

6U---8U Graduating Standards and Exercises

Technical: Dribbling

- Introduction to:
 - o Changing direction with different parts of feet (Step, Hook and Cut)
 - Feel comfortable carrying ball

Technical: Passing

- · Introduction to:
 - Push Pass, Slip Pass and Toe Poke Pass

Technical: Receiving

- Introduction to:
 - Inside of foot and Sole / Bottom

Technical: Kicking

- Introduction to:
 - Laces contact (shooting)
 - o Dead balls, Moving balls and Bouncing balls

Tactical:

- Introduction to:
 - o Offense, Defense and Sides of the Field
 - Elements of Transition (letting them know that transition exists)
 - o Awareness of area
 - o Aggressiveness

Physical:

- Introduction to:
 - Stopping and Starting
 - Running (acceleration and deceleration)
 - Back Pedaling
 - Turning
 - Jumping
 - Lateral Movement

Psychosocial:

- Introduction to:
 - o Focus in Practice
 - Respect
 - o Enjoyment
 - Effort
 - o Positive Self---esteem / Confidence