

FITNESS CHALLENGE

February 2024

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| | | | | 3 Reverse Lunges | 3 Knee Raises | 3 Reverse Lunges |
| | | | | Heel Walks (20 seconds) | Tippy Toe Walk (20 seconds) | 3 Squats |
| 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 5 Knee Raises | 5 Reverse Lunges | 5 Knee Raises | Refer to NFL STADIUM | 5 Reverse Lunges | 5 Knee Raises | 5 Reverse Lunges |
| 5 Squat Jumps | Heel Walks (30 seconds) | Tippy Toe Walk (30 seconds) | GEOGRAPHY TASK CARD 2 & MAP | Heel Walks (30 seconds) | Tippy Toe Walk (30 seconds) | 5 Squats |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 7 Knee Raises | 7 Reverse Lunges | 7 Knee Raises | Refer to NFL STADIUM | 7 Reverse Lunges | 7 Knee Raises | 7 Reverse Lunges |
| 8 Squat Jumps | Heel Walks (40 seconds) | Tippy Toe Walk (40 seconds) | GEOGRAPHY TASK CARD 1 & MAP | Heel Walks (40 seconds) | Tippy Toe Walk (40 seconds) | 8 Squats |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 10 Knee Raises | 10 Reverse Lunges | 10 Knee Raises | Refer to NFL STADIUM | 10 Reverse Lunges | 10 Knee Raises | 10 Reverse Lunges |
| 10 Squat Jumps | Heel Walks (1 minute) | Tippy Toe Walk (1 minute) | GEOGRAPHY TASK CARD 2 & MAP | Heel Walks (1 minute) | Tippy Toe Walk (1 minute) | 10 Squats |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | | |
| 12 Knee Raises | 12 Reverse Lunges | 12 Knee Raises | Refer to NFL STADIUM | 12 Knee Raises | | |
| 12 Squat Jumps | Heel Walks (1 | Tippy Toe Walk (1 | GEOGRAPHY TASK | Tippy Toe Walk (1 | | |
| | minute) | minute) | CARD 2 & MAP | minute) | | |

Celebrate Football in February

This month we've included a variety of fitness exercises, and football themed geography task cards with a list of activities to choose from. Use this printable calendar to keep the kids in your program active, both in school and at home!

For Reverse Lunges, do the number listed for each side

NFL Task Cards – choose one, a combination, or all activities listed

Find the visuals for each fitness activity below.

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*you can alter the teams on the task cards based on this season

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FASK CARDS

NFL STADIUM GEOGRAPHY

Assume the front of the classroom is the northern part of the USA

- Skip to the New York Giants stadium: signal touchdown 7 times
- Jog to the St. Louis Rams stadium: signal start the clock (arm circle) 6 times each arm
- Walk to the Baltimore Ravens stadium: signal pass interference 5 times
- Jump to the Denver Broncos stadium: signal incomplete pass or "no good" 4 times
- Gallop to the Tennessee
 Titans stadium: signal first
 down 3 times each arm

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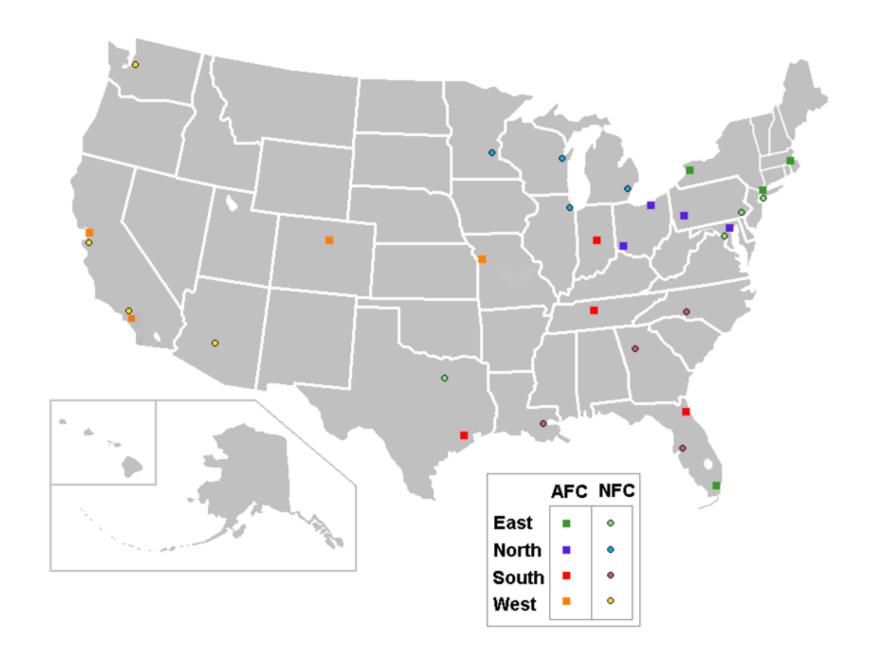
NFL STADIUM GEOGRAPHY

Assume the front of the classroom is the northern part of the USA

- Gallop to the Arizona Cardinals stadium: pretend to kick a field goal 3 times each leg
- Jog to the Philadelphia Eagles stadium: pretend to throw 6 touchdown passes each arm
- Skip to the San Diego Chargers stadium: pretend to punt the ball 3 times each leg
- Walk to the Minnesota Vikings stadium: jump high in the air and catch 6 touchdown passes
- Hop to the Seattle Seahawks stadium: pump your arms up in the air 10 times

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FITNESS BREAKS TIP-OFF

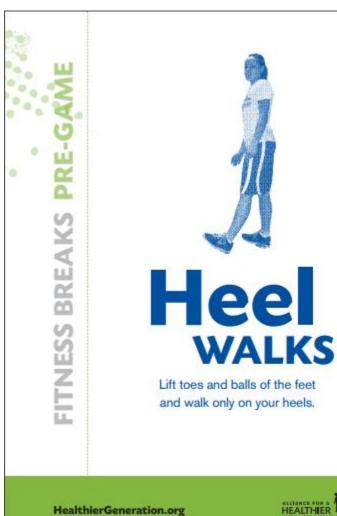


REVERSE

Facing forward, step one foot back about 18 to 24 inches. Immediately bend the knees and lower onto the front leg, allowing the back knee to come close to the ground. Keep the weight on the front heel and chest upright. Push back up with the back foot. Return to the standing position.

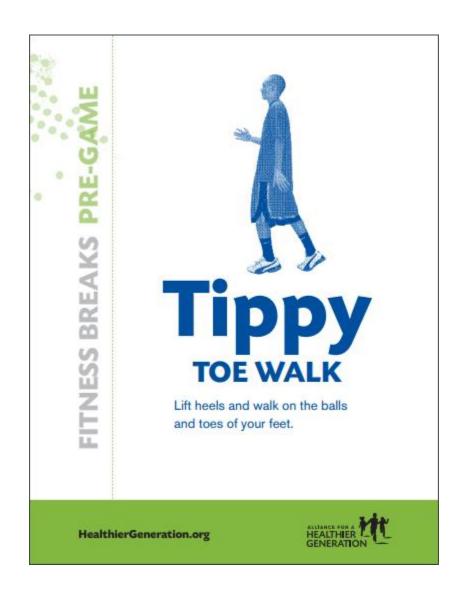
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Source: Fitness Trail Stations





FITNESS BREAKS OVERTIME



Start with feet shoulder width apart. Extend arms in front of the chest. Sit back and down, keeping the knees behind the toes. Contract the gluteal and hamstring muscles to begin extending the legs. Fully extend the legs until you're back to standing position.

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