

Westleigh Methodist Primary School Nursery Physical Development LTP Progression of Skills and Knowledge



With God, all things are possible – Matthew 19:26

Love Teamwork Thankfulness Generosity Peace Forgiveness Equality Justice

Statutory Guidance from the EYFS Framework for Physical Development: Physical activity is vital in children's all-round development, enabling them to pursue happy, healthy and active lives. Gross and fine motor experiences develop incrementally throughout early childhood, starting with sensory explorations and the development of a child's strength, co-ordination and positional awareness through tummy time, crawling and play movement with both objects and adults. By creating games and providing opportunities for play both indoors and outdoors, adults can support children to develop their core strength, stability, balance, spatial awareness, co-ordination and agility. Gross motor skills provide the foundation for developing healthy bodies and social and emotional well-being. Fine motor control and precision helps with hand-eye co-ordination, which is later linked to early literacy. Repeated and varied opportunities to explore and play with small world activities, puzzles, arts and crafts and the practice of using small tools, with feedback and support from adults, allow children to develop proficiency, control and confidence.

FISTED GRIP	DIGITAL PRONATE GRIP	4 FINGER GRIP HIGH INDEX	HOOKED WRIST OR EXTENDED WRIST	CROSS THUMB	THUMB TUCK	JOINT OF INDEX FINGER AND THUMB IN A FLEXED POSITION	INDEX FINGER JOINT IN HYPER EXTENDED POSITION	THUMB IN HYPER EXTENDED POSITION	STATIC TRIPOD GRIP 3 FINGER GRASP	LATERAL TRIPOD	DYNAMIC TRIPOD GRIP
1-2 YEARS	2-3 YEARS	3-4 YEARS		4-6 YEARS						6-7 YEARS	
	a se	the high index	consider with a sound of the so	the cross thumb	the thumb tuck	joints of index finger and thumb in a flexed position	index finger joint in hyperextended position	thumb joint in hyperestended position		the lateral tripod	
Pencil held in the palm. All fingers and thumb are used. Movement is from the shoulder so the arm and the hand	All fingers are holding the pencil but the wrist is turned so that the palm is facing down. Movement comes mostly from the elbow. Horizontal lines, vertical lines and	Fingers are held on the pencil beginning to form the arc between the thumb and index finger. Movement occurs from the wrist; the hand and fingers move together.	A three-finger grasp, where the thumb, index finger and middle finger work as one unit. Movement is usually from the wrist with this static grasp. A static quadropod grip has a fourth finger involved. Triangles, circles and squares can be copied with this grip.							Pencil is held in a stable position between the thumb, index and middle finger. The ring and little fingers are bent and rest comfortably on the table. The index finger and thumb form an open	

move as a	circular lines are	Zigzag lines,	space. Movement
unit.	able to be	crossed lines and	comes from the
Light	copied.	simple humans	fingertips.
scribbles		can be drawn.	This is the ideal grip to
can be			move the pencil
drawn.			accurately.

	<u>Autumn 1</u>	<u>Autumn 2</u>	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2			
eneral yearly Physical Development progression	 Supporting children to pick up heavier items with two hands and handling heavier objects carefully – or asking for support. Balancing on one foot for short periods of time – still or hopping. Learning to climb with care. Learning to navigate simple obstacles e.g. walking across planks, jumping off small steps. Learning how to co-ordinate a large ball e.g. rolling, throwing, catching, playing games. Learning to ride a balance bike by 'scooting' along and using feet as brakes. 								
PE units	Movement Skills: Balancing, travelling, jumping, rolling, climbing, obstacle	Dance Listening to music Following actions slowly and quickly Negotiate space and obstacles safely, with consideration for themselves and others Demonstrate strength, balance and coordination Move energetically	Ball skills Throwing & catching Balancing, Travelling with a ball Rolling a ball Target Aim	Gymnastics Travelling in different ways Using different speeds – stop/go/fast/slow Staying steady Staying safe Begin to balance with some control Balancing on beams Can use different body parts to move	Team games: Circle games, parachute, playground games	Olympics Travelling, obstacles, balancing, throwing.			
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Gross Motor Development Intent	Walk and crawl confidently. Climb using two feet at a time. Knowing how to scoop and pour e.g. sand, mud. To run around the setting with some control and direction. Clapping and stamping to music.	Begin to move slowly on a balance bike. Begin to use a climbing frame with support from an adult. Being able to use a swing with some independence.	Children putting on their own coat (needing support to do their coat up still), Children putting on their own shoes. Going up and down stairs with control and balance.	Children can kick a large ball with some control. Children can throw a ball with some control. To begin to balance on one leg. To dance with control using different parts of their body. To use the available equipment to create an obstacle course to navigate.	To use a balance bike more confidently. To run with more confidence and skill. To independently use a climbing frame or similar resource, To begin to show good posture when sitting on the carpet.	To make up own movements with their bo To begin to use their co muscle strength to achie good posture when sitti on the floor or at the tab To be able to climb safe Children choosing the ric equipment to move safe			
Vocabulary	Walk, crawl, skill, carefully, safe, safely, scoop, use, pour, dig, tools, sand, mud, water, run, careful, clapping, stamping.	Balance, careful, bike, safe, safely, climb, high, feet, watch, hands, help, swing, kick, move, jump.	Coat, independently, by yourself, help, ask, shoes, up, down, watch, careful, safely, control, balance.	Kick, large, ball, hands, feet, fast, slow, watch, control, balance, leg, hop, jump, still, dance, obstacle, move, jump.	Balance, bike, look, watch, careful, skill, navigate, independently, climb, frame, careful, safe, straight, cross legs, cross arms, smart sitting.	Dance, Move, Sit, sitting straight, smart sitting posture, floor, carpet, ta pen, pencil, scissors, b racket, rope, cone.			

