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Practice with a plan

Date: 05/10/21

Length: 60 mins

12:00am Focus: Passing and Combinations

Start Time: 12:00am 1:00am

Level: U10

Group: Grade 3 & 4

Drill Name Length Start Category Notes 10 12:00am **Technical Warm Up** Warm Up 10 12:10am **Gates passing** 4 cones for field area Passing/receiving 2 cones per gate (goal) 1 ball per pair Min 6 players to start this drill. 10 12:20am **Combination Passing &** Passing/receiving 4 cones 10X10 yard grid Receiving 2 balls. For U10 & above 12:30am keep away big square Passing/receiving 10 + older kids play 3 in the middle + side players can be challenged + side players can pass to each other

Notes: Focus on passing, passing combinations, and basic possession.

Game Play

Drill Title: Gates passing

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12:40am



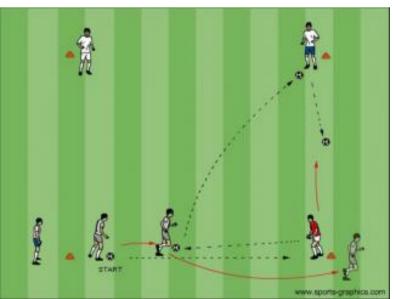
In a 25x30 yard grid, set up many gates(two cones about 1 yard apart). Players are now in pairs with a soccer ball. They must pass the soccer ball through the gate to their teammate in order to score a point and move to another goal to score another point.

Game play

Coach: Players count how many points they score in a minute. Have them pass only with their left foot or right foot, or the outside of their foot.

Key Points: locked ankle toe up eyes on ball at instant of contact follow through to partner

Drill Title: Combination Passing & Receiving



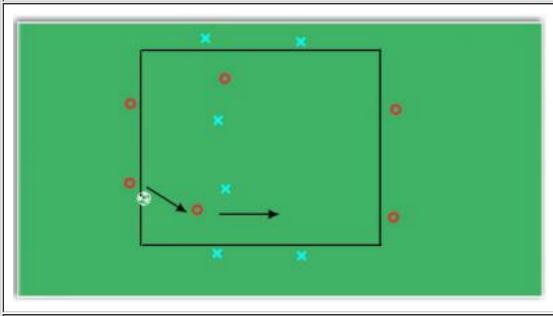
Red player starts with the ball and passes to the player in the corner to their right. Red player checks to the player they passed to and gets the pass back and immediately passes across the field to the player at the other corner and the red player goes to the next cone. All players move in a counter clockwise direction.

This pattern continues-pass, check to the ball, pass across. This is a continuous drill.

Progress: two balls at once. Start with a ball in opposite corners and make sure the players start at the same time.

Key Points: Passing and receiving, , you need thinkers to get this one.

Drill Title: keep away big square



O play O with x play with x. Play with 6 players on the side and 4 in the middle keep away. To score a point players have to get the ball from one side to the other.

Key Points: Passing tech Movement(rotation) awareness