Session Plan 9: Maximize Participation, Touches & Smiles

FOLLOW THE LEADER

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Time: 5mins

- Have the kids follow their parents (or another player)
- If they get within 3-4 steps of the leader when you say freeze, they get a point

Size: 20 x 20 yards Organization / Equipment: Balls

• If playing kid following kid, switch roles periodically



Constraints to Modify or Challenge:

 Encourage them to keep their eyes up to see the ball and their leader

DRAGON TAILS

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<u>Time</u>: 5mins <u>Size</u>: 20 x 20 yards <u>Organization / Equipment</u>: Pinny

Explanation: Ensure the groups are not too close together. Players work together to keep the catcher from grabbing the "Dragon Tail".

Constraints to Modify or Challenge:

- Have a co-coach or parent supervise each group
- Kids can hold hands or link arms
- Play for 1 min then change the tail and chaser

WATER BREAK

CAT & MOUSE DRIBBLING

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2 mins

<u>Time</u>: 10mins <u>Size</u>: 5 x 10 yards <u>Organization / Equipment</u>: Balls, Cones



Explanation:

Time: 6mins

- Can the Cat dribble their ball close (1 foot) to the Mouse?
- They can then touch the Mouse or their ball to switch roles; a game of tag

Constraints to Modify or Challenge:

- Have the players switch roles if tags are not happening
- Have the players switch partner every 3 minutes

DROP - KICK - CATCH

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Constraints to Modify or Challenge:

Have kids throw the ball in the air and catch

Explanation: Have kids drop-kick-catch the ball

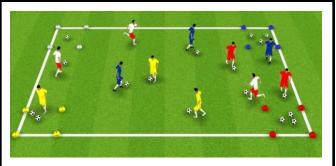
 Have them clap and catch, clap twice & catch, throw and turn 180, throw & turn 360

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STEAL THE GOLD

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Explanation:

Cones, Balls

Time: 10mins

- Split kids into 2-4 pirate ships (cone circles)
- Visual & Verbal Demonstration
- Kids can only take one piece of gold at a time

Constraints to Modify or Challenge:

- One of the coaches can be a giant octopus that steals gold
- Kids can hop to the pirate ship & dribble back
- Have them perform pull back turns or use the baby-toe to turn with the ball

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2 mins **WATER BREAK** Size: 20 x 20 yards Organization / Equipment: Balls Time: 5mins **BUM TO MUM** >>>VIDEO LINK CLICK HERE<<< **Explanation**: Ĥ • At first just have the kids shield without touching the ball against their parents "bum to mum" **Constraints to Modify or Challenge:** • Progress into the child being able to move the ball slightly -"Shield the ball" • Parents might steal the ball & the kid must get it back and then shield <u>Time</u>: Remaining Time <u>Size</u>: 20 x 20 yards <u>Organization /</u> **3V3 OR 4V4 GAMES Equipment:** Cones, Balls, Goals **Explanation**: • Two 3V3 or 4v4 Games NO Goalkeepers • Coaches have a responsibility to ensure the games and teams are balanced • Ensure playing time is even • End activity with a team cheer • Ensure every child finds their way safety to their parents