builds a great foundation for sporting success!

Physical Literacy is the development of fundamental movement and skills that permit a child to move confidently and with control in a wide range of sport situations.

Physical Literacy includes a participant's ability to "read" what is going on around them in training or competition settings and react appropriately to those events. **LEARN MORE**

Fully physically literate children should learn fundamental movement skills and fundamental sport skills;

1 ON THE GROUND

2 IN THE WATER

4 IN THE AIR

TEAM

3 ON SNOW AND ICE

EFFORT

Developing physical literacy in our children will take the combined efforts of:

• COACHES

- COMMUNITY LEADERS
- DAY CARE PROVIDERS
- EDUCATORS
- PARENTS/GUARDIANS

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GAIN SKILL

ONE MAJOR REASON CHILDREN DROP **OUT OF ORGANIZED** SPORT IS THEY DON'T HAVE THE SKILLS TO PLAY.

PHYSICAL LITERACY IS THE FOUNDATIONAL

CANADA'S LONG-TERM

ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT

COMPONENT OF

(LTAD) MODEL.

LEARN MORE

Find out how your sport program rates in increasing physical literacy.

TAKE THE QUIZ!



Physical Literacy gives children the tools they need to take part in sport, both for life-long enjoyment and for sporting success

Physically literate athletes;

- $oldsymbol{1}$ have the opportunity to develop AND SUCCEED TO THEIR MAXIMUM POTENTIAL... MAYBE EVEN AS WORLD-CLASS ATHLETES
- 2 DEMONSTRATE MORE CREATIVITY AND ADAPTABILITY IN GAMEPLAY
 - 3 ENJOY EXTENDED INVOLVEMENT IN SPORT PROGRAMS

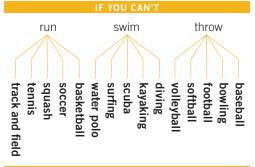
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TAKE



- DELIVER PHYSICAL LITERACY ENRICHED PROGRAMMING.
- FOLLOW LTAD RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT FOR YOUR SPORT.
- INTEGRATE VARIETY IN TRAINING PROGRAMS. MAKE IT FUN!
- STRIVE TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENTALLY APPROPRIATE AND MEANINGFUL COMPETITION FOR THE CHILDREN YOU COACH.

LEARN MORE



YOU WON'T TAKE PART IN

Physical Literacy THE POWER TO MOVE KIDS!



gets kids moving in the right direction!

Physical literacy is the development of basic movement skills that permit a child to move with confidence and control, in a wide range of physical activity situations. **CEARN MORE**

Discover how to become an Active For Life community.



Physical literacy gives children the tools they need to take part in physical activity, sport and daily living, for fun, for health and for achievement.

Children should learn basic movement skills in each of the four basic environments;

- 1 ON THE GROUND
- 2 IN THE WATER
- 3 ON SNOW AND ICE
- 4 IN THE AIR

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Physically literate children and youth are successful in;

- 1 SPORT participation, excellence
- 2 RECREATION fun, adventure
- 3 PERFORMING ARTS dance, circus
- 4 VOCATIONAL firefighter, roofer, armed forces
- 5 DAILY LIVING garden, paint, climb
- 6 INJURY PREVENTION lift, carry, fall recovery

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TAKE ACTION



Build physical literacy with these steps;

- REVIEW PROGRAMS
 TO MAKE SURE PHYSICAL LITERACY IS AN OUTCOME.
- PROVIDE CHALLENGING, SAFE ENVIRONMENTS FOR KIDS TO EXPLORE AND PRACTICE PHYSICAL LITERACY SKILLS.
- DEVELOP NEW PROGRAMS THAT INTRODUCE KIDS TO A WIDE RANGE OF EXPERIENCES.

LEARN MORE

swim

basketball
hide and seek
soccer
squash
street hockey
tag
tennis

track and field

run

canoe diving kayaking play in water scuba surfing water polo

baseball bowling football frisbee play catch shoot hoops softball volleyball

throw

LEARN MORE

ONE MAJOR REASON

CHILDREN DROP OUT OF ORGANIZED SPORT

IS THEY DON'T HAVE

THE SKILLS TO PLAY.

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water ski

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leads to success!

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2 IN THE WATER

3 ON SNOW AND ICE

1 ON THE GROUND

4 IN THE AIR

Find out if your child is on the road to developing physical literacy.

TAKE THE QUIZ!



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basketball canoe hide and seek diving soccer kayaking play in water sguash

street hockey surfing tag tennis track and field

water polo water ski

scuba

throw baseball bowling football frisbee

play catch

softball

volleyball

shoot hoops

SKILLS

- QUESTION DAY CARE PROVIDERS. RECREATION PROGRAMMERS, SPORT ORGANIZATIONS AND SCHOOLS TO MAKE SURE THAT YOUR CHILDREN'S PHYSICAL LITERACY NEEDS ARE MET.
- INTRODUCE YOUR FAMILY TO A WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES THAT ALLOW KIDS TO PRACTICE SKILLS IN DIFFERENT SURROUNDINGS.
- ENCOURAGE KIDS TO PARTICIPATE IN UNSTRUCTURED PHYSICAL PLAY

LEARN MORE

NON'T TAKE PART

Physical Literacy THE POWER TO MOVE KIDS!





is just as important as learning to read and write.

Physically literate children and youth are confident and competent movers who can understand, control, and develop their use of fundamental movement skills.

Physically literate children and youth are able to transfer movement skills, concepts, tactics, and strategies to a wide

The development of physical literacy is one of multiple literacies and support children and youth in their deeper understanding of self;

3 PHYSICALLY

4 SPIRITUALLY

variety of movement activities. LEARN MORE

TOOLS FOR SUCCESS

EDUCATION ABILITY UNDERSTANDING CHARACTER

Without physical literacy, children and youth will be less confident to participate in physical activities, games, sport, and everyday living.

> Physical literacy provides another opportunity to teach students how to 'experience' the world around them, supporting active engagement in all facets of life.

LEARN MORE

TAKE

ACTION

1 EMOTIONALLY

2 MENTALLY

TEAM **EFFORT**

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SKILLS

PHYSICALLY LITERATE

PARTICIPATE IN MORE PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

WHICH SUPPORTS

SKILLS.

LEARN MORE

ACADEMIC GROWTH

AND INTERPERSONAL

STUDENTS WILL

IF YOU CAN'T throw run swim diving kayakir scuba surfing track and field

YOU WON'T TAKE PART IN

Build physical literacy with these steps;

- RECOGNIZE AND NURTURE THE MOVEMENT POTENTIAL OF EVERY CHILD.
- PLAN AND PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL CHILDREN AND YOUTH TO PARTICIPATE IN PURPOSEFUL MOVEMENT EXPERIENCES.
- ASSESS STUDENTS' UNDERSTANDINGS OF AND GROWTH IN MOVEMENT COMPETENCE.
- TEACH THE PHYSICAL **EDUCATION CURRICULUM**

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