

## Football Running 9th Grade Rubric



This rubric will help to grade skill level of students in Football Running mechanics. To achieve a skill number, students must demonstrate all of the skills in that scoring level. Emphasis is on the process and mechanics of the sports skill and not the end product.

# Skill Number

## Mechanics and Cues of Skill

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#### **Basic Skill Level**

- Student does not have football properly tucked under their arm so they could lose the football or not run properly with both arms
- Student cannot successfully stop and change directions or quickly move laterally to avoid defenders

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### Elementary Skill Level

- Student does not have football properly tucked under their arm so they could lose the football or not run properly with both arms
- Student can successfully stop and change directions or quickly move laterally to avoid defender
- Student can run with head up
- Student can use a jab step to fake out a defender

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#### Intermediate Skill Level

- Student has football properly tucked under their arm so they can run using both arms
- Student uses their body, not their arm, to avoid getting their belt pulled off
- Student can stop and change directions or quickly move laterally to avoid defenders
- Student can avoid or dodge defender using a jab step and stutter step
- Student runs with head up

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### Exemplar Skill Level

- Student has football properly tucked under their arm so they can run using both arms
- Student uses their body, not their arm, to avoid getting their belt pulled off
- Student can stop and change directions or quickly move laterally to avoid defenders
- Student can avoid or dodge defenders using spin move and stop and go move
- Student is hard to catch and going full speed all the time