ATHLETIC DEVELOPMENT CHECKLIST steps in the pathway to long-term athletic success

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FUN	☐ Most of the time	
I enjoy playing my primary sport(s).	□ Some of the time	
I look forward to practices and	☐ Less of the time	
games.		
SLEEP	☐ Most of the time	
I get 9-12 hours of sleep at night	□ Some of the time	
and go to bed early before games.	Less of the time	
NUTRITION	☐ Most of the time	
I avoid junk food, eat fruits,	☐ Some of the time	
vegetables and other healthy	☐ Less of the time	
choices.		
HYDRATION	☐ Most of the time	
I drink mostly water and avoid	☐ Some of the time	
sugary drinks like soda, juice and	☐ Less of the time	
sports drinks.		
PRACTICE	☐ Most of the time	
I practice my sport(s) on my own	Some of the time	
and/or play pick up sport(s).	Less of the time	
WEAKNESSES	☐ Most of the time	
I intentionally focus on improving	☐ Some of the time	
areas of weakness (e.g. opposite	Less of the time	
foot in soccer).		
INJURY PREVENTION	☐ Most of the time	
I stretch regularly, practice my	☐ Some of the time	
agility, balance and coordination	☐ Less of the time	
(e.g. agility ladder).		
STRENGTH & CONDITIONING	□ N4+	
I practice my speed and endurance	☐ Most of the time	
(e.g. sprints).	□ Some of the time	
I practice body resistance exercises	Less of the time	
(e.g. push-ups).		
SCHEDULE	☐ Most of the time	
I balance my schedule between sports and school. I'm careful about	☐ Some of the time	
screen time.	Less of the time	
PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT	☐ Most of the time	
I learn to use my body effectively in	☐ Some of the time	
sports (as a late or early bloomer).	☐ Less of the time	
MULTIPLE SPORTS		
In addition to my primary sport, I	☐ Most of the time	
play other sports competitively or	□ Some of the time	
recreationally.	\square Less of the time	
MENTAL SKILLS		
I learn and practice skills such as	☐ Most of the time	
goal setting, stress management,	☐ Some of the time	
pregame routines, visualization,	☐ Less of the time	
and self-talk.	_ Less of the time	