

Topic: Short Passing – Outside of foot Date:

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