# PE Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2021

#### **Learning Objective:**

- ► 1. To understand the importance of warming up
- ▶ 2. To perform static shapes

Why is it important to warm-up before exercise? Spend 2 minutes thinking about it.





#### These are the 3 main reasons we warm up:

- To get your muscles ready
- To prevent injuring or hurting yourself
- To increase your heart rate to supply oxygen to your muscles.

#### Warm-up

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uh4dTLJ9q9o
- Listen to this and dance in your area, see how many different letters you can make with your body.

# **Gymnastics**

- ► We are going to be focusing on gymnastics this week and learning to make shapes with our bodies.
- ► This includes making different positions with our bodies whist we're stood still and in the air.
- ► You are going to create a shape sequence and upload it on your portfolio.

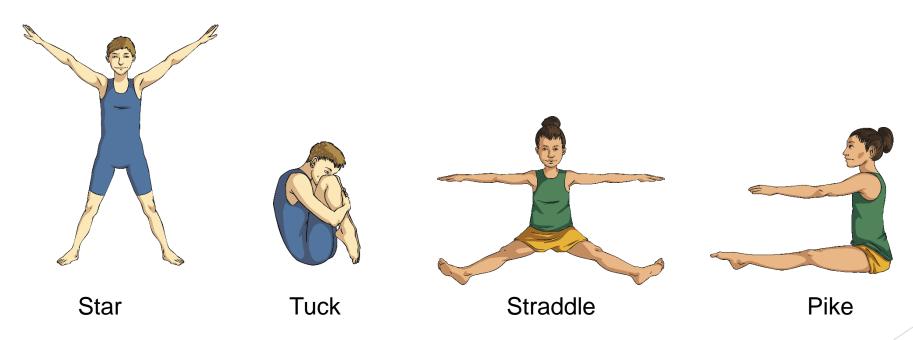
# Static body shapes

Do you know what any of these positions are called?



# Static body shapes

How many did you know? Well done for trying!



Can you practice each one?

# Which shapes are these?

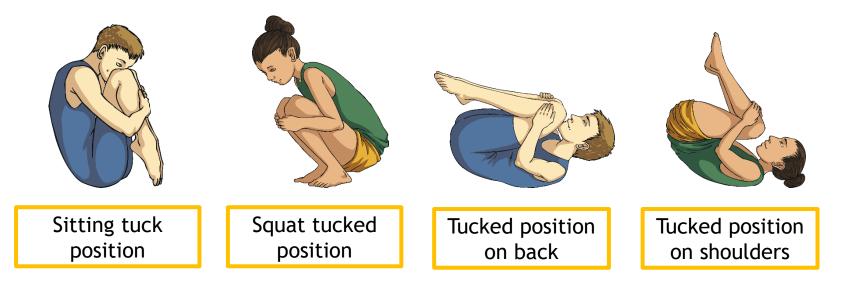






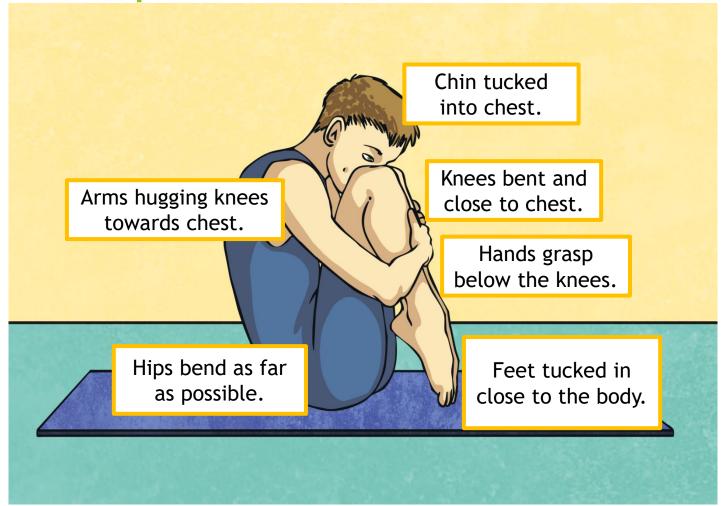


#### These are all different tuck shapes!



How are they the same? How are they different?

