

GAMES FOR LEARNING FITNESS KNOWLEDGE



SKILL-RELATED FITNESS CHALLENGE CARD

TEACHER'S COPY

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5	Standing Long Jump	How far out can you jump from a standing position? Repeat 5 times.	Power
6	Shuttle Sprints	Begin at the start line (marked by cone). Race to the end line (marked by cone). How many times can you touch each line in 20 seconds?	Speed/Agility
7	Side Plank	Hold a side plank for a count of 15. Repeat with the other arm.	Balance
8	Race	Safely move around the boundary 1 time. Count how long it takes to do 1 lap. If there's time, try again.	Speed
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10	Dice Roll	Each partner takes one die. Decide which math operation (addition, multiplication, etc.) you want to use. Roll the dice at the same time and see who can get the answer the quickest. The first one to answer 3 the quickest and correctly wins!	Reaction Time
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12	Fitness Test	Fitness Assessment Station	N/A



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