

Topic: When to Dribble and When to Pass

Technical Warm up	Organization	Coaching Pts.
	Dribbling Square:	Dribbling
www.sports-graphics.com	 In a defined grid, half the players stand outside the perimeter, each without a ball. Players with balls are in the middle of the grid and start by dribbling to outside players. Dribble from one side to the other and execute a takeover Dribble from your line past middle & make a pass. After the pass, press the dribbler At the middle, execute a 1v1 move, accelerate and pass Throughout this exercise all players shall be in constant communication 	 Keep your head up and use peripheral vision Change of direction and speed Use arms for balance and protection Once you beat an opponent; accelerate Cues: Identification of visual cues 1v1 no defender behind Free space in front of dribbler Near the attacking area Identification of verbal cues
Small Sided Game	Organization	o "take space", "time",
Www.sportsgraphics.com	 <u>4v4/5v5 Attacking Gates (20 min)</u>: Players divided into two teams Play 5v5 with a series of small gates on the field. Teams score points by dribbling through gates. ▷ Dribble field gate = 1 point ▷ Dribble goal line gate = 3 points ▷ Dribble field gate & pass thru goal line gate = 10 points 	 "take him on" Shielding Dribblers maintain their body between the ball and the defender Passing & Receiving Proper technique of passing and receiving the ball (first touch) Disguise and Deception of
Exp. Small Sided Game	Organization	the pass; selection of proper
	 5v5/6v6 to Four Goals (20 min): Players divided in two teams Play 6v6 with four goals located on end lines; each team attacks & defends two. Teams score points by dribbling or passing through goals. Dribble goal on end line = 3 points Pass goal on end line = 1 point 	 striking surface Quality of the pass; proper weight Speed of play Possession vs. penetration Quick positioning for support providing good attacking shape Team communication
www.sports-graphics.com	Time: 20 minutes	
Game	Organization	Coaching Pts.
11v11 Scrimmage	Play with Goalkeepers. Encourage keeper to communicate with teammates.	• All of the above Time: 30 minutes
COOL DOWN	Activities to reduce heart rate, static stretching	& review session. Time: 5-10 Minutes