

RUNMUMS Advanced Fast 10k Programme

This Advanced Fast 10k Training Plan is designed to get those who can comfortably run a 10k and perhaps a half-marathon already and are looking to improve their time. At this stage you are probably already doing a minimum of 30-miles a week and have comfortably completed our RUNMUMS Intermediate 10k Programme.

Just a few things to bear in mind:

- Follow our RUNMUMS 10K plan and make a commitment to run six times a week.
- Each of the six runs is designed to increase your weekly mileage together with some high intensity speed work:
 - Two steady/easy run designed to run at a conversational pace. So, if in doubt slow down.
 - Three slightly harder sessions to try and get the heart rate up by including some tempo, hills and/or speed work. Try and maintain good form and pace. It will feel harder, but it will make your stronger.
 - One longer run on or off-road. These are designed as slow, steady, gradual increases in your weekly mileage.
- Always start with a 5-minute warm-up jog or walk with some dynamic stretches.
- Always finish with a 5-10 stretching programme.
- There is nothing to suggest you need to run continuously either. If you feel tired, then walk until recovered but try and walk purposefully if you can.
- Rest and recovery days are just as important as run days; without them you will not improve. It allows your muscles to recover and build up strength.
- An option for those in-between rest days is to stretch, do some core strength training, or cross train such as biking, swimming, walking, Pilates, depending on how your body feels, but do not do too much that you burn yourself out.
- Unless you've planned to do a 10K event, then don't be afraid to repeat a week or drop back a week. Everyone is different.
- You can start at any stage depending on your current level of fitness.
- The programme is only a guide so please feel free to make any minor changes or swap the days around.

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Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	40 to 45 min easy/ste ady run + Weight session	1-mile warmup, stretch, 2 sets x 7 hills (200m), jog down to recover and walk between each set, 1-mile cool-down	35 to 40 min steady run, Weights session	1-mile warmup, 3- mile tempo, 1-mile steady, 2-mile tempo, 1-mile cool- down	Core strength and conditioning	1-mile warmup, 35-mins fartlek, 1- mile cooldown	8 to 10- mile steady off-road run + core exercise
2	40 to 45 min easy/ste ady run + Weight session	1-mile warmup, stretch, 6 x 3 mins hard run with 2 mins jog recovery, 1-mile cool-down	35 to 40 min steady run, Weights session	1-mile warmup, 5- mile tempo, 1-mile cool- down	Core strength and conditioning	1-mile warmup, 35-mins fartlek, 1- mile cooldown	8 to10-mile steady off- road run + core exercise
3	40 to 45 min easy/ste ady run + Weight session	2-mile warmup, 3 sets of 1000m, 600m, 400m with 200m recovery, 2-mile cooldown	35 to 40 min steady run, Weights session	1-mile warmup, 3- mile tempo, 1-mile steady, 2-mile tempo, 1-mile cool- down	Core strength and conditioning	1-mile warmup, 40-mins fartlek, 1- mile cooldown	8 to 10- mile steady off-road run + core exercise
4	40 to 45 min easy/ste ady run + Weight session	1-mile warmup, stretch, 8 x 4 mins hard run with 2 mins jog recovery, 1-mile cool-down	35 to 40 min steady run, Weights session	1-mile warmup, 6- mile tempo, 1-mile cool- down	Core strength and conditioning	1-mile warmup, 40-mins fartlek, 1- mile cooldown	8 to 10- mile steady off-road run + core exercise

5	40 to 45 min easy/ste ady run + Weight session	2-mile warmup, 4 x 1000m (target race pace), 4 x 400m (slightly faster than target race pace), 2 x 1000, 2 x 400m with 200m recovery, 2-mile cooldown	35 to 40 min steady run, Weights session	1-mile warmup, 3 x 2-mile tempo with 3-mins easy jog in- between, 1- mile cool- down	Core strength and conditioning	1-mile warmup, 40-mins fartlek, 1- mile cooldown	9 to 10- mile steady off-road run + core exercise
6	40 to 45 min	1-mile warmup,	35 to 40 min steady run,	1-mile warmup, 6-	Core strength and	1-mile warmup,	10-mile steady off-
	easy/ste	stretch, 8 x	Weights	mile tempo,	conditioning	40-mins	road run +
	ady run	4 mins	session	1-mile cool-		fartlek, 1- mile	core
	+ Weight	hard run with 2 mins		down		cooldown	exercise
	session	jog					
		recovery, 1-mile					
		cool-down					
7	40 to 45	2-mile	35 to 40 min	1-mile	Core	1-mile	8-mile
	min easy/ste	warmup, 4 sets of	steady run, Weights	warmup, 5- mile tempo,	strength and conditioning	warmup, 35-mins	steady off- road run +
	ady run	light drills	session	1-mile cool-	conditioning	fartlek, 1-	core
	+	1000m,		down		mile	exercise
	Weight	600m,				cooldown	
	session	400m with					
		200m recovery,					
		2-mile					
		cooldown					

8	30-min	1-mile	35 to 40 min	Rest or 2 or 3-	Rest if you	Rest Day	10K		
	easy/ste	warmup,	steady run,	miles easy run,	ran		Race		
	ady run	stretch, 8 x	3 x 100m	4 x 100m strides	yesterday		Day		
	+ light	2 mins,	strides.	walk in-between	otherwise				
	Weight	with 2 mins	Core	to recover	yesterdays				
	session	jog	exercises		session				
		recovery							
		(controlled							
		& strong),							
		1-mile							
		cool-down							
Congratulations on reaching your 10k GOAL!									

