

Year 6 Invasion Games – Autumn Term

Prior Skills and Knowledge – Year 5 Invasion Games - Hockey

The unit of work will challenge pupils to develop an understanding of the rules of hockey and will start to take responsibility for officiating their own games. Pupils will be able to develop tactics for both attacking and defending and apply these successfully within their team.

Key Vocabulary

Tactics	Attack
Defending	
Counter Attack	Free Hit

Pupils will learn to consistently apply effective attacking skills, applying decision making in order to keep possession and score. Pupils will in turn apply pressure when defending to regain possession effectively.

Key Skills

Step 1 – Re-cap the PE Ground Rules

Step 2 - to consolidate pupils ability to use passing, dribbling and moving skills to keep possession and score.

Step 3 - to consolidate pupils' understanding of the rules of the game and how they can apply this knowledge in mini games.

Step 4 - to ensure pupils understand that they are defending as soon as they lose possession of the ball.

Step 5 - to consolidate the pupils' understanding of attacking tactics, applying them into game situations.

Step 6 - to consolidate the pupils understanding of defensive tactics applying them to into game situations.

Step 7 - to bring together the suggested sequence of learning into a level 1 tournament.

See Complete PE - Year 6 Games: Invasion: Hockey for lesson plans and assessment tools.

Key Knowledge

Tactics: Tactics are a carefully planned set of actions that are used by a team or an individual to attaining a certain goal.

Attack: The aim of the game for the attackers is to score a goal. When a team are in possession of the ball they need to work together and apply their understanding of passing, moving and dribbling to create a shooting opportunity.

Defending: The aim of the game for the defenders is to prevent the attackers from scoring. When a team does not have possession they need to work together and apply their understanding of tackling, blocking and marking to gain back possession.

Counter Attack: A counter attack is a tactic employed by the team gaining possession who immediately attack after regaining the ball from defending the opponent's attack.

Free Hit: A free hit is awarded when a foul occurs or the ball hits a players foot. The free hit is taken from where the violation took place.

Possible Misconceptions

All games involving striking a ball are the same.

All balls are equally weighted.

The quicker I swing, the harder my shot will be.

This will lead to . . . KS3 Invasion Games

Use a range of tactics and strategies to overcome opponents in direct competition through team and individual games [for example, badminton, basketball, cricket, football, hockey, netball, rounders, rugby and tennis]