>Responds imaginatively to stimuli.</p>	<p>Beginning to improvise independently to create a simple dance.</p> <p>Beginning to improvise with a partner to create a simple dance.</p> <p>Translates ideas from stimuli into a movement with support.</p> <p>Beginning to compare and adapt movements and repetitions to create a larger sequence.</p> <p>Uses simple dance vocabulary to compare and improve work.</p>	<p>Confidently improvises with a partner or on their own.</p> <p>Beginning to create longer dance sequences in a larger group.</p> <p>Demonstrating precision and some control in response to stimuli.</p> <p>Beginning to vary dynamics and develop actions and repetitions.</p> <p>Demonstrates rhythm and spatial awareness.</p> <p>Modifies parts of a sequence as a result of self-evaluation.</p> <p>Uses simple dance vocabulary to compare and improve work.</p>	<p>Beginning to exaggerate dance movements and repetitions (using expression when moving)</p> <p>Demonstrates strong movements throughout a dance sequence.</p> <p>Combines flexibility, techniques and movements to create a fluent sequence.</p> <p>Moves appropriately and with the required style in relation to the stimulus.</p> <p><i>e.g using various levels, ways of travelling and repetitions.</i></p> <p>Beginning to show a change of pace and timing in their movements.</p> <p>Uses the space provided to his maximum potential.</p> <p>Improvises with confidence, still demonstrating</p>	<p>Exaggerate dance movements and repetitions (using expression when moving)</p> <p>Performs with confidence, using a range of movement patterns.</p> <p>Demonstrates a strong imagination when creating own dance sequences and repetitions.</p> <p>Demonstrates strong movements throughout a dance sequence.</p> <p>Combines flexibility, techniques and movements to create a fluent sequence.</p> <p>Moves appropriately and with the required style in relation to the stimulus.</p> <p><i>e.g using various levels, ways of travelling and repetitions.</i></p> <p>Beginning to show a change of pace and</p>

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Gym	Year 1 (KS1 skills)	Year 2 (KS1 skills)	Year 3 (Lower KS2 skills)	Year 4 (Lower KS2 skills)	Year 5 (Upper KS2 skills)	Year 6 (Upper KS2 skills)
Gym (Including Yoga)	<p>Copies and explores basic movements with some control and coordination.</p> <p>Can perform different body shapes</p> <p>Performs at different levels</p> <p>Can perform 2 footed jump</p> <p>Can use equipment safely</p> <p>Balances with some control</p> <p>Can link 2-3 simple movements</p>	<p>Explores and creates different pathways and patterns.</p> <p>Uses equipment in a variety of ways to create a sequence</p> <p>Link movements together to create a sequence</p>	<p>Applies compositional ideas independently and with others to create a sequence.</p> <p>Copies, explores and remembers a variety of movements and uses these to create their own sequence.</p> <p>Describes their own work using simple gym vocabulary.</p> <p>Beginning to notice similarities and differences between sequences.</p> <p>Uses turns whilst travelling in a variety of ways.</p> <p>Beginning to show flexibility in movements</p> <p>Beginning to develop good technique when travelling, balancing, using equipment etc</p>	<p>Links skills with control, technique, coordination and fluency.</p> <p>Understands composition by performing more complex sequences.</p> <p>Beginning to use gym vocabulary to describe how to improve and refine performances.</p> <p>Develops strength, technique and flexibility throughout performances.</p> <p>Creates sequences using various body shapes and equipment.</p> <p>Combines equipment with movement to create sequences.</p>	<p>Select and combine their skills, techniques and ideas.</p> <p>Apply combined skills accurately and appropriately, consistently showing precision, control and fluency.</p> <p>Draw on what they know about strategy, tactics and composition when performing and evaluating.</p> <p>Analyse and comment on skills and techniques and how these are applied in their own and others' work.</p> <p>Uses more complex gym vocabulary to describe how to improve and refine performances.</p> <p>Develops strength, technique and flexibility throughout performances.</p> <p>Links skills with control, technique, coordination</p>	<p>Plan and perform with precision, control and fluency, a movement sequence showing a wide range of actions including variations in speed, levels and directions.</p> <p>Performs difficult actions, with an emphasis on extension, clear body shape and changes in direction.</p> <p>Adapts sequences to include a partner or a small group.</p> <p>Gradually increases the length of sequence work with a partner to make up a short sequence using the floor, mats and apparatus, showing consistency, fluency and clarity of movement.</p> <p>Draw on what they know about strategy, tactics and composition when</p>

