



Year 4 - Spring 1 - PE Knowledge Organiser

What I already know...

- The importance of learning from mistakes and improving.
- The importance of hand-eye coordination in sports

What I will learn...

- To develop a range of skills and how to apply these in different ways.
- To collaborate and communicate when working with others or competing against them.
- Throwing, catching and running with the ball
- To develop an understanding of how to defend using tagging rules
- To use the forward pass and offside rule
- To develop movement skills to dodge a defender
- To track an opponent and begin to defend as a team
- To apply the rules and skills to play in a tag rugby tournament

Key Vocabulary

evade	to avoid being tagged
passing	to send the ball to a teammate by throwing it to them
catching	to receive and hold possession of the ball with the hands
carry	to move the ball in your hands
tagging	to touch the player in possession of the ball
scoring	a try is scored when the ball is placed over the try line

How to be a tag rugby player:

Disciplinary Knowledge:

PE skills I will learn...

- Catch, throw, run, change direction and change speed.
- To support others, inclusion, communication, collaboration and respect.
- Determination, honesty, independence and perseverance



Making a difference at The Merton and beyond

Tag Rugby is a minimal contact team game in which each player wears shorts with Velcro patches and two tags attached to them. The mode of play is similar to rugby league or touch rugby, with attacking players attempting to dodge, evade and pass a rugby ball, whilst defenders attempt to prevent them from scoring by 'tagging' – pulling one of the attackers' Velcro-attached tags off.

At The Merton, it is our aim to give children the opportunity to experience a range of different sports and learn a range of skills.

Maybe they will find a sport they want to pursue in the future?