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How to plan a meaningful return to school sport in the spring and summer terms that is designed to help children and young people recover from the impact of COVID-19

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Areas we will cover today

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Policy







DfE Guidance – Physical Activity

Where you are considering **team sports** you should only consider those sports whose **national governing bodies** have developed guidance under the principles of the government's **guidance on team sport** and **been approved by the government**.

Competition between different schools should not take place until wider grassroots sport for under 18s is permitted.

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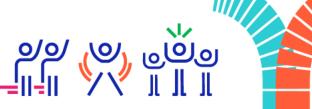
DfE Guidance -After-school activities and wraparound care from 8 March:

Under-18 sport can take place at school as part of educational provision, or as part of wraparound care.

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From 29 March – Step 1

Outdoor sports facilities reopen, broadening the options for outdoor exercise and recreation. These facilities, such as tennis and basketball courts, and swimming pools, can be used by people in line with the wider social contact limits.

Formally organised outdoor sports – for adults and under 18s - can also restart and will not be subject to the gatherings limits, but should be compliant with guidance issued by national governing bodies







Step 2 (no earlier than 12 April) will allow:

All children will be able to attend any indoor children's activity, including sport, regardless of circumstance. Parent and child groups of up to 15 people (not counting children aged under five years old) can restart indoors. This comes ahead of the adult equivalent which will be no earlier than 17 May.







Insight



(Source: Sport England)



(Source: Barnado's)



(Source: Institute for Fiscal Studies)



New opportunities

37% of children and young people said that they now see sport and PE as more important to their lives than they did before lockdown

4 million children and young people plan to do more sport exercise in future

(Source: YST and YouGov)

Habits have changed

How we consume sport and physical activity is different

Closer to home/at home

Digital v face to face

Individualised







Learning from Lockdown 1

















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POLL - What are you expecting to see/hear from young people when they return?



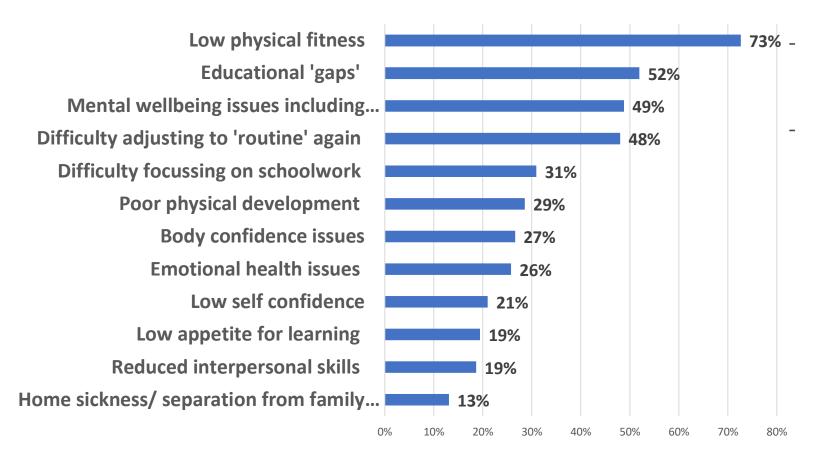
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After Lockdown 1



Almost % of teachers of PF are noticing low levels of physical fitness amongst their pupils. Other issues emerging are educational gaps, mental wellbeing issues and difficulties getting back to routine.





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How can we consult with young people?

Providing a **safe** and **inclusive** way for young people to share their thoughts:

- Surveys
- Polls
- Class/form discussion
- Inclusive focus groups
- Through a school council or school sport organising committee
- · Use of emojis/visuals- these feelings.

YST Youth Voice Toolkit – 5th March







How can we prepare young people for return?

Communicate with them about what the offer, its focus and how they can get involved

Help them to **rebuild their confidence** through giving them skill based challenges that improve their **competence** when at home

Reassure them that its about fun, connection and enjoying being back in school with friends







Provision





What does the offer need to do?

Improve the **WELLBEING** of young people giving young people the opportunity to:

- Be active
- Rebuild relationships
- Have fun
- Try new things

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LEVER 2: COMMUNITY

We will recognise that your child's curriculum will have been based at home for a long time. We will listen to what has happened in this time, understand the needs of our community and engage them in the transitioning of learning back into school.

LEVER 3: TRANSPARENT CURRICULUM

Our children may well feel they have lost time with their learning at school and we want to show them that we understand this and that we will help them to become confident learners at school.

