

About this Unit

In this unit you will be set challenges for distance and time that involve using different styles of running, jumping and throwing. You will try to achieve your greatest possible speed, distance or accuracy and learn how to persevere to achieve your personal best. You will learn how to improve by identifying areas of strength as well as areas to develop. You will also be given opportunities to lead when officiating as well as observe and provide feedback to others.



Official Athletic Events

Running

Sprinting
100m, 200m, 400m
Hurdles
Relay
Middle Distance
800m, 1500m
Long Distance
5,000, 10,000
Steeplechase

Jumping

Long Jump
Jump for distance
Triple Jump
Jump for distance
High Jump
Jump for height
Pole Vault
Jump for height

Throwing

Discus
Fling throw
Shot
Push throw
Hammer
Fling throw
Javelin
Pull throw

Have you seen any of these events before?



Key Vocabulary

accuracy: how close the object is to the given target

distance: how far or how high

heave: throwing with power from low to high

launch: the point where an object is let go

measure: to mark a distance

official: referees who judge events

officiate: to be in charge of the rules

pace: how fast you are running

power: speed and strength combined

record: to make note of

speed: how fast you are travelling

stamina: the ability to move for sustained periods of time

stride: the length of the step

technique: the action used correctly

transfer of weight: movement of body weight from one place to another



Ladder Knowledge



Running:

Pace yourself when running further or for a long period of time. A high knee drive, pumping your arms and running on the balls of your feet will give you power to run faster.

Jumping:

Transferring weight will help you to jump further. Swing your arms forwards and push your hips forward to help you to transfer weight.

Throwing:

Transferring weight will help you to throw further. Move the weight from your back leg to your front leg to help you to throw further.

Movement Skills

- pace
- sprint
- jump for distance
- throw for distance

This unit will also help you to develop other important skills.

Social collaboration, leadership

Emotional perseverance, determination, honesty

Thinking reflection, observing and providing feedback, exploring ideas, comprehension

JUMPING EVENTS

- Performers must take off before the line.
- Jumps are measured from the take-off line to the body part closest to the take-off line that touches the ground.

Rules

THROWING EVENTS

- Throws are measured from the throw line to where the object first lands.

Healthy Participation



In throwing activities ensure you:

- wait for instruction and check the area is clear before throwing.
- there is adequate space between throwers.

If you enjoy this unit why not see if there is an athletics club in your local area.



How will this unit help your body?

agility, balance, co-ordination, speed, stamina, strength

Home Learning

It's all About the Pace

What you need: socks and a stopwatch or clock

How to play:

- Mark a track around your home using socks.
- How many times can you run around your track in 30 seconds?
- Can you double the distance if you work for 1 minute? How did that make you feel?
- Can you run your track without stopping for 6 minutes? Pace yourself to maintain a consistent speed.
- How many laps did you complete?

Notice what happens to the distance you complete when the time increases.



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Knowledge Organiser Rounders Year 3 and Year 4

About this Unit

Rounders is a striking and fielding game. The game has one fielding team and one batting team. Both teams will play one round, called an 'innings', as fielders and once as batters. Batters hit a small ball with a bat that has a rounded end. They score by running around the four bases on the field.



Can you think of any other striking and fielding games that share these principles?



Striking and Fielding Games Key Principles

attacking	defending
score points	limit points
placement of an object	deny space
avoid getting out	get opponents out

Key Vocabulary

- accuracy:** how close the object is to the given target
- batter:** a player on the batting team
- compete:** take part in a contest
- cushion:** take the power out of an object
- decision:** select an outcome
- limit:** to reduce
- no ball:** a bowled ball deemed to be outside of the rules
- pressure:** to add challenge
- retrieve:** to collect
- short barrier:** creating a barrier with hands in front of feet to stop a ball travelling at slow speed
- strike:** to hit
- stumped out:** when a fielder touches the ball to get the batter out
- tactics:** a plan or strategy
- technique:** the action used correctly
- tournament:** a competition of more than two teams
- two-handed pickup:** fielding technique where a fielder can scoop the ball with two hands
- umpire:** a person who makes sure the rules are followed



Ladder Knowledge



Striking:
Year 3: striking to space away from fielders will help you to score.
Year 4: using the centre of the bat will provide the most control and accuracy.

Fielding:
Year 3: look at where a batter is before deciding what to do. Communicate with teammates before throwing to them.
Year 4: it is easier to field a ball that is coming towards you than away, so set up accordingly.

Throwing:
Year 3: overarm throwing is used for long distances and underarm throwing for shorter distances.
Year 4: being balanced before throwing will help to improve the accuracy of the throw.

Catching:
Year 3: move your feet to the ball.
Year 4: track the ball as it is thrown to catch more consistently.

Movement Skills

- underarm and overarm throw
- catch
- bowl
- track a ball
- field and retrieve a ball
- bat

This unit will also help you to develop other important skills.

- Social** collaboration, communication, co-operate, support and encourage others
- Emotional** honesty, fair play, confidence, determination
- Thinking** comprehension, select and apply skills, tactics, make decisions

Rules

OUTS

A player will be called out if they are:

- Caught out: fielders catches a batted ball
- Run out: their teammate runs to the same post as them
- Stumped out: fielder stumps the post that the batter is running to
- They run inside the bases

Tactics

Tactics will help your team to achieve an outcome e.g. when fielding spread out to make so that you have a better chance of catching a batter out or stopping them from scoring.

Healthy Participation



- Backstops must stand 2m behind the batter.
- Batters must take their bat with them when they run.
- Always keep a safe distance between yourself and a batter.

If you enjoy this unit why not see if there is a rounders club in your local area.



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Kick Rounders

What you need: four markers, one ball two players.

How to play:

- Mark out a square with the four markers.
- One player (the kicker) begins at one of the markers.
- The other player (the fielder) rolls the ball to the kicker who kicks the ball as far as they can.
- The kicker then runs around the outside of all four markers scoring one point every time they return to their start marker.
- The fielder must retrieve the ball and place it on the start marker to stop the kicker running.
- Three turns then change over.



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