

Year 4 Physical Education: Mastering Invasion Games

Learning objective: To assess understanding of tactics, rules, and physical skills required for successful participation in invasion games.

Read each question carefully. Use your knowledge of teamwork, spatial awareness, and game rules to provide your best answers. Write clearly and show your working where necessary.

Max the monkey is organising a game for his friends. The goal is to move an object into the opponent's territory while the other team tries to stop them. Everyone must work together to move into open space and make sure they pass the ball accurately to their teammates.

Word bank: possession · tactics · intercept · defending · attacking · space · communication · dribbling · marking

1. Explain what is meant by 'creating space' in an invasion game. Why is it important for the attacking team? (2 marks)

2. Max is running with the ball. Give two examples of how his teammates can help him move the ball towards the goal. (2 marks)

3. What does it mean to 'mark' an opponent? Describe one safe way to do this without fouling. (2 marks)

4. If your team loses possession of the ball, what should your immediate reaction be? Explain why. (2 marks)

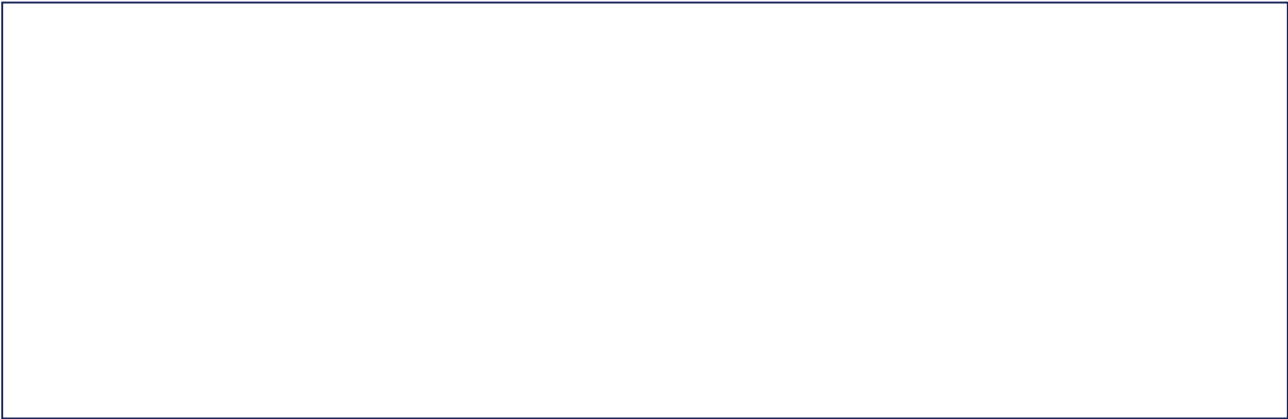
5. Why is clear communication between teammates essential during a match? Give an example of a useful phrase to call out. (2 marks)

6. Imagine you are the captain of a team. Describe a specific tactic you would use to score a goal against a very strong defending team. Include how you would use your teammates to succeed. (4 marks)

7. You are refereeing a game. Two players disagree over a rule. Explain how you would resolve the situation fairly and how you would encourage good sportsmanship afterwards. (4 marks)

8. Write a short report (approx. 100 words) on the importance of teamwork in invasion games. Include how individual skills (like dribbling or passing) contribute to the team's overall success and how to handle losing a game with grace. (5 marks)

Draw: Draw a diagram of a pitch. Show your team in blue and the opposing team in red. Use arrows to show one player passing to a teammate who is running into open space.



Extension challenge: Total: /25