## FIT KIDS

## Class 3 Unit 1: Locomotor Skills

6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>

| Class     | 8 tall cones |
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| Equipment | 2 hula-hoops |
| List      |              |

Warm-Up Choose 3 activities from the list of warm-ups to start class.

| Fitness Focus: Push, Balance, Power (15 min.) |                                                                                                                                                                                                              |  |
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| Fitness Stations                              | Station 1: 30-sec. plank                                                                                                                                                                                     |  |
|                                               | Station 2: 15-sec. single leg hop, perform on each side                                                                                                                                                      |  |
|                                               | Station 3: 30-sec. broad jump                                                                                                                                                                                |  |
|                                               | Station 4: 15-sec. single leg stand, perform on each side                                                                                                                                                    |  |
|                                               | <ul> <li>Use 4 tall cones to designate 4 stations. Each station should be approximately 25 yards apart.</li> </ul>                                                                                           |  |
|                                               | <ul> <li>Divide the players into 4 small groups—1 group per station.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                              |  |
|                                               | <ul> <li>All players begin at the same time by performing the fitness skill at their station.</li> <li>When all players are ready to rotate, they can skip, jog, hop, or run to the next station.</li> </ul> |  |
|                                               | <ul> <li>Complete as many rotations as possible in 15 minutes.</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                    |  |

| Relay Race (15 min.) |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| 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.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|                      | Divide the players into 2 teams and have them line up behind a start cone with an end cone 25 yards away. One player at a time rolls the hula-hoop from the start cone to the end cone and back. If the hula-hoop falls flat, players must stop and do 5 push-ups before picking up the hula-hoop and continuing. |
| Diagram              | START $\rightarrow$ $\triangle$ $\rightarrow$ 25 yards $\rightarrow$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |



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| PE Game: Locomotor Practice (20 min.) |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |
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| Setup                                 | Designate a field of play based on the number of players.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| Game<br>Instructions                  | <ul> <li>Divide players into even lines and have them line up at one end of the field of play.</li> <li>The coach calls out different locomotor movements for players to perform from one end of the field to the other.</li> <li>Remember this is a race! The goal for the players is to reach the opposite end of the field of play first.</li> <li>This repeats until all students get to the other side and then again to get back to the beginning.</li> <li>*Movement Ideas: Running, skipping, galloping, sliding, walking backward, etc.</li> </ul> |  |

| Cooldown | Choose 3 stretches from the list of stretches to end class. |
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