

Organization: Arlington Soccer Club F2020

60 minute Week 4

Age Group:

U8s

Grade 2-4

Category:

Competitive

Topic: Defending

Objective: Recover with transition to attack

Field Set Up 1	Organization:	14 Player Max	Coaching Points	Progressions
PLAYERS SOCCER	soccer locker. Each and that will be the the entire session. Each cone should be only places where to break, remove mas break. The coach should be where he/she keep bag etc. Each practice should	and set up the players a player will go to 1 cone re designated cone for the following person of the players can take a ks and have a water have his/her own square s equipment, sanitizer,	N/A N/A	



Organization: 30x20

14 Player Max

Coaching Points

10 Minutes

1 ball for every two players

Gates placed inside the area 1 metre apart

1 attacker 1 defender

Attacker must dribble through cones to score points

If defender wins the ball, they will switch roles

Soft touches when in small spaces. Larger touches when players see space to run into

Head up, scanning the area

Change of direction

Change of pace

REMEMBER TO ENCOURAGE CLEAN TACKLES, NO SHOULDER TO SHOULDER CONTACT, LIMIT INTENTIONAL CONTACT

Technical Practice

Scrimmage

Dynamic Warm up 2

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20 Minutes

CHALLENGER

Area 16x12

Defender on blue cone passes the ball to attacker on the red cone.

As soon as the pass is played the second defender on the blue cone can come in and pressure to defend

The defender who played the first pass will run around the blue cone in front of them and come into play as a covering defender Attacker has to dribble through the gate at the opposite end once they receive a pass If defender wins the ball it becomes a 2v1 and they can score in either goal

Close down quickly

Poor first touch from attacker, defender should win the ball

Good first touch from attacker, defender should delay

Body shape and stance, low and side/diagonal on

Jockey/delay be patient as you have support from the second defender

Second defender to recover quickly with speed around the cone

If ball is won back it is then a transition to attack (2v1)

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Set teams up

Ball Mastery

14 Player Max

Coaching Points

decisions? Set targets

Can you encourage positivity? Can you let players make their own

30 Minutes

Follow new MYS guidance/rules

N/A