

Games Progression

EYFS

Drop and catch with two hands.
Move a ball with feet

Throw and roll a variety of beanbags and larger balls to space.
Kick larger balls to space.
Stop a beanbag or large ball sent to them using hands

Attempt to stop a large ball sent to them using feet.

Hit a ball with hands.
Run and stop when instructed

Move around showing limited awareness of others.

Make simple decisions in response to a situation.

Year 1

Drop and catch a ball after one bounce on the move..
Move a ball using different parts of the foot.

Throw and roll towards a target with some varying techniques.
Kick towards a stationary target.
Catch a beanbag and a medium-sized ball.

Attempt to track balls and other equipment sent to them.
Strike a stationary ball using a racket.

Run, stop and change direction with some balance and control.
Recognise space in relation to others.
Begin to use simple tactics with guidance.

Year 2

Dribble a ball with two hands on the move.
Dibble a ball with some success, stopping it when required.

Throw and roll towards a target using varying techniques with some success.
Show balance when kicking towards a target.

Catch an object passed to them, with and without a bounce.
Move to track a ball and stop it using feet with limited success.

Strike a ball using a racket.

Move to space to help score goals or limit others scoring.

Use simple tactics.

Year 3

Dribble the ball with one hand with some control in game situations.
Dribble a ball with feet with some control in game situations.

Use a variety of throwing techniques in game situations.
. Kick towards a partner in game situations.

Catch a ball passed to them using one and two hands with some success.
Receive a ball sent to them using different parts of the foot

Strike a ball with varying techniques

Change direction with increasing speed in game situations.

Use space with some success in game situations.
Use simple tactics individually and within a team.

Year 4

Link dribbling the ball with other actions with increasing control.

Change direction when dribbling with feet with some control in game situations.
Use a variety of throwing techniques with increasing success in game situations.
Kick with increasing success in game situations.

Catch a ball passed to them using one and two hands with increasing success
Receive a ball using different parts of the foot under pressure.
Strike a ball using varying techniques with increasing accuracy.

Change direction to lose an opponent with some success
Create and use space with some success in game situations.

Use simple tactics to help their team score or gain possession

Year 5

Use dribbling to change the direction of play with some control under pressure.
Dribble with feet with some control under increasing pressure.

Use a variety of throwing techniques with some control under increasing pressure
Use a variety of kicking techniques with some control under increasing pressure.

Catch and intercept a ball using one and two hands with some success in game situations.
Receive a ball using different parts of the foot under pressure with increasing control.

Strike a ball using a wider range of skills. Apply these with some success under pressure.
Use a variety of techniques to change direction to lose an opponent.

Create and use space for self and others with some success.
Understand the need for tactics and can identify when to use them in different situations.

Year 6

Use dribbling to change the direction of play with control under pressure.
Use a variety of dribbling techniques to maintain possession under pressure.

Use a variety of throwing techniques including fake passes to outwit an opponent.
Select and apply the appropriate kicking technique with control.
Catch and intercept a ball using one and two hands with increasing success in game situations.

Receive a ball with consideration to the next move.
Strike a ball using a wider range of skills to outwit an opponent.
Apply these with increasing control under pressure.

Confidently change direction to successfully outwit an opponent.
Effectively create and use space for self and others to outwit an opponent.

Work collaboratively to create tactics within their team and evaluate the effectiveness of these.