Quality Physical Education

Significant Aspects of Learning "The Learning Map"



This resource is intended to promote teacher and pupil understanding of the skills and attributes that support learning through performing in Physical Education.

It provides alternative pupil friendly phrases and pictures within four areas.

These phrases can be used to help plan lessons, construct learning intentions and agree success criteria.

Cognitive skills Pupil phrases

Problem solving

- come up with an idea
- try things out
- come up with a solution
- work it out



Focus

- & Concentration
- think carefully
- look closely
- think hard
- ignore distractions
- watch and listen
- block out other things



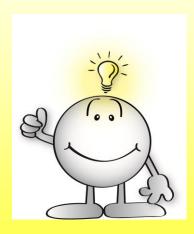
Decision making

- think of what to do
- make a decision
- what...?
- why...?
- when ...?
- how...?
- where ...?



Creativity

- come up with an idea
- make something up
- show imagination
- be inventive



Personal

Qualities

Pupil phrases

Motivation

- want to do it
- want to do my best
- keen to perform well
- really interested



Confidence & Self Esteem

- I can do it
- feel positive
- believe in myself
- feel good about myself
- feel comfortable



Determination & Resilience

- keep trying my best when things are hard
- go all out / try my hardest
- I will do it
- stickability
- bounce back



Responsibility & Leadership

- choosing to do the right thing
- to be in control of what you do
- reliable and sensible
- trusted to do your bit
- to lead and help others
- set a good example
- to organise & guide others



Respect & Tolerance

- polite & thoughtful
- listen to others' ideas
- treat others how you want to be treated
- understanding & kind
- accept others' decisions & actions
- understand that other people find things hard



Communication

- talk to your partner
- talk to your team-mates
- show signals or actions
- share information
- share ideas



Physical

Competencies

Kinaesthetic awareness

Pupil phrases

- it felt right / good
- I can feel how my body is moving
- I know when it feels right
- I know when it feels wrong



Balance & Control

- steady & stable
- not wobbly
- my body can do it
- being in control of my body
- moving without falling over



Coordination & Fluency

- different parts of the body working as one
- arms and legs working together
- smoothly
- flowing



Rhythm & Timing

- in time
- move at the right time
- move at the right speed
- move to the beat / music



Gross & Fine motor skills

- big controlled movements
 using arms, legs and whole body
- small precise movements using hands, fingers, feet & toes.



Physical Fitness

Pupil phrases

Stamina

- keep going when tired
- keep running
- keep moving for a long time



Speed

- fast
- quick
- slow to fast
- fast to slow



Core stability & Strength

- keep strong around back and tummy
- using strong muscles



Flexibility

- supple
- bendy
- stretchy
- moving arms & legs into wide shapes



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