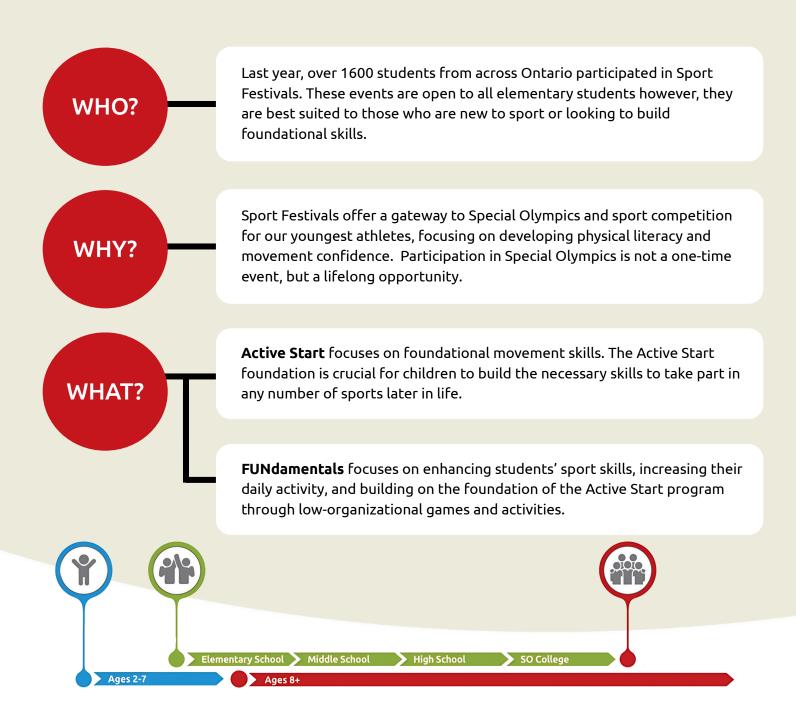




SPORT FESTIVALS

These events target the Active Start and FUNdamentals stages of the Long-Term Development Model, providing students with the opportunity to explore various sport and activity stations throughout the day.



Unified Champion Schools Involvement

The Unified Champion Schools strategy uses sport and wellness as a foundation in combination with two other major pillars, to connect Special Olympic Athletes and Unified partners and create an environment of acceptance and inclusion beyond the playing field. Unified Champion Schools prepare all students with lifelong tools and training. This school strategy builds a climate where students work and grow with each other through opportunity for all.

At Sport Festivals, Unified participation offers classmates the opportunity to connect and learn from each other. Unified at this level works best with 1:1 ratio participation (1 Special Olympics athlete: 1 Unified Partner).