

Max's Team Game Tactics: Strategy and Sportsmanship

Learning objective: To analyse the tactical requirements of a team game and reflect on the importance of cooperation and sportsmanship in physical education.

Max the monkey loves to turn every sport into a maths puzzle! Use this template to plan your own team game. Think about the rules, the positions, and how your team will work together to succeed. Fill in each section carefully, remembering that teamwork is the most important part of the game.

Word bank: Strategy · Tactics · Cooperation · Communication · Sportsmanship · Positioning · Fair play · Formation

1. Game Name and Objective: What is the name of your game, and what is the main way to score points or win? (2 marks)

2. Team Roles and Positions: List two different positions in your game and explain what each player needs to do to support their teammates. (3 marks)

3. Communication Strategy: How will your team talk to each other during the game to make sure everyone knows the plan? (2 marks)

4. Rules for Fair Play: List two rules that ensure everyone stays safe and plays fairly. Why are these rules important? (3 marks)

5. Reflection on Success: Max says that a good team is more than just skilled players. Explain how you can show good sportsmanship if your team loses a match. (3 marks)

Extension challenge: Design a 'Formation Diagram' on the back of this sheet. Draw where each player should stand at the start of the game to cover the most space effectively.