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					<p>and fluency.</p> <p>Understands composition by performing more complex sequences.</p>	<p>performing and evaluating.</p> <p>Analyse and comment on skills and techniques and how these are applied in their own and others' work.</p> <p>Uses more complex gym vocabulary to describe how to improve and refine performances.</p> <p>Develops strength, technique and flexibility throughout performances.</p>
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Games	Year 1 (KS1 skills)	Year 2 (KS1 skills)	Year 3 (Lower KS2 skills)	Year 4 (Lower KS2 skills)	Year 5 (Upper KS2 skills)	Year 6 (Upper KS2 skills)
Games	<p>Can travel in a variety of ways including running and jumping.</p> <p>Beginning to perform a range of throws.</p> <p>Receives a ball with basic control</p> <p>Beginning to develop hand-eye coordination</p> <p>Participates in simple games</p> <p>Understand the importance of rules in games.</p> <p>Develop simple tactics and use them appropriately.</p> <p>Beginning to develop an understanding of attacking/ defending</p>	<p>Confident to send the ball to others in a range of ways.</p> <p>Beginning to apply and combine a variety of skills (to a game situation)</p> <p>Develop strong spatial awareness.</p> <p>Beginning to develop own games with peers.</p> <p>Understand the importance of rules in games.</p> <p>Develop simple tactics and use them appropriately.</p> <p>Beginning to develop an understanding of attacking/ defending</p>	<p>Understands tactics and composition by starting to vary how they respond.</p> <p>Vary skills, actions and ideas and link these in ways that suit the activity of the game.</p> <p>Beginning to communicate with others during game situations.</p> <p>Uses skills with coordination and control.</p> <p>Develops own rules for new games.</p> <p>Makes imaginative pathways using the equipment.</p> <p>Works well in a group to develop various games.</p> <p>Beginning to understand how to compete with each other in a controlled manner.</p> <p>Beginning to select resources independently</p>	<p>Vary skills, actions and ideas and link these in ways that suit the activity of the game.</p> <p>Develops confidence in using ball skills in various ways, and can link these together.</p> <p><i>e.g. dribbling, bouncing, kicking</i></p> <p>Uses skills with coordination, control and fluency.</p> <p>Takes part in competitive games with a strong understanding of tactics and composition.</p> <p>Can create their own games using knowledge and skills.</p> <p>Can make suggestions as to what resources can be used to differentiate a game.</p> <p>Compares and comments on skills to support the creation of new games.</p>	<p>Vary skills, actions and ideas and link these in ways that suit the activity of the game.</p> <p>Builds in confidence in using ball skills in various ways, and can link these together.</p> <p>Uses skills with coordination, control and fluency.</p> <p>Take part in competitive games with a strong understanding of tactics and composition.</p> <p>Can create their own games using knowledge and skills.</p> <p>Can make suggestions as to what resources can be used to differentiate a game.</p> <p>Apply basic skills for attacking and defending.</p> <p>Uses running, jumping, throwing and catching in</p>	<p>Vary skills, actions and ideas and link these in ways that suit the activity of the game.</p> <p>Shows confidence in using ball skills in various ways, and can link these together effectively.</p> <p><i>e.g. dribbling, bouncing, kicking</i></p> <p>Keep possession of balls during games situations.</p> <p>Consistently uses skills with coordination, control and fluency.</p> <p>Takes part in competitive games with a strong understanding of tactics and composition.</p> <p>Can create their own games using knowledge and skills.</p> <p>Modifies competitive games.</p> <p>Compares and comments</p>

