# **SUBJECT: PE**

# UNIT: Year 10 - Softball



# **Key skills**

**Base running** – This skill requires being focused on the game and running between bases with speed and accuracy. Often you can steal bases if you pay good attention through inaccurate throwing and catching.

**Decision making** - Identifying the correct base to throw to in order to prevent runs from being scores. A common misconception is that students focus on the player that is currently batting instead of other plates who are closer from reaching the home plate.

#### **Softball positions**

itcher.

Catcher.

First Base.

Second Base.

Shortstop.

Third Base.

Left Field.

Centre Field.

# Keywords

Pitcher
Strike
Out
Catcher
Base
Foul Ball
Home run
Obstruction
Safe

Inning

# Components of fitness used in Softball

Speed - Distance / Time

Agility - The ability to change direction whilst maintaining speed and balance Coordination - The ability to perform movements using several body parts at once with fluidity Muscular strength - The maximum amount of force produced by a singular muscular contraction. Power - To produce strength quickly in an explosive movement.

