

**U12 Session Plan** 

Season Spring 2016

Topic

**Individual Attacking of the #9** 

(5 W's)

Who: Forwards Where: In the attacking (final) third of the field **Objectives** What: Dribbling, Passing, Receiving & Shooting to create scoring chances When: When in possession of the ball and within striking range

Why: Create more scoring chances when within striking range

Organization

Duration

15 mins

Medium Intensity

4v0 to Goal Stage 1

Area: 40Wx50L yard field with a small goal on each end line and all the soccer balls by the goals. Target team (Red): #'s 7, 8, 9, 11 - Opposition team (White): #'s 7, 8, 9 & 11. Each team has 4 players on the field & 4 on deck. All the players must touch the the ball then score. Once goal is scored, exit the field and team on deck enters the field. Play till 1 team scores eight goals before the other team does.

**Coaching Points** 

Activity Time 2 mins

Rest 1 min

Intervals

What? Technique - Dribbling: running with the ball. Passing: Get in line with the flight of the ball. Head still & eyes on the ball. Receiving: Surface of the foot and the ball to move forward. Turning when back is to goal. Shooting: Head down to watch the ball off your foot. Preparation touch to play forward (distance from body). None kicking foot along side of the ball.

## 4v4 to Goal Stage 2



Organization

Duration

18 mins

Intensity

Medium

Area: 40Wx50L yard field with a small goal on each end line and all the soccer balls at midfield with the coach. Target team (Red): #'s 7, 8, 9, 11 – Opposition team (White): #'s 7, 8, 9, 11. 4 players on the field and 4 on deck. Play a game for 3 minutes or 2 goals. If a goal is scored, the coach will put a new ball into play Any goal scored by the #9 is worth 3 points and a game winner.

**Coaching Points** 

Activity Time 90 sec

Rest 90 sec

Intervals

What? Technique - Dribbling: To beat an opponent. Running with the ball. Turning to beat an opponent. Passing/Receiving: Head down. Proper surface for a long/ short pass. Watch the ball off your foot. Watch the ball onto your foot. Attacking Principles - Penetration: Where? When? Support: Who? Where? When? Support: Who? When? Where?

Organization

Duration

20 mins

Intensity

Low

**Stage 3** 7v7 to Goal and Small Counter Goal

Area: 47Wx60L yard field, a big goal at 1 end and a small counter at the other. Target team (Red): 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 – Opposition team (White): 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11. Red attacks the big goal. If white wins the ball, they attack the small counter goal. Any goal or assist by the Red #9 is worth 5 points.

**Coaching Points** 

Activity Time 8 mins

Rest

2 mins

Intervals

What? Technique: Dribbling. Passing. Receiving. Shooting.

Attacking Principles - Penetration: Who? Where? When? Support: Who? When?

Where? Mobility-Who? Where? When? Why? Improvisation-Why?

Stage 4 - 9v9 Formation R GK-2-3-3 v W GK-3-3-2 Activity Time 10 mins Duration 22 mins Intervals 2

In a 47Wx75L yard field, play 9v9. All FIFA Laws apply. Organization

**Coaching Points** Technical execution, Attacking Principles (5 W's), Speed of play