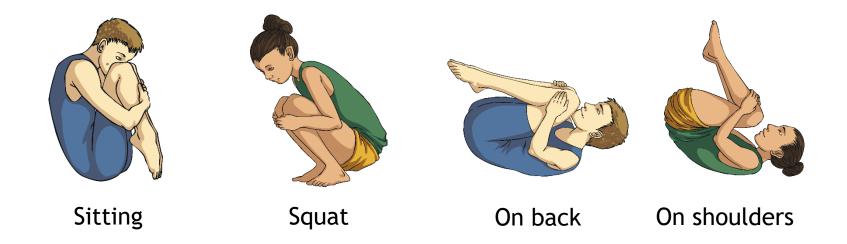
#### Tuck shape: what does it look like?



Practice the tuck shape again, making sure you follow these steps.

### **Tuck Shape Practice**

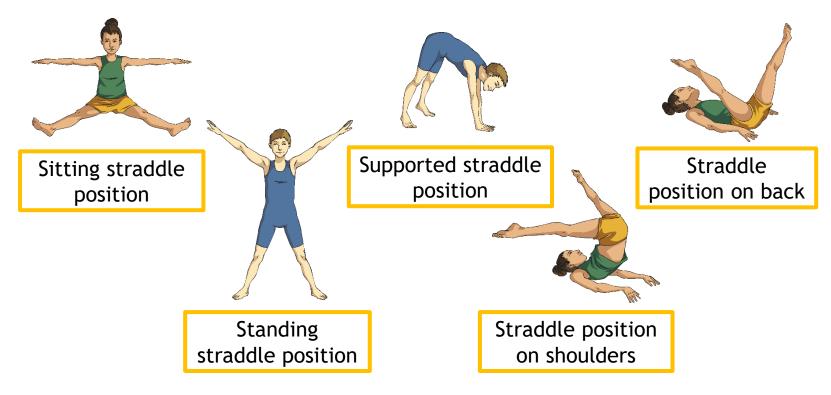
Have a go at each of the different tuck positions. Try and hold each position between 3 and 5 seconds.



#### **Don't forget:**

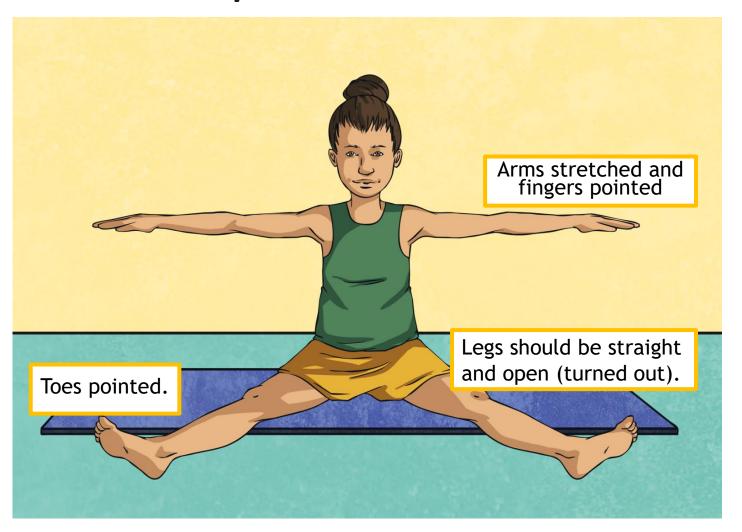
- Knees bent and close to chest
- Hips and knees bent as far as possible
- Arms hugging knees towards the chest

### Straddle Shape



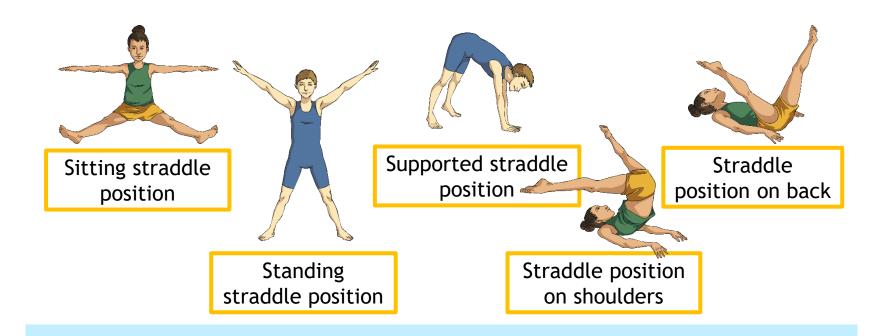
How are these positions the same? How are they different?

