

ACTIVITY PLAN

Age Group: U8

Week 4	Organization:	Procedure:	Key Coaching Points:	
Passing Warm up Objective: To Improve Passing.	20 yard x 20 yard area	Each player has a ball. As they move around the grid they try to hit another players ball with their own ball. 1 point for each successful try. Who can get 5 points? 1 minute rounds – include stretching movements.	- Accuracy of pass - Weight of pass - Timing of pass - Disguise your pass - Inside of foot- Use the inside part of the foot - Push through the ball - Outside of foot (Good for disguise)	
Week 4 Individual Activity Objective: To Improve Individual Passing Skills.	Organization: 20 yard x 20 yard area. Players get into pairs at opposite ends of the grid. Cones are randomly spread out in the middle of the grid	Players try to knock down as many cones as they can. The ball must be moving at the time of the players pass. 1 point for each cone knocked down. Which pair can get the most points?	- Accuracy of pass - non kicking foot - Weight of pass - Part of foot? - Hit through the middle of the ball - Body position - Push through the ball Progression: Variation- Ball must first be passed to you by your partner	



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Week 4 Small Group Activity Objective: To improve Individual Passing Skills	The staring cone is 12 yards from the bowling pins. Players are split into 3 groups, with 1 ball per group.	Procedure: Players take turns trying to knock down the bowling pins from behind the starting cone. The team that gets all the pins down first and is in a straight line wins the game. After every pass the player must retrieve the ball for their team mates.	- Accuracy of pass - Weight of pass - Speed & Mobility Encourage passing with either foot		
Week 4 3 v 3 Small Sided Game Objectives To improve Individual & Small Group Game Understanding.	Organization: 20 x 30 yard area Play a 3 v 3 match 6ft x 6ft Goals Size 3 ball	Procedure: Free Play!	Summation of all challenges for the players. Stay out of their way and let them play.		