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Activity Name	Description	Diagram	Purpose/Coaching Points
Sequence Order Passing	 Divide group into 3 groups of 4 players. Have each group number themselves 1 through 4 Object is for the groups to pass through the sequence while moving through out the field Variations: Race through the sequence. 1st team to complete order sits down Go backwards through the order. 4		 Instant Activity. Stimulate the players for the practice to come – both mentally and physically. Work on moving off the ball. Passing Technique
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COMBAT	 Divide the group into two teams of 6 each team wearing a different color. Organize all the balls in one area and have the players form. Two lines on either side of the balls. Coach will toss out a ball and say a color. If the coach says nothing – both teams send out 3 players. If the coach calls out a specific team color – that team sends out 3 players while the other team only send out 2 Object once the ball is tossed out is to get the ball back to the coach. Variations: Change the number of players who go out to play Coach can change their position. There by changing the location of the target 	Coach & A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	1). Having the players build (pass) the ball toward a target and being rewarded for doing this under control 2). Players off the ball - working on making the field bigger when your team has the ball. 3). Players off the ball - working on moving into a place where the person on the ball can see them and there is a clear path for the ball to travel to them. 4). Player on the ball making good decisions on where the ball should go - toward the target/objective and away from the defenders 5). Quality of passing - making your teammate look good with your pass



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4 v 4 to targets	 Divide the group into two teams of 6 each team wearing a different color. Set-up a field that is wider than it is long with three small goals on each end line. Play 4 v 4 on the field with two players from each team standing behind the end line that their team is attacking. Scoring: +1 point for any ball passed through small goal +5 points for any ball passed through small and received by your teammate. Hints: Players behind the end line can move and cover behind any of the 3 goals that the chose. 		Same as Above – except now the learning environment is looking more like the game.
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6 v 6 w/ GK	 Divide the group into two teams of 6 each team wearing a different color. Play 6 v 6. 5 Field Players and 1 Goalkeeper for each team. Scoring: + 1 for any goal 	Field size: 45 yards long by 35 yards wide with appropriate size goal on the end line (6 by 12).	Final part of practice. MUST look like the game.
	4). All regular rules apply		