Y5 PE Knowledge Organiser—Gymnastics

Key Knowledge Key Vocabulary Gymnast Learn these key facts Understand these key words Focus Simone Biles Definition Word **Twisted Shapes** The greatest female artistic Taking a normal balance position and **Twisting** (TWISTED TRIANGLE) gymnast of all time with 30 twisting one part of the body To set up the pose keep both pelvic bones level, pointing straight down toward the floor and in line Olympic and World gymnastic under your shoulders. If you can't touch the floor, place your hand on a block. (Overstretching medals. The American has Matching When two or more gymnasts perform the created unique moves vault, same movement in the same direction to beam and 2 different floor match each other moves. She is only 23 (2020) Mirroring When two gymnasts perform the same ready to win even more medals. movement but in different directions to create a mirror image of each other. The beginnings of a handstand—taking Weight on hands Matching Mirroring weight on both hands. A well planned gymnastics routine will Fluency combine balances, linking movements and Max Whitlock compositional ideas. British gymnast 5 time Olympic Transition The links between different actions. medallist. First Britain to win Gold at the Olympics which he **Swinging Gesture** One part of your body swinging—usually to did on the pommel horse and gain momentum floor at the Rio Games in 2016. **Teddy Bear Roll** A pathway with a right angles turn in it. L-Shape He has also won many World and European titles during his Flight Shapes and positions made when you are career. in the air (jumping) Planning out when movements will be **Use of Speed** performed slowly or at speed to help use the different compositional ideas.

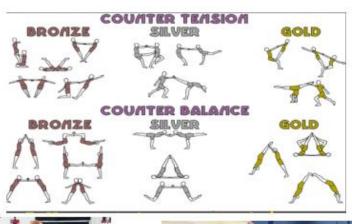
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Key Knowledge

Learn these key facts

Symmetrical Asymmetrical

Partner Balances





Key Vocabulary

Understand these key words

Word	Definition	1
Symmetrical	A body shape that is the same on both sides of the centre line	
Asymmetrical	A body shapes that is different on both sides of the centre line.	
Counter Balance	A partner / group balance using a pushing force against each other to remain still.	
Counter Tension	A partner / group balance using a pulling force away from each other to remain still.	1
Contrasting	Different movements or shapes within a sequence or to a partner.	
Compose	Create a routine to fit a piece of music.	
Forces	Pushing or pulling together or against a partner or piece of apparatus.	

Event Focus

