



Curriculum – Camp

Activity # - 2802

Topic:	Passing	Age:	All Ages
Section:	Main Theme	Ability Level:	All Levels
Learning Outcome(s):	Improve players decision making on when to pass forward or when to pass sideways		



Organization:

1. 20 yard circle set up as shown
2. 3 defenders inside circle
3. 1 target player in a 5x5 yard target area
4. 1 floating attacker inside circle
5. 1 soccer ball, extras around the outside

Description:

1. Attacking team start with the ball and try to get the ball to the central target player through the floating attacker
2. The target player must remain in central square at all times
3. The floating attacker is only permitted two touches
4. The floating attacker can keep possession by setting back to a player on the outside of the circle
5. Defending players try to intercept ball
6. Defending players must stay inside circle and are not permitted inside the target area
7. Rotate defending players after set period

Coaching Points:

1. Selecting appropriate moment to play to target player
2. Passing accuracy
3. Selecting correct passing technique – push, chip, driven
4. Drawing defenders in close to exploit space in behind
5. Penetrating passes between defenders

Progression:

1. P – Limit the floating attacker to one touch
2. R – Allow the target player to move freely inside the circle