Willoughby Whole School PE Progression – GYMNASTICS

	SKILLS							
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
HEALTH & FITNESS	Describe how the body feels before, during and after exercise.	Recognise and describe how the body feels during and after different physical activities.	Recognise and describe the effects of exercise on the body.	Describe how the body reacts at different times and how this affects performance.	Know and understand the reasons for warming up and cooling down.	Understand the importance of warming up and cooling down.		
	Carry and place equipment safely.	Explain what they need to stay healthy	Know the importance of strength and flexibility for physical activity. Explain why it is important to warm up and cool down.	Explain why exercise is good for your health. Know some reasons for warming up and cooling down.	Explain some safety principles when preparing for and during exercise.	Carry out warm-ups and cool-downs safely and effectively. Understand why exercise is good for health, fitness and wellbeing. Know ways they can become healthier.		
ACQUIRING AND DEVELOPING SKILLS IN GYMNASTICS (GENERAL)	Create and perform a movement sequence. Copy actions and movement sequences with a beginning, middle and end. Link two actions to	Copy, explore and remember actions and movements to create their own sequence. Link actions to make a sequence. Travel in a variety of ways, including rolling.	Choose ideas to compose a movement sequence independently and with others. Link combinations of actions with increasing confidence, including changes of	Create a sequence of actions that fit a theme. Use an increasing range of actions, directions and levels in their sequences. Move with clarity, fluency and	Select ideas to compose specific sequences of movements, shapes and balances. Adapt their sequences to fit new criteria or suggestions. Perform jumps, shapes	Create their own complex sequences involving the full range of actions and movements: travelling, balancing, holding shapes, jumping, leaping, swinging, vaulting and stretching.		
	make a sequence.	Hold a still shape whilst balancing on	direction, speed or level.	expression.	and balances fluently and with control.	Demonstrate precise and controlled		

R	ecognise and copy	different points of the		Show changes of		placement of body
С	ontrasting actions	body.	Develop the quality	direction, speed and	Confidently develop	parts in their actions,
(s	small/tall,		of their actions,	level during a	the placement of their	shapes and balances.
n	arrow/wide).	Jump in a variety of	shapes and	performance.	body parts in balances,	
		ways and land with	balances. Move with		recognising the	Confidently use
T	ravel in different	increasing control and	coordination,	Travel in different	position of their centre	equipment to vault
w	vays, changing	balance.	control and care.	ways, including	of gravity and where it	and incorporate this
di	irection and speed.			using flight.	should be in relation to	into sequences.
		Climb onto and jump	Use turns whilst		the base of the	
Н	old still shapes and	off the equipment	travelling in a variety	Improve the	balance.	Apply skills and
si	mple balances.	safely.	of ways.	placement and		techniques
				alignment of body	Confidently use	consistently, showing
C	arry out simple	Move with increasing	Use a range of jumps	parts in balances.	equipment to vault in a	precision and control.
st	tretches.	control and care.	in their sequences.		variety of ways.	Develop strength,
C	arry out a range of			Use equipment to		technique and
si	mple jumps,		Begin to use	vault in a variety of	Apply skills and	flexibility throughout
la	inding safely.		equipment to vault.	ways.	techniques	performances
					consistently.	
N	love around,		Create interesting	Carry out balances,		
	nder, over, and		body shapes while	recognising the	Develop strength,	
tł	nrough different		holding balances	position of their	technique and	
0	bjects and		with control and	centre of gravity and	flexibility throughout	
e	quipment.		confidence.	how this affects the	performances.	
				balance.		
	egin to move with		Begin to show		Combine equipment	
CO	ontrol and care		flexibility in	Begin to develop	with movement to	
			movements	good technique	create sequences.	
				when travelling,		
				balancing and using		
				equipment.		
				Develop strength,		
				technique and		

				flexibility		
				throughout		
				performances		
ROLLS	Log roll (controlled)	Log roll (controlled)	Crouched forward	Forward roll from	Forward roll from	Forward roll from
	-0 - (,		roll	standing	standing	standing
	Curled side roll (egg	Curled side roll (egg		0	0	5
	roll) (controlled)	roll) (controlled)	Forward roll from	Straddle forward roll	Straddle forward roll	Straddle forward roll
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	Teddy bear roll	Teddy bear roll		Tucked backward	Pike forward roll	Pike forward roll
	(controlled)	(controlled)	Tucked backward	roll		
			roll		Tucked backward roll	Dive forward roll
		Rocking for forward		Backward roll to		
		roll		straddle	Backward roll to straddle	Tucked backward roll
		Crouched forward roll				Backward roll to
						straddle
						Backward roll to
						standing pike
						Pike backward roll
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JUMPS	Straight jump	Straight jump	Straight jump	Straight jump	Straight jump	Straight jump
	Tuck jump	Tuck jump	Tuck jump	Tuck jump	Tuck jump	Tuck jump
	Jumping jack	Jumping jack	Jumping jack	Jumping jack	Jumping jack	Jumping jack
	Half turn	Half turn	Star jump	Star jump	Star jump	Star jump
	Cat spring	Cat spring	Straddle jump	Straddle jump	Straddle jump	Straddle jump
		Cat spring to straddle	Pike jump	Pike jump	Pike jump	Pike jump
			Straight jump	Straight half turn	Stag jump	Stag jump
			Cat leap	Straight full turn	Straight half turn	Straight half turn
				Cat leap	Straight full turn	Straight full turn
				Cat leap half turn	Cat leap half turn	Cat leap
					Split leap	Cal leap half turn

