

EDSTART KNOW

- I can explain how different football skills such as dribbling, passing, and shooting are used in a game.
- I can describe how combining these skills helps me play more effectively in attacking and defending situations.
- I can understand how to help my teammates by supporting them during activities and recording scores correctly.

EDSTART GO

- I can combine dribbling, passing, and shooting skills within a game, moving between them with control and fluency.
- I can apply more than one skill at a time during play, showing awareness of space, timing, and pressure.
- I can assist my teammates by giving constructive feedback and helping to record results accurately.

EDSTART SHOW

- I can demonstrate control, coordination, and teamwork when performing football skills in competitive games.
- I can show confidence and good decision-making when attacking and defending.
- I can encourage others, play fairly, and show sportsmanship throughout all activities.

Key Vocabulary

**pass, dribble, shoot,
defend, control,
positioning,
teamwork, tactics**

Role Models



Ella Toone
Manchester United
& England Player



Marcus Rashford -
Barcelona and
England Player

What do we know about Football?

Football, or soccer, was standardised in England in 1863 when the Football Association established a single set of rules. It has since become the most watched and played sport globally, with over 200 national associations under FIFA. The modern game requires tactical intelligence, spatial awareness and teamwork. Data analytics now track player performance, movement and decision-making, transforming elite coaching. Football also serves as a platform for social change, inclusion and community development, promoting values of respect, equality and perseverance.

In Year 4 we learnt

- to use a range of sending and receiving skills, such as passing, catching, or controlling the ball, with accuracy and control.
- send the ball over different distances using appropriate passing techniques for the game or situation.
- track the movement of the ball and use the correct technique to control, receive, or intercept it successfully.