	Children playing games that	Children using balance	Children encouraged to put	Children having a range of	Children having access to	Children having music to
Implementation	involve walking and	bikes with guidance from	on their coat and shown	different sized balls to play	balance bikes to use	dance to and move to,
	crawling, adults modelling	adults in the provision,	how to do this step by step,	with independently, children	independently, Children	Children sitting at tables,
	good posture when walking	children having access to a	children encouraged to put	supported to balance on	having access to a climbing	sitting on the carpet,
	and crawling, children	climbing frame and	on their shoes and shown	one leg and playing games	frame and obstacle like	children having access to a
	supported on a climbing	supported to use them,	how to do this step by step,	where they balance on one	equipment, children given	range of tools and
	frame physically and	children using a swing and	children going up and down	leg, children provided with	time to sit and listen on the	equipment such as pens,
	verbally, children having	verbally supported or	stairs to develop confidence	music to dance to and	carpet and supported to sit	scissors, balls, rackets,
	access to mud, sand, water,	modelled to - how to use.	and independence to do so.	adults to model dances for	correctly during this time.	cones to use.
	children dancing and			children to follow.		
	clapping during a guided					
	singing time.					

Fine Motor development Intent	Children using a palm grip when using mark making tools. Children using a spoon to feed themselves correctly. Children using spring loaded scissors to make snips into paper with adult support.	Children mark making by scribbling and colouring. Children exploring a range of fine motor activities Children using a spoon and a fork to feed themselves.	Beginning to use a four finger grip to use mark making tools Using construction equipment correctly to build e.g. Duplo, Magnitiles. To develop more independence when using spring loaded scissors.	Children making more controlled marks when drawing and mark making, Children manipulating dough through rolling, squeezing, balling and patting.	Children using a two finger and a thumb grip. I can draw and paint clearer shapes and pictures when drawing and painting. Children showing some threading skills.	Children using pencils and other equipment comfortably for them. Children beginning to make snips in paper either using one hand or two independently. Children turning pages in a book one at a time. Children may form some letters in their name.
Vocabulary	Pencils, tools, spoon, food, feed, safely, hand, scissors, snips.	Pen, pencils, scissors, paintbrush, finger, finger strong, dough, dough disco, colouring, spoon, fork.	Pencil, grip, hand, fingers, skill, scissors, snips, control, build, independence.	Mark making, pencils, pens, colours, dough, dough disco, rolling, squeezing, balling, patting, poking.	Thumb and fingers, pencil, grip, draw, pencil, shape, drawing, care, time, threading.	Pencils, tools, equipment, safely, hand, scissors, snips, letters, letter shapes.
Implementation	Pencils available for children at all times, spring loaded scissors available for children to use. Children supported to feed themselves.	Fine motor activities in the class as well as adult guided activities – drawing, writing, cutting, tracing ect. Children having access to mark making materials at all times. Children encouraged to feed themselves with spoons and forks.	Adults supporting children to develop their pencil grip – verbally, moving fingers, construction kits available for the children to use.	Children having access to mark making materials to use independently. Children having dough to use and manipulate Adults modelling the use of dough and how to draw with skill.	Adults supporting children to develop their pencil grip – verbally, moving fingers, pencil grips if children need support. Threading activities and independent activities to e.g. leaves and string, children being able to draw freely.	Pencils available for children at all times, scissors available for children to use, activities for children that include mark making, name writing and snipping paper.

The Reception expectations in PSED for reference. Where are children going?

needs.

Self-Regulation • Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly. • Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate. • Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity, and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.

Managing Self • Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. • Explain the reasons for rules, know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly. • Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices.

Building Relationships • Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others. • Form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers. • Show sensitivity to their own and to others'