

## PHYSICAL LITERACY **Movement Preparation 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) Mini-skip 5) High knees 2) Side shuffle 6) Butt kicks

3) Grapevine 7) Right to lefts one footed hops

4) Backward mini-steps fast	ackward mini-steps fast 8) Knee hug and lunge (trunk twist optional)	
2. Accelerations - These drills provi	de neuromuscular and cardiovascular benefits	s by maximizing power output
a) Drop-and-Go Start: Standing to drop down to floor, up and accelerate		Accelerate <b>20 metres</b> Jog back
b) Twistie Start "2": Stand sideways with right foot forward, jump up and rotate $180^\circ$ , and back again – then accelerate		Accelerate <b>20 metres</b> 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 <b>20 metres</b> Jog back
d) "3,3,3" - Do three tuck jumps, three pushups, three burpees – then accelerate		Accelerate <b>15 metres</b> Jog back
3. Ladders - This drill involves quick	steps and eye-feet coordination, which will in	mprove agility, reaction, and awareness
<ul><li>a) In in out out</li><li>b) Icky shuffle</li><li>c) Scissors Right</li><li>d) Scissors Left</li><li>e) Rapid through</li></ul>	f) Twisties g) High knees h) Cross outs i) Out 5x then jump 3 j) Lateral Crossovers	Two passes of each
<b>4. Weaving Pylon Drill -</b> This drill provides repetition-based cutting manoeuvring		g – neuromuscular activation training
Weave through 10 pylons set 1.2 - 1.5 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 through each pylon Jog back
5. Mini Core Routine - These activi	ties activate the body's core stabilizing muscle	es – particularly the trunk section
a) Plank b) Up up down down plank c) Pointer plank right d) Pointer plank left e) Superman plank right	f) Superman plank left g) Side plank right h) Side plank left i) Side plank with snap rollovers	<b>5 - 10 seconds</b> each task

For more information on the skills and activities above, visit: physicalliteracy.ca/movement-prep







