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| What are the characteristics of a successful recess? | * Collaborative play
* A range of engaging child-led activities
* Opportunities for children to resolve issues/differences with peer mediation
* Opportunities for brain break from classroom learning
* Children displaying confidence
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| What will it look like at your site? | * The playground would have various zones for children to access
* The resources are zones would be inviting, engaging and motivating
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| What steps will you need to take to get there?  | * Train support staff and meal time supervisors to facilitate group games
* Engage in pupil conferencing to ascertain preferences
* Update parents on the developments (posters and newsletters)
* Oragnise and share information in assemblies
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| Who will take the lead?  | * Lead meal time supervisor with the support of the learning mentor, deputy heads and phase leaders
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| What is the timeline?  | * Conferencing and design ideas – October 2021
* Purchasing and labelling – November 2021
* Trialling initiatives – Jan 2022
* Evaluating the investment/new initiative – Feb 2022
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| What support is needed and how will you get it? | * Money/funding from Playworks to purchase phsyical equipment/resources for the playground (benches, stage, audio, skipping ropes, balls, bats etc.)
* Opportunity to see what good practice looks like in other similar settings
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