

Class 47

Class Equipment	Fitness Stations & Game	<b>Obstacle Course</b>	PE Game
List	4 Tall Cones	• 1 Short Cone	• 1 Playground Ball
	<ul> <li>2 Agility Ladders</li> </ul>	• 3 Hula Hoops	• 5 Dots/Poly Spots
	• Dodgeballs (1 per pair)	<ul> <li>3 Bean Bags</li> </ul>	
		• 1 Agility Ladder	
		• 1 Soccer Ball	
		6 Tall Cones	

Warm Up 1: Skip Forward and Backwards	
Warm Up 2: Side Shuffle	
Warm Up 3: Butt Kickers	
Warm Up 4: Sprint	

Fitness Stations 8	<u>. Game</u> (20 min.)	
Stations	Station 1: Step-Ups	
(10 min.)	Station 2: In, In, Out, Out	
	Station 3: Liners	
	Station 4: Squats	
	<ul> <li>Use 4 tall cones to designate 4 stations. Stations should be approximately 25 feet apart.</li> <li>Divide the players into 4 small groups—1 group per station.</li> <li>All players begin at the same time by performing the fitness skill at their</li> </ul>	
	station for 40 seconds. When time is up, players can rotate by skipping,	
	jogging, hopping, or running to the next station.	
	<ul> <li>Players should complete each station at least 3 times.</li> </ul>	
Game (10 min.)	Head, Shoulders, Knees, Toes, Ball	
· · ·	Divide players into pairs.	
	Place a ball in the middle of each pair.	
	• Coach will say, "Head," "Shoulders," "Knees," or "Toes" in any order.	
	<ul> <li>Players should touch whichever part of their body the coach calls out.</li> <li>When the coach yells, "Ball!," the players race to grab the ball.</li> </ul>	
	• The first player to grab the ball calls out an exercise for the other player to do 5x.	
	Repeat for time.	
	* Coach should encourage students to pick different exercises.	



<b>Obstacle Cours</b>	<u>e</u> (15 min.)
Setup and Instructions	Set up obstacle course or relay in a space that accommodates the size of the group. Use the diagram below when setting up.
	One person at a time starts the course. Players run to the first hula hoop, pick up a beanbag, and throw it up high in the air. The player immediately jumps and spins 360 degrees, then tries to catch the beanbag before it hits the ground. They get three tries at each hula hoop to catch the beanbag. Players should run between hula hoops. From the last hula hoop, players run to the agility ladder, where a coach tells them how to go through the ladder (e.g., hop on one foot, hopscotch, two feet in and two feet out, etc.). Next, players kick a soccer ball in a figure "8" pattern around the tall cones to the end of the course.
Diagram	Jump, Turn, and Catch
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	Soccer Ball Figure Eights Agility Ladder

PE Game: Kickba	<u>ll</u> (15 min.)
Setup	Using dots/poly spots, set up a kickball field with 4 bases and 1 pitcher's mound.
Game	Goal of the game: to kick the ball and make it around the bases without getting out and
Instructions	fielding the ball to get the other team out.
	Baseball rules apply.
	• Pitcher (can be the coach, a player from the fielding team, or a player from their own team) rolls the ball to the kicker.
	• The kicker must kick the ball and try to make it to a base without getting out. To get a player out, the fielding team must tag a runner with the ball or step on the base while holding the ball before the runner gets to the base.
	• When a team has 3 outs, they switch, the fielding team becomes the kicking team.
	• Variations: for younger players, the game can be played without a pitcher by placing the ball on home plate so the kicker can kick the ball while it is still.
	Bases can be moved closer or farther apart. Try playing with an everyone-kicks



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	rule instead of switching from kicking to fielding after 3 outs.	
Mindfulness (6	0 sec.)	
Setup	Group students at arm's lengths. Students should be calm and quiet before beginning. Complete the activity for 60 seconds.	
Mindfulness	4-7-8 Breath	
Practice	Have the students find any comfortable seated position. Instruct them to keep their tongues pressed against the back of their top teeth during the entire sequence of breath.	
	Then instruct them to:	
	• Exhale through their mouths, then close their mouths.	
	• Breathe in through the nose for a count of 4.	
	Hold their breath for a count of 7.	
	• Exhale through their mouths (with whooshing sound) for a count of 8.	
	<ul> <li>Close their mouths and repeat all steps 4x.</li> </ul>	

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<u>Stretching</u> (5 min	.): Please choose the Yoga Stretches and/or Cooldown Stretches below to finish class.	
Setup	Group students at arm's lengths. Student's 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. Wide-Legged Forward Fold	
	Interlace your hands behind your back.	
	Step your feet wide apart.	
	<ul> <li>Turn your toes slightly in and your heels slightly out.</li> </ul>	
	• Inhale and lengthen your torso, reaching the crown of your head up toward	
	<ul><li>the ceiling.</li><li>Exhaling, fold forward at the hips.</li></ul>	
	Gently drop your head.	
	<ul> <li>Bring your hands to rest on the floor between your feet.</li> </ul>	
	Take 10 breaths total, gently and slowly moving side to side like a pendulum.	
	2. Malasan (Yogi's Squat <b>)</b>	
	• Squat with your feet as close together as possible. (Keep your heels on the	
	floor if you can; otherwise, support them on a folded mat, rug, or towel.)	
	Separate your thighs slightly wider than your torso.	



<ul> <li>Exhaling, lean your torso forward and fit it snugly between your thighs.</li> <li>Press your elbows against your inner knees and resist the knees into the elbows.</li> </ul>
Hold for 8 breaths.
3. Supine Spinal Twist
• From a supine position (lying on the back), bend your left knee and cross it outside of your right foot.
<ul> <li>Use your hand to put slight pressure on the left knee to push it toward the floor.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Keep both shoulders squared and rooted to the floor.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Extend your arms to a T perpendicular to the torso.</li> </ul>
• Turn your head so your eyes can see to the left.
Take 5 breaths, then repeat on the opposite side (right knee crossed outside the left
foot, head turned so eyes can see to the right) for 5 breaths.

Cooldown Stretc	hes (5 min.)
Setup	Group students at arm's lengths. Complete each stretch twice.
Cooldown Stretches	<ol> <li>Flamingo Stretch</li> <li>Stand on one leg. Grab the ankle of the opposite leg to stretch your quad. Hold for 30 seconds. Switch sides and repeat.</li> </ol>
	<ul> <li>2. Toe Touch</li> <li>With straight legs and your feet pointed forward, reach down as far as possible to touch your toes. Hold for 30 seconds.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>3. Side Reach</li> <li>Raise your hands in the air and reach to one side. Hold for 30 seconds. Switch sides and repeat.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>4. Toe Touch Twists</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>