



#### **WHFCS Summer 2 – Tennis**

This half term we will learning about tennis, there is going to be a range of different active and non-active activities.

#### Warm up -

#### Reaction game-

Place a small object (spoon) in the middle of two markers (cushions) that are an even distance apart. Parent / guardian calls out commands for children to touch a body part. Multiple body parts are said before the command SPOON. When spoon is shouted both people playing the game will try to grab the spoon. Fastest wins.

#### Do not drop the ball -

Using your racket or your hand I am going to challenge you to keep the ball up, you must not let the ball drop

**Bronze- 20+ times** 

Silver- 30+ times

Gold - 40+ times

#### **Double Trouble -**

You and your family member will have a ball each, you can use either a racket or your hand. You have to hit the ball to your partner on the floor whilst also receiving the ball.









#### Handball rally -

You and your partner will need one ball you will roll the ball between each other. Stop the ball with your hand step around the ball and roll the ball back.



#### Tap up tennis -

Your partner will throw the ball to you using your hand or racket, when the ball comes to you must let it bounce once then hit it back. When you hit it back, make sure you aim back to your partner.



### **Target Tennis -**

I would like you to set up three targets , one of your family member will throw the ball towards you and using your hand or racket I would like you to aim to hit the ball towards the target . The target could be a bin, a basket or a marked out area.









Firstly, try to find as many tennis words in the word search as you can (numbers 1-10). Score 1 point for each one. Then try to find the ten famous tennis players' surnames (11-20).

- 1. ball 11. Gordon Reid
- 2. ace 12. Novak Djokovic
- 3. volley 13. Rafael Nadal
- 4. baseline 14. Dominic Thiem
- 5. match 15. Roger Federer
- 6. net 16. Jordanne Whiley
- 7. rally 17. Ashleigh Barty
- 8. <u>court</u> 18. Simona <u>Halep</u>
- deuce 19. Karolina Pliskova
- 10. <u>lob</u> 20. Sofia <u>Kenin</u>

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#### Winning word – Match the word to the definitions-

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Ball boys/girls \ A tennis teacher.

Serve The official who keeps the score and ensures that the rules

are followed.

Rally The ball which is hit high into the air.

Tiebreak The act of striking the ball to start play.

Lob This means nothing (nil) to a tennis player.

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softer balls.

Deuce A winning serve that the opponent fails to even touch with

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Love The strokes played before point is won.

Volley The name given to the shot played before the ball bounces.

Coach An obstacle that divides the court across its centre.

Ace A quick method of finishing a game when the score is 6-6.

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