Funky Fruit

Teacher puts on upbeat music. Pupils stand behind their chairs with space to move. Pupils march on the spot. Teacher calls out and leads the actions below.

- Active Apples: Jumping jacks.
- Kicking Kiwis: Kick to low height.
- Leaping Lemons: Jump from one foot to the other.
- **Bouncing Bananas:** Bounce on the spot.
- **Skipping Strawberries:** Skip without a rope.
- Climbing Clementines: Alternate lifting opposite knees with opposite arms in a climbing action.
- Wobbling Watermelons: Wobble your whole body.
- **Running Rhubarb:** Run on the spot.
- Punching Pineapples: Punch at shoulder level. alternating arms.
- Napping Nectarines: Rest head on hands and pretend to sleep.

Learning across the Curriculum

This Bizzy Break can be used as a starting point to explore **fruit and vegetables** for health. You might like to try the below activities.



Irish Heart

Foundation

Strand: Early mathematical activities Strand Unit: Classifying/Ordering

SPHE

Strand: Myself Strand Unit: Taking care of my body

- Classifying and sorting fruit and vegetables.
- Sequencing pictures of instructions Discussing fruit and vegetable for how to prepare fruit salad.
- Exploring the importance of fruit and vegetables for a healthy happy heart.
- preferences.

Additional printable and interactive resources to support these activities are available online at www.IrishHeart.ie