

PHYSICAL LITERACY Warm-up Age 11 and up

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)

2. Accelerations - These drills provide neuromuscular and cardiovascular ben	efits by maximizing power output
a) Drop and Go Start: Drop down to floor, then 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) "5,5,5" - Do five tuck jumps, five pushups, five burpees – then accelerate	Accelerate 20 metres Jog back
3. Ladders - This drill involves quick steps and ave feet coordination which we	to be a control of the control of th

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a) In in out out	e) Rapid thru	i) Out 5x then jump3	
b) lcky shuffle	f) High knees	j) Lateral Crossovers	Two passes of each
c) Scissors R	g) Twisties	k) Continuous jump	-
d) Scissors L	h) Cross outs		O Li

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

Weave through 10 pylons set 2 metres apart. Five times starting on the right of the first pylon, five 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 c) Pointer plank right

g) Side plank right h) Side plank left

10 - 30 seconds each task

d) Pointer plank left

e) Super man plank right

i) Side plank with snap rollovers

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





