

# Knowledge Organiser Dodgeball Year 3

Ladder Knowledge Throwing:

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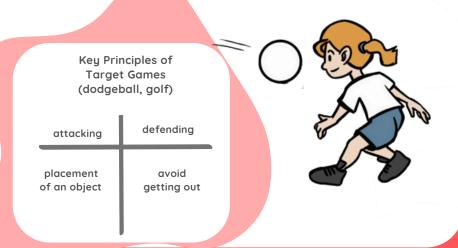
a moving target.

Catching:

Begin in a ready position to help you react to the ball.

### **About this Unit**

Dodgeball is a target game played between two teams. Players must dodge or catch balls thrown by the opposition whilst attempting to strike their opponents in the same way.



Movement Skills

- throw
- catch
- dodge
- jump

Social respect, co-operation, communication

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

Emotional honesty, self regulation, confidence

Thinking comprehension, select and apply, tactics

Rules

- A player is 'hit -out' when hit below the shoulders with a ball that has not bounced.
- A player is 'caught-out' when an opponent catches their throw.

**Tactics** 

Using simple tactics will help your team succeed e.g. spread out so that you are harder to aim for.

Healthu **Participation** 



- · Unused balls must be stored in a safe place.
- · Head shots do not count in dodgeball.

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

> How will this unit help your body?

agility, balance, co-ordination, speed. Find more games that develop these skills in the Home Learning Active Families tab on www.getset4education.co.uk

**Home Learning** 

### **Fireball**

What you need: 1 x pair rolled up socks, 2 x cushions, 2 x players

- · Practise throwing the socks to a partner.
- Every 4 successful catches move back a little bit and try again.

### How to play:

- Place the cushions 4m apart.
- · How many times can you run between the cushions without being hit by the socks.
- · Thrower can only aim below the shoulders





Head to our youtube channel to watch the skills videos for this unit.



## Key Vocabulary

agility: the ability to change direction quickly

caught out: when a player catches an opponent's ball deeming

**communicate**: share information

hit out: when a player in dodgeball is hit below the shoulders by a

live ball

opposition: the other team

power: speed and strength combined

tactic: a plan or strategu

teammate: a player on the same team as you

technique: the action used correctly

tournament: a competition of more than two teams