

Skills	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Health and	Describe how	Describe how	Recognise and	Recognise and	Describe how	Know and	Understand the
Fitness	the body	the body feels	describe how	describe the	the body reacts	understand	importance of
	feels when	before,	the	effects	at	the reasons	warming up and
	still and	during and after	body feels	of exercise on	different times	for warming	cooling down.
	when	exercise.	during and after	the body.	and how this	up and cooling	
	exercising.		different		affects	down.	Carry out warm-
		Carry and place	physical	Know the	performance.		ups and cool-
		equipment	activities.	importance of		Explain some	downs
		safely.		strength and	Explain why	safety	safely and
			Explain what	flexibility for	exercise is good	principles	effectively.
			they need to	physical activity.	for your	when	
			stay healthy.		health.	preparing for	Understand why
				Explain why it is		and during	exercise is good
				important to	Know some	exercise.	for
				warm	reasons for		health, fitness and
				up and cool	warming up		wellbeing.
				down.	and cooling		
					down.		Know ways they
							can become
							healthier.
Dance Skills	Join a range	Copy and	Сору,	Begin to	Identify and	Identify and	Identify and
	of different	repeat actions.	remember and	improvise with a	repeat the	repeat the	repeat the
	movements		repeat actions.	partner to	movement	movement	movement
	together.			create a simple			
				dance.			



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Change the	Put a sequence	Create a short		patterns and	patterns and	patterns and
speed of	of actions	motif inspired	Create motifs	actions of a	actions of a	actions of a
their actions.	together to	by a	from different	chosen dance	chosen	chosen
Change the	create a motif.	stimulus.	stimuli.	style.	dance style.	dance style.
style of their						
movements.	Vary the speed	Change the			Compose	Compose
	of their actions.	speed and level	Begin to	Compose a	individual,	individual, partner
Create a	Use simple	of their	compare and	dance that	partner and	and
short	choreographic	actions.	adapt	reflects the	group dances	group dances that
movement	devices		movements and	chosen dance	that reflect	reflect the chosen
phrase	such as unison,	Use simple	motifs to create	style.	the chosen	dance style.
which	canon and	choreographic	a	Confidently	dance style.	Use dramatic
demonstrates	mirroring.	devices	larger sequence.	improvise with		expression in
their own		such as unison,		a partner	Show a	dance
ideas.	Begin to	canon and	Use simple dance	or on their own.	change of	movements and
	improvise	mirroring.	vocabulary to		pace and	motifs.
	independently		compare and	Compose longer	timing in	
	to	Use different	improve work.	dance	their	Perform with
	create a simple	transitions		sequences in a	movements.	confidence, using
	dance.	within a	Perform with	small group.		a
		dance motif.	some awareness		Develop an	range of
			of	Demonstrate	awareness of	movement
		Move in time to	rhythm and	precision and	their use of	patterns.
		music.	expression.	some	space.	
		Improve the		control in		
		timing of their		response to		
		actions.		stimuli.		



T		Begin to vary	Demonstrate	Demonstrate
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		dynamics and	imagination	strong and
		develop	and	controlled
		actions and	creativity in	movements
		motifs in	the	throughout a
		response to	movements	dance
		stimuli.	they	sequence.
			devise in	
		Demonstrate	response to	Combine
		rhythm and	stimuli.	flexibility,
		spatial		techniques and
		awareness.	Use	movements to
		Change parts of	transitions to	create a fluent
		a dance as a	link motifs	sequence.
		result	smoothly	-
		of self-	together.	Move
		evaluation.	Improvise	appropriately and
		Use simple	with	with the
		dance	confidence,	required style in
		vocabulary	still	relation to the
		when	demonstrating	stimulus, e.g.
		comparing and	fluency across	using various
		improving work.	the	levels,
		improving work.	sequence.	ways of travelling
			sequence.	and motifs.
				and motils.
				Show a change of
				pace and timing in



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				Ensure their actions fit the rhythm of the music. Modify parts of a sequence as a result of self and peer evaluation. Use more complex dance vocabulary to compare and improve work.	their movements. Move rhythmically and accurately in dance sequences. Improvise with confidence, still demonstrating fluency across their sequence. Dance with fluency and control, linking all movements and ensuring that transitions
				dance vocabulary to compare and improve	control, linking all movements and ensuring
					Demonstrate consistent precision when performing dance sequences.



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							Modify some
							elements of a
							sequence
							as a result of self
							and peer
							evaluation.
							Use complex
							dance vocabulary
							to
							compare and
							improve work.
Compete/	Control my	Perform using a	Perform	Develop the	Perform and	Perform own	Link actions to
Perform	body when	range of actions	sequences of	quality of the	create	longer, more	create a complex
	performing a	and	their own	actions in	sequences with	complex	sequence using a
	sequence of	body parts with	composition	their	fluency and	sequences in	full range of
	movements.	some	with	performances.	expression.	time to music.	movement.
		coordination.	coordination.				
							Perform the
							sequence in time
		Begin to	Perform learnt	Perform learnt		Consistently	to music.
		perform learnt	skills with	skills and	Perform and	perform and	
		skills with some	increasing	techniques	apply skills and	apply skills	Perform and apply
		control.	control.	with control and	techniques with	and	a variety of
		Control.	Compete	confidence.	control and	techniques	skills and
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			against self and		accuracy.	with accuracy	techniques
			others.			and	confidently,
						control.	



				Compete against self and others in a controlled			consistently and with precision.
Evaluate	Talk about what they have done. Talk about what others have done.	Watch and describe performances. Begin to say how they could improve.	Watch and describe performances, and use what they see to improve their own performance. Talk about the differences between their work and that of others.	manner. Watch, describe and evaluate the effectiveness of a performance. Describe how their performance has improved over time.	Watch, describe and evaluate the effectiveness of performances, giving ideas for improvements. Modify their use of skills or techniques to achieve a better result.	Choose and use criteria to evaluate own and others' performances. Explain why they have used particular skills or techniques, and the effect they have had on their performance.	Thoroughly evaluate their own and others' work, suggesting thoughtful and appropriate improvements.