### Straddle Shape: What Does It Look Like?



#### Straddle Shape Practice

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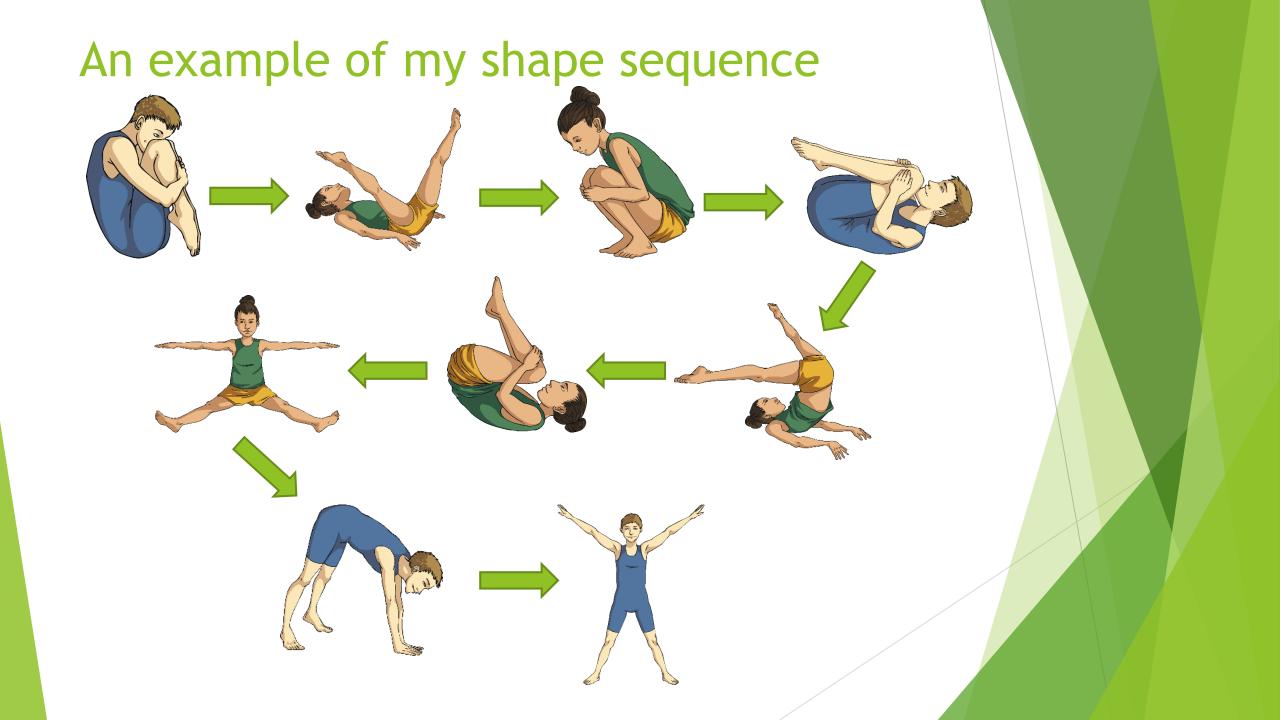


#### **Don't forget:**

- Legs should be straight and open (turned out)
- Keep your toes pointed.

#### Well done, fantastic shapes so far!

- Can you now create your own shape sequence with your body?
- You are welcome to create your own letter shapes but you must include the straddle and tuck shape.
- ➤ You are welcome to record yourself and upload it to Class Dojo, draw your shape sequence and upload or just comment on how you felt after practising your shape sequence.
- The next slide has an example of my shape sequence.



#### Cool down

- ▶ Why is it important to cool-down after any exercise?
- ► Think of as many reasons as you can

#### Cool down

#### Why is it important to cool-down after any exercise?

- Helps to bring your heart rate back down to its resting rate.
- Gradually cools your body temperature down
- Helps to return your muscles to their relaxed state.

### Pike Squeeze

#### Option one

If you have someone at home to cool down with then choose this option

- Sit in the basic pike shape facing one another and label yourselves A and B.
- A keeps their legs together.
- B places their legs outside the legs of A.
- On the command "Squeeze", A tries to open their legs and B tries to stop them using their leg muscles.
- Attempt for 5 seconds and then swap.
- Repeat 5 times.



### Pike Squeeze

#### Option two

If you are at school or do not have anyone to cool-down with.

- Sit in the basic pike shape.
- Stretch your arms out to the side.
- Stretch up to the ceiling.
- Now to the front.
- Bend your feet forward.
- Rotate your ankles.



Finally, have a go at this 5 minute cool down. You can use this after any exercise you do, including going on a walk.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ngjXUUf4Nzs