

HOW TO FILL OUT A FITNESS CALENDAR



Record Fitness Calendars at least 3 times a week: (cannot include PE)

Record what you did simply: (e.g. Soccer, Bike Riding, Playing Tag)

Record how long you did the activity: (It should add up to a minimum of 20 min.)

Record the fitness element code: (C, UB, LB, AB, F) see description & examples below

Both Parent & Students should sign the calendar and turn it in by the due date (which is written on the calendar (both first and last name) and also include their classroom teacher's name.

- Please note that 3rd -5th grade students must fill out the calendar in their own handwriting
- K-2nd grade can have parents fill it out but please do this with input from your child.

Fitness Codes

C = Cardiovascular

UB = Upper Body Strength

LB = Lower Body Strength

AB = Abdominal Strength

F = Flexibility

Example of what might be written on a calendar.

21 st	22 nd	23 rd	24 th
Soccer Practice C & F 45 minutes	Walking the Dog C 25 minutes	Walking to & From School C & F 20 minutes total	Climbing on Big Toy C, F, UB 25 minutes total



Below are some examples that your child could include on their calendar although there are many more.

Please note that some sports/activities can fall under several categories

CARDIOVASCULAR	FLEXIBILITY	ABDOMINAL STRENGTH	UPPER BODY STRENGTH	LOWER BODY STRENGTH
The ability of the heart, the blood vessels, and the respiratory system (lungs) to deliver oxygen efficiently over an extended period of time.	The range of movement through which a joint or joints can move. Inactive individuals lose flexibility, whereas frequent movement helps retain the range of movement.	The muscle strength in the abdominal region (waist and stomach area)	The muscle strength in the arm-shoulder girdle area.	The muscle strength in the hip leg area.
Any game or sport that involves running, jumping, walking or quick climbing	Any game or sport that involves stretching or a wide range of motion or movement	Any sport, game, or exercise that puts stress or strain (without hurting)	Any sport, game, or exercise that builds muscles in the arms and shoulders	Any sport, game, or exercise that builds muscles in the hip and leg area
SOME EXAMPLES				
Soccer, Football, Basketball	Stretching Exercises such as inverse hurdle stretch, butterfly stretch, standing or sitting toe touches.	Sit Ups or Curl Ups	Climbing on the Big Toy, Monkey Bars, a climbing rope. Hanging from a bar or tree limb (if it is safe to do so)	Climbing, jumping, running
Hiking, Skiing, Lacrosse, Dance		Gymnastics, Martial Arts		Kicking, Gymnastics.
Gymnastics, Martial Arts		Kicking activities		Exercises such as squats
Riding a Bike, Scooter,		Soccer & Football		Sports & Recreation Activities such as Soccer, Football, Basketball,
Jumping a rope, on a trampoline		Sports & Recreation Activities such as Soccer, Football, Basketball, Baseball, Hiking, Skiing, Lacrosse, Dance, Gymnastics, Martial Arts, Swimming, playing tag.		Hanging while lifting legs perpendicular to your body (or making your body an 'L' shape)
Climbing a rope, a mountain			Push Ups or Crab Walks	
Swimming, playing tag			Pull Ups	
Walking... to School, the dog				

FITNESS CALENDAR REQUIREMENTS

Record on Fitness Calendars at least 3 times a week

(Cannot include PE)

Record what you did

Record how long you did the activity

(A total of 20 min or more is required)

Record the fitness element code

(C, UB, LB, AB, F) see description below

Example

Basketball
1 Game
90 min.
C, UB, LB,
& F

Fitness Codes

- **C** = Cardiovascular (healthy heart)
- **UB** = Upper Body Strength (arms/shoulders)
- **LB** = Lower Body Strength (legs)
- **AB** = Abdominal Strength (stomach)
- **F** = Flexibility (stretch, reach, twist/turn)

BOTH SIGNATURES REQUIRED

Parent Signature

Student Signature

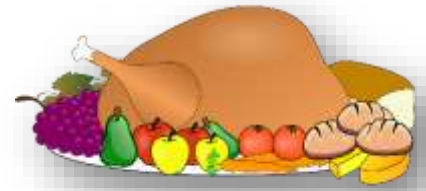
Name of Classroom Teacher

CALENDAR DUE DATE

Please give to Your PE Teacher **ON** or **BEFORE**

FRIDAY, December 6th, 2019

November 2019



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>K-2nd students can fill out the calendar with assistance from parents, and if necessary, dictate to their parents while the parent fills in the calendar. 3rd-5th students are capable of completing this on their own. You can assist your child but the calendar should be filled out in <u>their handwriting</u>, NOT yours. <u>All students & parents should sign their name</u> on the left of this calendar. Please also include your classroom teacher's name.</p>					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8 Oct.. Cal. Due	9
10	11 NO SCHOOL Veteran's Day Observed	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 School out half day	28 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving	29 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break	30

Sports don't build character, they reveal it.

-Heywood Brown; Sports Writer for the New York Tribune-