

Invasion Games – KS2 Progression of Skills

Year 3	Sports Taught:
	Recognise when you need to defend
	Employ tactics to put pressure opponents
	Being aware and able to undertake the demands different positions to support both attack defence
	Send and receive a ball with some consistency to keep possession
	Sometimes move into space to receive the ball
	Use recognised passes in isolation e.g. chest pass for netball or kicking with the inside of the foot for football
	Play using basic rules of recognised game e.g. hockey or football
	Shoot at a goal using appropriate skills e.g. slap shot in hockey or set shot in basketball
	Work as part of a team to attack towards a goal
Year 4	Sports Taught:
	Working with team mates to make it difficult for the opposition
	Use tactics to perform defensively both as a team and as an individual
	Play using recognised marking techniques of specific game e.g. hockey, tag rugby
	Send and receive the ball with accuracy, controlling to score points/goals
	Keep possession of the ball as an individual using skills such as dribbling and running with the ball
	Show speed and endurance in a game situation
	Move into space to help others and the ball over longer distances
	Work as part of a team to attack and score in defined area. In netball play within positional restrictions
	Use and apply the basic rules of the game
Year 5	Sports Taught:
	Play in formations and execute 'set plays' in game situations
	Explain the need for different tactics and attempt these in a game situation
	Know and apply the rules consistently in a game situation
	Select and apply skills in game situation with some consistency e.g. dodging, pivoting, dribbling and running with the ball
	Move balls over longer distances accurately, demonstrating power
	Play in different positions with some success
	Where appropriate mark goal side
	Use appropriate language to explain their attacking and defensive play
	Use specific learned skills to maintain possession during a game
Year 6	Sports Taught:
	Choose and implement a range of strategies to attack & defend such as restricting attackers' space or goal side marking
	Make quicker decisions in games (on and off the ball)
	Use and apply boundary rules such as corners, self-pass and sideline in relevant game
	Suggest, plan and lead a warmup or drill and use STEP technique to modify
	Build upon set plays and suggest some improvements to play
	Use a variety of techniques for passing, controlling, dribbling and shooting the ball in games
	Play in a variety of positions (attacking and defensive)
	Consistently catch/stop and control a ball
	Able to track and control a rebound from shot (penalty or open play)