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			<p>to carry out different skills.</p>	<p>Can make suggestions as to what resources can be used to differentiate a game.</p> <p>Apply basic skills for attacking and defending.</p> <p>Uses running, jumping, throwing and catching in isolation and combination.</p>	<p>isolation and combination.</p>	<p>on skills to support the creation of new games.</p> <p>Can make suggestions as to what resources can be used to differentiate a game.</p> <p>Apply knowledge of skills for attacking and defending.</p> <p>Uses running, jumping, throwing and catching in isolation and in combination.</p>
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Athletics	<p>Can run at different speeds.</p> <p>Can jump from a standing position</p> <p>Performs a variety of throws with basic control.</p>	<p>Can change speed and direction whilst running.</p> <p>Can jump from a standing position with accuracy.</p> <p>Performs a variety of throws with control and coordination.</p> <p><i>preparation for shot put and javelin</i></p> <p>Can use equipment safely</p>	<p>Beginning to run at speeds appropriate for the distance.</p> <p><i>e.g. sprinting and cross country</i></p> <p>Can perform a running jump with some accuracy</p> <p>Performs a variety of throws using a selection of equipment.</p> <p>Can use equipment safely and with good control.</p>	<p>Beginning to build a variety of running techniques and use with confidence.</p> <p>Can perform a running jump with more than one component.</p> <p><i>e.g. hop, skip, jump</i></p> <p>Demonstrates accuracy in throwing and catching activities.</p> <p>Describes good athletic performance using correct vocabulary.</p> <p>Can use equipment safely and with good control.</p>	<p>Beginning to build a variety of running techniques and use with confidence.</p> <p>Can perform a running jump with more than one component.</p> <p><i>e.g. hop, skip, jump</i></p> <p>Observe and comment on others' performances.</p> <p>Demonstrates accuracy and confidence in throwing and catching activities.</p> <p>Describes good athletic performance using correct vocabulary.</p> <p>Can use equipment safely and with good control.</p>	<p>Beginning to build a variety of running techniques and use with confidence.</p> <p>Can perform a running jump with more than one component.</p> <p><i>e.g. hop, skip, jump, triple jump</i></p> <p>Observe others' performances and evaluate these.</p> <p>Demonstrates accuracy and confidence in throwing and catching activities.</p> <p>Describes good athletic performance using appropriate vocabulary.</p> <p>Can use equipment safely and with good control.</p>

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Outdoor Adventurous Activities	-	-	<p>Develops listening skills.</p> <p>Creates simple body shapes.</p> <p>Listens to instructions from a partner/ adult.</p> <p>Beginning to think activities through and problem solve.</p> <p>Discuss and work with others in a group.</p> <p>Demonstrates an understanding of how to stay safe.</p>	<p>Develops strong listening skills.</p> <p>Uses simple maps.</p> <p>Beginning to think activities through and problem solve.</p> <p>Choose and apply strategies to solve problems with support.</p> <p>Discuss and work with others in a group.</p> <p>Demonstrates an understanding of how to stay safe.</p>	<p>Develops strong listening skills.</p> <p>Uses and interprets simple maps.</p> <p>Think activities through and problem solve using general knowledge.</p> <p>Choose and apply strategies to solve problems with support.</p> <p>Discuss and work with others in a group.</p> <p>Demonstrates an understanding of how to stay safe.</p>	<p>Develops strong listening skills.</p> <p>Uses and interprets simple maps.</p> <p>Think activities through and problem solve using general knowledge.</p> <p>Choose and apply strategies to solve problems with support.</p> <p>Discuss and work with others in a group.</p> <p>Demonstrates an understanding of how to stay safe.</p>

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<b>Swimming</b>					<p>Swims competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres</p> <p>Uses a range of strokes effectively e.g. front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke.</p> <p>Performs safe self-rescue in different water-based situations.</p>	
<b>Evaluation</b>	<p>Can comment on performances.</p> <p>Can give comments on how to improve.</p> <p>Use appropriate vocabulary.</p>		<p>Watches and describes performances.</p> <p>Beginning to think about how they can improve their own work.</p> <p>Work with a partner or small group to improve their skills.</p> <p>Make suggestions on how to improve their work, commenting on similarities and differences.</p>		<p>Watches and describes performances accurately.</p> <p>Learn from others how they can improve their skills.</p> <p>Comment on tactics and techniques to help improve performances.</p> <p>Make suggestions on how to improve their work, commenting on similarities and differences.</p>	
<b>Healthy Lifestyles</b>	<p>Can describe the effect exercise has on the body.</p> <p>Can explain the importance of exercise and a healthy</p>		<p>Can describe the effect exercise has on the body</p> <p>Can explain the importance of exercise and a healthy lifestyle.</p> <p>Understands the need to warm up and cool down.</p>		<p>Can describe the effect exercise has on the body</p> <p>Can explain the importance of exercise and a healthy lifestyle.</p> <p>Understands the need to warm up and cool down.</p>	

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