

## **PHYSICAL LITERACY** Warm-up Age 9 and 10

## 1. Dynamics - This engages large muscle groups to prepare the body for physical activity

Alternate jogging 20 metres out and doing activity sequence below on the way back.

Activity sequence

- 1) Butt kicks (C drill)
- 2) Mini-skip
- 3) Backward mini-steps fast
  - 4) Side shuffle

- 5) Grapevine
- 6) High knees
- 7) Right to lefts one footed hops
- 8) Knee hug and lunge (trunk twist twist)

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2. Accelerations - These drills provide neuromuscular and cardiovascular benefit	ts by maximizing power output	
a) Drop and Go start: Standing to drop down to floor, up and accelerate	Accelerate 20 metres Jog back	
b) Twistie Start "2": Stand sideways with right foot forward, jump up and rotate 180, and back again – then accelerate	Accelerate 20 metres Jog back	
c) Twistie Start "3": Stand sideways with right foot forward, jump up and rotate 180°, back and forth and back again – then accelerate	Accelerate 20 metres Jog back	
d) "3,3,3" - Do two tuck jumps, two pushups, two burpees – then accelerate	Accelerate 15 metres Jog back	

-	3. Ladders - This drill involves quick steps and eye-feet coordination, which will i	mprove agility, reaction, and awareness

- a) In in out out
- e) Rapid thru f) High knees
- i) Out 5x then jump 3

b) Icky shuffle c) Scissors R

d) Scissors L

- q) Twisties h) Cross outs
- i) Lateral Crossovers Two passes of each

## 4. Weaving Pylon Drill - This drill provides repetition-based cutting manoeuvring - neuromuscular activation training

Weave through 10 pylons set 1.2 - 1.5 metres apart. Two times starting on the right of the first pylon, two times starting on the left of the first pylon. Set up one circuit for every ten athletes.

Weave 20 metres Jog back

## 5. Mini core routine - These activities activate the body's core stabilizing muscles - particularly the trunk section

a) Plank

- f) Super man plank left
- b) Up up down down plank
- g) Side plank right h) Side plank left
- c) Pointer plank right d) Pointer plank left e) Super man plank right
- i) Side plank with snap rollovers

10 - 15 seconds each task

For more information on the skills and activities above, visit www.canadiansportforlife.ca/dplwarmup





