

## Topic: Short Passing – Outside of foot Date:

FUNDAMENTAL - WARM UP	<ul> <li>ORGANIZATION</li> <li>Ball between three players – moving and passing</li> <li>Progressions: Specify what surface must be used to pass the ball (more of an emphasis on the outside of the feet)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>KEY COACHING POINTS</li> <li>Point the striking foot down and in</li> <li>Ankle locked</li> <li>Knee of kicking foot over ball</li> <li>Support foot is behind the plane of the ball to allow room for kicking motion</li> <li>Strike through the upper half of the ball to keep it low</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Up to seven two player teams run while holding hands in a 50-x-40 yard area</li> <li>Two hunters use one ball, kicking it at the other two player teams using the outside of their foot</li> <li>When a pair gets struck they become hunters too</li> <li>Last surviving teams wins</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Good technique</li> <li>Good pace</li> <li>Accurate passes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Play 3v3 plus 2 neutrals in a 40-x-30 yard area</li> <li>Players are restricted to only using the outside of their feet</li> <li>Progressions: Remove the outside of the foot restriction. Add a goal at each end; teams get 2 points for 7 consecutive passes and 1 point for a goal. The neutral players each join a team so it is 4v4.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Good technique</li> <li>Good pace</li> <li>Accurate passes</li> <li>Run initiates the pass</li> <li>Passes should be played on angles so they are not intercepted</li> <li>Use disguise when passing – do not telegraph the pass</li> </ul>
MATCH CONDITION GAME       4v4	<ul> <li>Play 4v4 with no restrictions on players</li> <li>Teams score by shooting into goals</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Look for good team shape</li> <li>Watch for proper technique</li> <li>Observe to see if session has helped with passing technique</li> </ul>