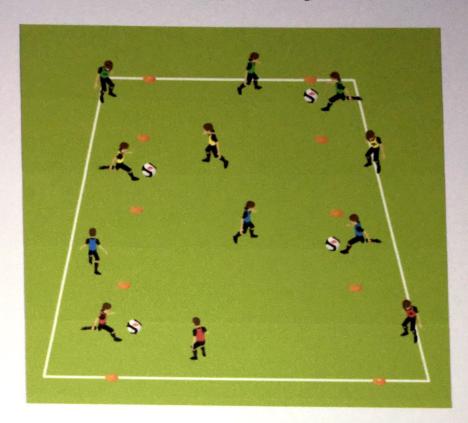
Week Six - Warm Up

Short Short Long



OBJECTIVE: Passing/Receiving Technique, Movement without the ball

TIME: 15 minutes

GRID SIZE: 2 lines of cones 20 yards (length) and 10 yards (width)

increase/decrease based on ability and technique being taught

EQUIPMENT: 10 cones, 4 balls

ORGANIZATION: Groups of three players (four groups) One player each on the

ends and one player in the middle

RULES:

A plays SHORT pass to B; B plays SHORT pass back to A; A

plays LONG pass to C and follows pass. B takes A's spot Creating another SHORT-SHORT-LONG opportunity.

COACHING Inside of foot passing technique Instep passing technique

VARIATIONS Player in middle stays for 45-60 seconds, then rotates to the

outside.

Week Six - Tech Game

1 v1 + 2 to goal



OBJECTIVE: Improving ability to go past a defender (Dribble or Wall Pass)

Improving shooting on goal

TIME: 15 minutes

GRID SIZE: 25 yards (length) x 15 yards (width); vary size by age and ability;

goal 7 yards (width)

EQUIPMENT: 6 small cones, 2 large cones, 2 pinnies, supply of balls

ORGANIZATION: One GK, Two neutral (wide) players, the rest divided into two

teams (1 Attacking, 1 Defending)

RULES: Attacking player starts play by dribbling into field. Defending

player defends when ball is put into play. Attacking player attempts to beat defender (dribble or wall pass with neutral player(s) and shoot on goal. Defender wins ball and dribbles across the attacking start line (for a score). Rotate teams

including GK and Neutral players.

COACHING Get past the defender as quickly as possible, via dribble.

POINTS: Shoot on goal (low shot to corners is ideal)

VARIATIONS When defending player wins ball, he dribbles off the field,

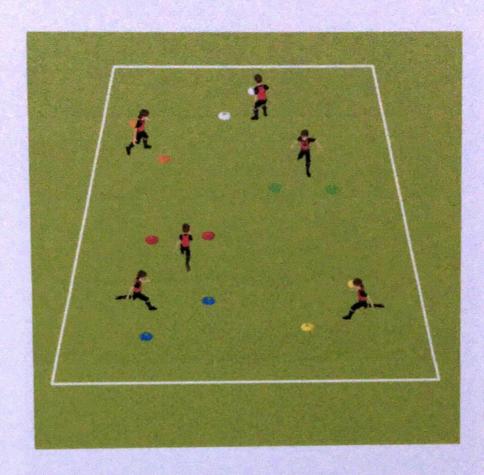
and attacker must now attempt to win the ball back. Transition

from attack to defense and defense to attack.

Defenders rotate with attacker after they win the ball

leek Six - Fitness

Running Gates



OBJECTIVE: Improving coordination, speed and agility

TIME: 15 minutes

GRID SIZE: Gates spread around field, min. distance between 8-10 yds.

EQUIPMENT: 10 cones, 2 cones per gate

ORGANIZATION: Gates (3-4 steps apart) placed randomly around field.

RULES: Players try to run through as many gates in allotted time Length of each run should be 30-60 seconds

COACHING

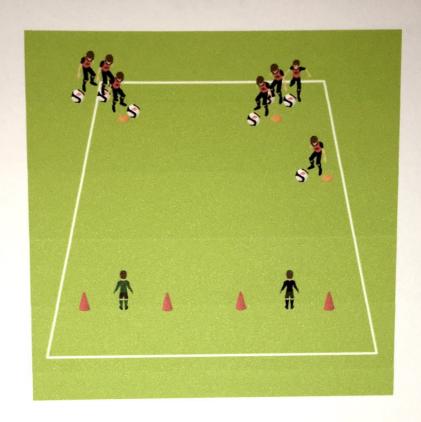
Vision - Avoid crowded gates
Spacial awareness

VARIATIONS

Running Backwards
Skipping
Push-Up at gate
Figure 8 around the cones (gate)
Somersault through gate
Jump over cones at gate

Week Six - Technical/Tactical Game

Dribble Shoot & Dribble Pass Shoot



Improve Shots on Goal **OBJECTIVE:**

15 minutes TIME:

Start point is 20 yards away from goal (goal 6 yards wide) GRID SIZE:

7 cones and supply of balls **EQUIPMENT**:

One goalkeeper in each goal (2), one receiver 12 yards from **ORGANIZATION**

B Goal, all others with a ball at start cones (Groups A and B)

Group A shooter dribbles within 10 yards of goal and shoots; Group B passer dribbles 3-4 yards and passes to receiver, who RULES:

receives ball, turns and shoots on goal. Passer replaces the

receiver/shooter. Rotate Goalkeepers every 5 shots.

Dribble at game speed COACHING Instep passing technique POINTS:

Inside of foot passing technique

Shoot low and to corners

Shooter must use right/left foot or pre-determined technique. **VARIATIONS**

Week Six - Final Game

 $4 \vee 4 + 4$



OBJECTIVE: Creating game situations in small sided games, utilizing

numerical advantage.

TIME: 15 minutes

GRID SIZE: 30 yards (length) x 20 yards (width), goals 7 yards (wide)

EQUIPMENT: 6 small cones, 4 large cones, 4 pinnies

ORGANIZATION: Four teams of four players. Two teams play 4 v 4 with other team on outside of field (neutral) playing with the attacking team

RULES: Teams play 4 v 4, attacking team can play ball to each other and 4 neutral players (on outside). Rotate teams every 5 minutes.

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Team shape - Diamond (organize when ball is out of play
Combination play (wall pass)

VARIATIONS

Limit # of touches (two touch max., 3 touches max.).

Game to one goal, winning team stays on.