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- 1. Basic of your sport (Rules, regulations, structure etc)
- 2. Sports Teaching Template, teach specific skills, tips etc.

## **Basics of Sports**

## 1. Title of Sport

• Example: "Introduction to Volleyball" or "Soccer Basics for Beginners"

#### 2. Overview of the Sport (2-3 sentences)

- Brief description of the sport, its purpose, and appeal.
- Example: "Volleyball is a team sport where players work together to send the ball over the net and prevent it from touching their side. It's known for building teamwork, coordination, and quick reflexes."

## 3. Objective of the Sport

- Explain the main goal of the game in simple terms.
- Example: "In soccer, the goal is to score by getting the ball into the opposing team's net using feet and body control, without using hands."

## 4. Basic Rules

- List the fundamental rules in a simplified format.
- Example:
  - 1. **Team Size**: Typically 11 players per team for soccer; can be modified for smaller groups.
  - 2. Game Duration: Two halves of 45 minutes.
  - 3. **Key Rules**: No hands allowed, except for the goalie; a goal is scored when the ball fully crosses the goal line.

## 5. Field Layout & Key Positions

- Briefly describe the layout and important areas of the field or court (include a simple diagram if possible).
- List key positions and their roles (e.g., "Goalkeeper: Prevents goals by guarding the net").

## 6. Essential Skills to Practice

- Identify 2-3 core skills with brief descriptions and beginner-level instructions.
- Example:
  - **Passing**: Aim to kick the ball accurately to a teammate.
  - **Dribbling**: Use small touches to keep control of the ball while moving.
  - **Shooting**: Strike the ball with power toward the goal.

## 7. Common Terms or Phrases

- List a few terms players should know to understand the game.
- Example:
  - **Offside**: A rule violation when a player is too close to the opponent's goal without the ball.
  - **Assist**: A pass that directly leads to a goal.

## 8. Beginner Practice Drills

- Outline 1-2 basic drills that reinforce essential skills, with easy-to-follow steps.
- Example:
  - **Passing Circle**: Players stand in a circle and pass the ball to each other, aiming for accuracy and control.
  - **Goal Kick Practice**: Players take turns shooting at the goal from different distances.

## 9. Fun Game to Try

- Describe a simplified version of the game or a related activity that teaches strategy in a fun way.
- Example: "5-a-Side Soccer" A small version of soccer with 5 players per team, perfect for smaller spaces and beginner-level play.

## 10. Tips for Coaches or Helpers

- Key points for instructors to focus on, like teamwork, sportsmanship, and basic technique.
- Example: "Encourage players to communicate and support each other during the game."

## **11. Reflection Questions**

- Questions for players to reflect on their understanding and experience.
- Example: "What was your favorite part of learning this sport?" or "Which skill do you feel you improved the most?"

# Sport Teaching Template

### 1. Title of Lesson/Guide

• Example: "Basketball Basics for Beginners" or "Building Stamina in Soccer"

## 2. Introduction (1-2 sentences)

- Brief overview of what the lesson covers and the main objective.
- Example: "Learn the basics of dribbling, shooting, and teamwork in basketball, focusing on skills that can be practiced in any environment."

## 3. Equipment Needed (if any)

- List any low-cost or DIY equipment.
- Example: "Basketball or any similar-sized ball; chalk for marking boundaries."

#### 4. Step-by-Step Instructions and How to develop skils

- Break down each skill or drill into simple, numbered steps.
- Each step should include:
  - **Name of the Skill/Exercise** (e.g., "Dribbling Basics")
  - **Objective**: Purpose of the exercise (e.g., "To improve hand-eye coordination")
  - **Instructions**: Simple, easy-to-follow steps.
  - **Modification Options**: Suggestions for those with limited space or equipment.

#### 5. Key Points for Coaches/Parents/Children

- Tips on what to look for or correct, especially with young learners.
- Example: "Encourage eye contact with teammates and keeping knees slightly bent for balance."

#### 6. Practice Drills & Games

- Include 1-2 fun, beginner-friendly drills or games that reinforce the lesson.
- Describe how to set up the drill, the rules, and how to play.
- Example: "Around-the-World Shooting Game: Players stand in a circle and pass the ball around as quickly as possible."

## 7. Encouragement & Motivation Tips

- Include 1-2 lines to keep learners motivated.
- Example: "Remind players that improvement takes time and every practice is progress!"

## 8. Reflection Questions / The best tips you have learnt

- 1-2 questions for students to reflect on what they learned or enjoyed.
- Example: "What was the most challenging part, and how did you overcome it?"

## 9. Additional Resources or Videos (optional)

• Link to any helpful free resources or videos that further explain the sport.