

Class Equipment	Fitness Stations & Game	<u> </u>	Relay Race		PE Game
List	 4 Tall Cones 	• 4 Sh	ort Cones	•	18 Dodgeballs
	 36 Beanbags 	• 30 B	eanbags	•	Short Cones
		• 2 Ag	ility Ladders		

Warm-Ups (5 min.): Mark start and end points 25 yards apart and have players go down and back.		
	Warm Up 1: Walking Arm Circles	
	Warm Up 2: High Kicks	
	Warm Up 3: Knee Hugs	
	Warm Up 4: Bear Crawls	
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Fitness Stations	& Game (20 min.)		
Stations (10 min.)	Station 1: Incline Push-Ups Station 2: Side Planks		
(==)	Station 3: Bicycles Station 4: Inch Worms		
	 Use 4 tall cones to designate 4 stations. Stations should be approximately 25 feet apart. Divide the players into 4 small groups—1 group per station. 		
	 All players begin at the same time by performing the fitness skill at their station for 30 seconds. When time is up, players can rotate by skipping, jogging, hopping, or running to the next station. 		
	Players should complete each station at least 3 times.		
Game (10 min.)	Beanbag Tag		
(20)	Create a field of play by having all players stand on one side. Place a cone on the opposite end to designate a boundary line. Change are player to be "it" and boys that player stand in the middle of the control of the contro		
	 Choose one player to be "it" and have that player stand in the middle of the playing field with 36 beanbags. 		
	 When the coach blows the whistle, all other players try to run from one end of the field of play to the other without being hit by a beanbag thrown by the "it" player. 		
	 Players who get hit with a beanbag must perform a 5-second plank and join the "it" player in the middle to help tag more players. 		
	The last player to get hit with a beanbag is the first "it" for the next round.		
	*Remind players that beanbags should be tossed at or below shoulder height.		



Relay Race (15 n	nin.)
Setup	Set up obstacle course or relay in a space that accommodates the size of the group.
Relay Instructions	 Divide players into even lines. Each team should have at least 15 beanbags in front of the short cone. When the coach blows the whistle, the first player in each line picks up a beanbag and tries to toss it into the first box of the ladder. If that player's beanbag lands in the first box, the player sprints past the ladder to the end cone and cheers on the team. The second player in line then picks up another beanbag and tries to toss it into the second box of the ladder. If players miss the appropriate box, they run to collect the beanbag they threw, bring it back to the team, perform 5 push-ups, and then get in the back of the line. This repeats until all boxes of the ladder have a beanbag. If players have not made it to the cheering team and all the boxes have been filled, repeat the steps starting with box 1. In this case, there may be more than one beanbag in each box.
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PE Game: Dodgeball (15 min.)		
Setup	Set up a field of play and create a midline with cones going across to divide the field of play.	
Game Instructions	 Goal of the game: to throw balls at targets while dodging balls. Divide players into 2 teams, standing on opposite sides of the field, each with half of the dodgeballs. When the Coach says, "Go!," players grab the balls and throw them at the other team, while staying on their half of the field. Players who are hit from the shoulders down go to the side. They can be out for the rest of the game or have to do jumping jacks, push-ups, or planks to get back into the game. If a player catches a thrown ball, the thrower is out. Play continues until all of one team's players are out or until time expires. Variations: instead of being hit from the shoulders down, it can be changed to waist down. 	



Mindfulness (60	sec.)
Setup	Group students at arm's lengths. Students should be calm and quiet before beginning. Complete the activity for 60 seconds.
Mindfulness Practice	Body Scan
	The body scan is one of the basic practices of mindfulness and an easy one to teach to children.
	Have your kids lie down on their backs on a comfortable surface and close their eyes.
	 Tell them to squeeze every muscle in their body as tight as they can. Tell them to squish their toes and feet, squeeze their hands into fists, and make their legs and arms as hard as stone.
	 After a few seconds, have them release all their muscles and relax for 20–30 seconds.
	Encourage them to think about how their body is feeling throughout the activity.

Stretching (5 mi	n.): Please choose the Yoga Stretches and/or Cooldown Stretches below to finish class.
Setup	Group students at arm's lengths. Students should be calm and quiet before beginning.
	1 breath = 4 counts in, 4 counts out. Start each sequence with 2–3 rounds of breath.
Yoga Stretches	 1. Plow Pose Lie flat on your back with your legs extended and your arms at your sides, palms down. Use your stomach muscles to lift your legs and hips up toward the ceiling. Bring your torso perpendicular to the floor. Straighten your legs and slowly lower your toes to the floor behind your head with your legs fully extended. If your toes do not yet touch the floor, support your back with your hands. Lower your legs as far as possible, keeping your legs straight. Take 2 breaths by the time you have extended your legs and 6 breaths with your legs extended. Then lift your feet from the floor and draw your knees toward your ears. Take 2 breaths in this position.
	 Butterfly Pose From a seated position, bend your knees so that the soles of your feet touch each other.



Bring your heels as close in toward your body as possible.
Wrap your hands around your feet or ankles.
 Gently press your forearms or elbows into your thighs so that your knees move toward the floor.
Fold forward from your hips so that your chest moves toward the floor.
Hold for 6 breaths.
3. Seated Spinal Twist
Sit up straight with both legs out in front of you.
Cross your right foot to the outside of your left thigh.
Bring your left foot back beside your right hip.
Place your right fingertips behind you.
Hug your left knee into your chest.
Inhale, sitting up tall.
 Exhale and twist to the right from the base of your spine.
Hold for 5 breaths, then switch sides (left foot to outside of right thigh, right foot beside

left hip, left fingertips behind you, hugging the right knee into the chest and twist to the

Cooldown Streto	ches (5 min.)
Setup	Group students at arm's lengths. Complete each stretch twice.
Cooldown Stretches	 1. Arm Stretches Across Body Bring one arm across your chest and pull on it slightly with the other hand pressing it against your chest. Hold for 30 seconds. Switch sides and repeat. 2. Arm Stretches Behind Body Put hands behind body and interlock fingers. Once interlocked, see how far you can raise your arms. Hold for 30 seconds. 3. Side Reach Raise your hands in the air and reach to one side. Hold for 30 seconds. Repeat on opposite side. 4. Toe Touch Twists With your feet wide, touch your right hand to your left foot and twist your left arm to the sky. Hold for 30 seconds. Switch sides and repeat.

left) and hold for 5 breaths.