LEVER 4: METACOGNITION

In different environments, children will have been learning in different ways and may have developed different styles of learning. It is vital that we acknowledge this.

LEVER 5: SPACE - TO BE,
TO REDISCOVER SELF, AND TO FIND
THEIR VOICE ON LEARNING IN THIS ISSUE

It is only natural that we all work at an incredible pace to make sure this group of learners are not disadvantaged against their peers, providing opportunity and exploration alongside the intensity of our expectations.







How does it do this?

- Content needs to be sequenced
- Give regular opportunities for children to work
 together
- Activities that provide challenge
- In a supportive environment

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What does this mean in practice?

- Enrichment for the many not just the few
- Safe, inclusive and accessible experiences
- A mixture of informal and formal
- Settings could include:
 - ✓ Breakfast clubs
 - ✓ Lunchtime clubs
 - ✓ After school clubs
 - ✓ Break times
- Focus on INTRA school competition & leadership, coaching and volunteering







How to design for friendship



Informal time together to re-build friendships.

- Use of team challenges/tasks that involve working together such as scavenger hunts which could take place alongside provision. Focus on team-building.
- Bingo sheets for young people to complete that finds commonalities, differences and create a sense of belonging.
- Use of music to create a relaxed and welcoming environment for young people.









How to design for health T & A



- Rebuilding competence and confidence through a considered and phased approach.
- Competence and confidence has decreased for young people and therefore the opportunity to play informally will be vital.
- Focus on individual development and personal best challenges and goal setting to give young people structure to work towards.









How to design for behaviour (**)



- Being active has a positive impact on anxiety, relieving stress and improving mood.
- Self refereeing & Values Based Scoring Systems can support positive behaviour.
- Role modelling behaviour across the school creates positive associations for young people.





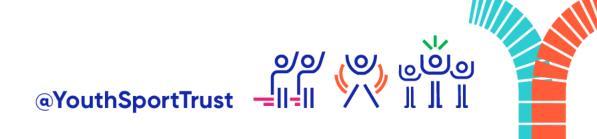


Plan for delivery

- Ensure your offer is reaching ALL young people
- Pre Easter more informal, fun and friendship focus relationships and building confidence and competence – trying NEW things
- Youth voice shape summer term offer
- Post Easter more formal, structured, sequenced
- Focus on INTRA school opportunities







Break out rooms







BREAK OUT ROOM

Given insight around introducing new skills stimulates brain to remember skills used previously; what new sports/activities would you think of introducing and why, and what support/training would you need to do this?







People







What role can others play?

Parents/Carers

Staff/Colleagues

Young people

Young leaders

Clear communication

Knowing what to expect







Bubble Leadership

The Bubble Leadership concept can support you to:

- Create a movement of young leaders, who have a passion to champion school sport to improve the wellbeing of their peers
- Help young people develop skills, and improve physical, social and emotional wellbeing acting as agents of social change
- Reintroduce both leaders and participants to a positive routine involving physical activity
- Increase workforce capacity by empowering young people to drive extracurricular/informal activity with their peers.









THANK YOU

There isn't a teacher in the land that joined the profession to be remote, distanced, bubbled or isolated from their pupils and colleagues. The inspirational work I have seen over the last year to keep connected with the children and their families has reminded me what is incredibly special about teaching: strong, unbreakable human relationships. We are weavers of the social fabric of our schools and communities and I have never been more proud throughout my career to be a teacher than now. Even this week, I watched young people hopping around their bedrooms, star jumping in their kitchens and doing yoga in their living rooms. When the world changed overnight, teachers transformed with it. While the last year has been exhausting, you have made the lives of young people around the country exhilarating. THANK you. Thank YOU. THANK YOU. #TeachersTogether

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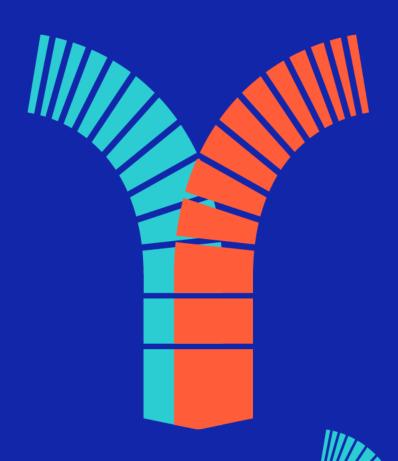
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Wonder Woman 1984

These fun free activities for schools and families will help young people develop skills using the



After School Sport

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May Virtual CPD week

National School Sport Week

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