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**Volleyball — The Ready position**

**SECONDARY KEY STAGE 3 PE // NET/WALL**

### Content outline

This activity aims to focus on the correct body position we need to get in when receiving the ball whilst playing Volleyball:
- Correct ‘Ready position’
- Stance
- Footwork

### Space

- Increase the distance from the ball feeder (to make the task more difficult)
- Decrease the distance from the ball feeder (to make the task easier)

### Equipment

- Change size of ball
- Use different household items (Eg. Change from a cushion, to a smaller soft toy)

### Task

- Complete the task whilst stationary
- Complete the task whilst moving

### People

- If you have another person in your house, ask them to feed the ball for the activity
- Ball feeder can increase difficulty by changing the speed and direction of the ball feed
- Challenge a friend with an online competition

### Learning intention

**Physical:**
- To develop the technique of the ‘Ready position’ in Volleyball

**Personal:**
- To develop listening skills
- Responding to instructions

### Learning questions:

- What does the ‘ready position’ look like?
- Where is the main movement generated?
- Why is it important to move towards the ball in the ‘ready position’?
- When were you most successful? And why?
- What coaching points would you identify from this technique?

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