

Class Equipment	Fitness Stations & Game	Obstacle Course	<u>PE Game</u>
List	• 4 Tall Cones	• 4 Hurdles	Bean Bags (1 per player)
	Dodgeballs (1 per pair)	• 10 Dots/Poly Spots	Short Cones
		• 1 Sandbell	
		6 Hula Hoops	
		• 2 Short Cones	

Warm-Ups (5 min.): Mark start and end points 25 yards apart and have players go down and back.	
	Warm Up 1: Toe Walks
	Warm Up 2: Heel Scoops
	Warm Up 3: Quad Stretch
	Warm Up 4: Heel Walks

Fitness Stations &	Game (20 min.)	
Stations	Station 1: Squat Holds	
(10 min.)	Station 2: Spider Lunges	
	Station 3: Single Leg Balance	
	Station 4: Shoulder Taps	
	<ul> <li>Use 4 tall cones to designate 4 stations. Each station should be approximately 25 feet apart.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Divide the players into 4 small groups—1 group per station.</li> </ul>	
	• All players begin at the same time by performing the fitness skill at their station for 40	
	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	Head, Shoulders, Knees, Toes, Ball!	
(10 min.)		
	Players divide into pairs.	
	Place a ball in the middle of each pair.	
	<ul> <li>Coach will say, "Head," "Shoulders," "Knees," or "Toes," in any order.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Players should touch whichever part of their body the coach calls out.</li> </ul>	
	When the coach yells, "Ball!", players race to grab the ball.	
	<ul> <li>The first player to grab the ball calls out an exercise for the other player to do 5 times.</li> <li>Repeat for time.</li> </ul>	
	* Coach should encourage students to pick different exercises.	



<b>Obstacle Course</b>	(15 min.)
Setup and	Set up obstacle course or relay in a space that accommodates the size of the group. Use
Instructions	the diagram below when setting up.
	One person at a time starts the course. Jump over each hurdle with two feet. Jump on the dots, landing on one foot for each dot. Raise a sandbell up over head and place it back down. Repeat 5 times. Jump from one hula hoop to the next with two feet. Run to the end and finish with 5 push-ups.
Diagram	
	Hurdles Dots Sandbell
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	Push-Ups Run Hula-Hoops

PE Game: Bean Bag Balance Tag (15 min.)	
Setup	Set up a field of play. Use cones, if necessary, to mark boundaries. Boundary should be about the size of a basketball court or smaller. This game could be played inside a classroom.
Game Instructions	<ul> <li>Goal of the game: Keep the bean bag balanced on the head while tagging people and helping others.</li> <li>Everyone starts with a bean bag balanced on their head (no holding the bean bag on head with hands).</li> <li>Everyone in this game is "it."</li> <li>Players try to tag each other while balancing the bean bag on their head.</li> <li>Players who let their bean bags fall off or are tagged, become frozen. They drop the bean bag next to them on the ground and wait to be saved.</li> <li>To be saved, another player must pick up the frozen player's bean bag while still balancing their own bean bag on their head. If the player who is doing the saving drops their own bean bag, both players remain frozen.</li> <li>Variations: Bean bags can be balanced on head, shoulder, or back of the hand.</li> </ul>



Mindfulness (30	Mindfulness (30 sec.)	
Setup	Group students at arm's length. Students should be calm and quiet before beginning.	
	Complete the activity for 30 seconds.	
Mindfulness	4-7-8 Breath	
Practice	Have the students find any comfortable seated position. Instruct them to keep their	
	tongue pressed against the back of their top teeth during the entire sequence of breath.	
	Then instruct them to:	
	Exhale through the mouth and then close the mouth.	
	Breath in through the nose for a count of 4.	
	Hold their breath for a count of 7.	
	<ul> <li>Exhale through their mouth (with whooshing sound) for a count of 8.</li> </ul>	
	Close the mouth and repeat all steps 4 times.	

Stretching (5 min	.): Please choose the Yoga Stretches or Cooldown Stretches below to finish class, or if time
permits, you can	do both.
Setup	Group students at arm's length. 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	<ul> <li>1. Wide-Legged Forward Fold</li> <li>Interlace the hands behind the back.</li> <li>Step your feet wide apart.</li> <li>Turn your toes slightly in and your heels slightly out.</li> <li>Inhale and lengthen your torso, reaching the crown of your head up toward the ceiling.</li> <li>Exhaling, fold forward at the hips.</li> <li>Gently drop your head.</li> <li>Bring your hands to rest on the floor between your legs.</li> <li>Take 10 breaths total, gently, slowly moving side to side like a pendulum.</li> <li>2. Malasan (Yogi's Squat)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>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.)</li> <li>Separate your thighs slightly wider than your torso.</li> <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.
<ul> <li>3. Supine Spinal Twist</li> <li>From a supine position (lying on the back), bend the left knee and cross it outside of the right foot.</li> <li>Use your hand to put slight pressure on the left knee to push it toward the floor.</li> <li>Keep both shoulders squared and rooted to the floor.</li> <li>Extend the arms to a T, perpendicular to the torso.</li> <li>Turn the head, so the eyes can see to the left.</li> </ul>
Take 5 breaths and 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 Stretches (5 min.)	
Setup	Group students at arm's length. Complete each stretch twice.
Cooldown Stretches	<ul> <li>1. Flamingo Stretch</li> <li>Stand on one leg. Grab the ankle of the opposite leg to stretch quad. Hold for 30 seconds. Switch sides and repeat.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>2. Toe Touch</li> <li>With straight legs and 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. Repeat with opposite side.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>4. Toe Touch Twists</li> <li>With your feet wide apart, 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>