# WESTPORT SOCCER ASSOCIATION REC Developmental Clinics

### **Program Emphasis:**

- Personal Development
- Basic Skill Development
- Motor Skill, Agility & Coordination Development
- Problem Solving & Decision Making Independent Thinkers
- Small sided team play
- Fun Enjoyment

### **Player Responsibilities:**

#### **VERY IMPORTANT**

- ✓ Bring an inflated soccer ball no ball, no skills
- ✓ Bring soccer shoes and shin guards **SAFETY** 
  - We will not let a child participate if we feel it is unsafe
- ✓ Bring water
- ✓ Be on time
- ✓ Good Attitude
- ✓ Pick up your garbage
- ✓ Have Fun

#### Parents:

- Please drop off and pick up children on the field, on time
- Parents are welcome to observe all sessions
- Stay off training area during sessions (at least a 10-yard cushion)
- Viewing on one side of field only (Parking lot side)
- Please follow all parking area rules Be very careful in parking lot!
- Cancellation hotline number 203-221-9900
- Coaches are free for questions before and after sessions
  - Not during sessions!





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## PROGRAM CURRICULUM K to 2nd Grade

Week 1

**Emphasis:** Fun, teamwork, communication

Week 2

**Emphasis:** Throw-ins, basic dribbling (different foot contacts)

Week 3

**Emphasis:** Dribbling (keeping ball close to you), independent decisions

Week 4

**Emphasis:** Turning with sole, inside, and outside of foot, dribbling (shielding ball)

Week 5

**Emphasis:** Motor skills development (agility), dribbling (running with the ball), scoring

Week 6

**Emphasis:** Passing, communication, scoring, awareness, independent decisions

Week 7

**Emphasis:** 1 vs. 1 and 2 vs. 2 attack and defend, scoring, awareness

Week 8

**Emphasis:** Fun, decision making, teamwork, awareness

**GAME EMPHASIS:** 1. Small Sided Scrimmages

2. Everybody is involved and running

3. Communication – Verbal & Visual

4. Decision Making – Independent Thinkers

5. FUN

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# PROGRAM CURRICULUM 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Week 1

**Emphasis:** Fun, decision making, teamwork

Week 2

Emphasis: Throw-ins, corners for/against, different foot contacts

Week 3

**Emphasis:** Keeping ball close to you, learning to use inside/outside of foot, scoring

Week 4

**Emphasis:** Running with the ball, 1 vs. 1 attack & defend, scoring

Week 5

**Emphasis:** Trapping ball from air, scoring, awareness

Week 6

**Emphasis:** Passing & moving, supporting passing angles, scoring, awareness

Week 7

**Emphasis:** 2 vs. 2 attack & defend, scoring, awareness

Week 8

**Emphasis:** Fun, decision making, teamwork

**GAME EMPHASIS:** 1. Small Sided Scrimmages

2. Team Shape and Balance

3. Communication – Verbal & Visual

4. Decision Making – Independent Thinkers

5. FUN