						Cat leap full turn Split leap Stag leap
VAULT	Straight jump off springboard	Hurdle step onto springboard Straight jump off springboard Tuck jump off springboard	Hurdle step onto springboard Squat on vault Star jump off Tuck jump off Straddle jump off Pike jump off	Hurdle step onto springboard Squat on vault Straddle on vault Star jump off Tuck jump off Straddle jump off Pike jump off	Hurdle step onto springboard Squat on vault Straddle on vault Star jump off Tuck jump off Straddle jump off Pike jump off Squat through vault	Hurdle step onto springboard Squat on vault Straddle on vault Star jump off Tuck jump off Straddle jump off Pike jump off Squat through vault Straddle over vault
HANDSTANDS, CARTWHEELS AND ROUND- OFFS	Bunny hop Front support wheelbarrow with partner	Bunny hop Front support wheelbarrow with partner t-lever scissor kick	Handstand Lunge into handstand Cartwheel	Lunge into handstand Lunge into cartwheel Lunge into round-off	Lunge into handstand Lunge into cartwheel Lunge into round-off	Lunge into cartwheel Lunge into round-off Hurdle step Hurdle step into cartwheel Hurdle step into round-off
TRAVELLING AND LINKING ACTIONS	Tiptoe, step, jump and hop Hopscotch Skipping Galloping	Tiptoe, step, jump and hop Hopscotch Skipping Galloping Straight jump half- turn	Tiptoe, step, jump and hop Hopscotch Skipping Chassis steps Straight jump half turn Cat leap	Tiptoe, step, jump and hop Hopscotch Skipping Chassis steps Straight jump half turn Straight jump full turn Cat leap Cat leap half turn Pivot	Tiptoe, step, jump and hop Hopscotch Skipping Chassis steps Straight jump half turn Straight jump full turn Cat leap Cat leap half turn Pivot	Tiptoe, step, jump and hop Hopscotch Skipping Chassis steps Straight jump half turn Straight jump full turn Cat leap Cat leap half turn Cat leap full turn Pivot

SHAPES AND BALANCES	Standing balances Kneeling balances Pike, tuck, star, straight, straddle shapes	Standing balances Kneeling balances Large body part balances, balances on apparatus, balances with a partner Pike, tuck, star, straight, straddle shapes Front and back support	Large and small body part balances, including standing and kneeling balances, balances on apparatus. Matching and contrasting partner balances Pike, tuck, star, straight, straddle shapes Front and back	1, 2, 3 and 4- point balances, balances on apparatus, balances with and against a partner Pike, tuck, star, straight, straddle shapes Front and back support	1, 2, 3 and 4- point balances, balances on apparatus Part body weight partner balances Pike, tuck, star, straight, straddle shapes Front and back support	1, 2, 3 and 4- point balances, balances on apparatus Full body weight partner balances Pike, tuck, star, straight, straddle shapes Front and back support
COMPETE / PERFORM	Perform using a range of actions and body parts with some coordination. Begin to perform learnt skills with some control.	Perform sequences of their own composition with coordination. Perform learnt skills with increasing control.	support Develop the quality of the actions in their performances. Perform learnt skills and techniques with control and confidence. Compete against self and others in a controlled manner.	Perform and create sequences with fluency and expression. Perform and apply skills and techniques with control and accuracy.	Perform own longer, more complex sequences in time to music. Consistently perform and apply skills and techniques with accuracy and control.	Link actions to create a complex sequence using a full range of movement that showcases different agilities, performed in time to music. Perform and apply a variety of skills and techniques confidently, consistently and with precision.

						Begin to record their peers' performances, and evaluate these.
EVALUATE	Watch and describe performances.	Watch and describe performances and use what they see to	Watch, describe and evaluate the effectiveness of a	Watch, describe and evaluate the effectiveness of	Choose and use criteria to evaluate own and others' performances.	Thoroughly evaluate their own and others' work, suggesting
	Begin to say how they could improve	improve their own performance.	performance. Describe how their	performances, giving ideas for improvements.	Explain why they have used particular skills or	thoughtful and appropriate improvements.
		Talk about the differences between their work and that of others.	performance has improved over time.	Modify their use of skills or techniques to achieve a better	techniques, and the effect they have had on their performance.	
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