| Session Focus: Kick Passing | Prep: 1. Split into 4 teams, approx. 8 v 8 for matches, half with bibs $\&$ half without bibs |  |
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| Exercise 1: 20 mins Possession Game : Boxing | BOXING <br> HOW TO PLAY: 10 v $10 \bullet$ Pitch size $80 \mathrm{~m} \times 40 \mathrm{~m} \bullet$ Full Rules • A score is registered when team gets the ball cleanly to player marke $x$ in the box e Player inside box area cannot come outside the box area and no one else can come in $\bullet$ After a score that team will get possession and can attack the opposite box <br> PROGRESSION: After a score when a team gets the ball to the half way line they can decide to attack either box. Fist pass only. Reaction ball can be used. Apply 4 second rule. Foot pass to score WHAT IT DEVELOPS: Passing under pressure, catching \& tacklin |  |
| Exercise 2: 10 mins <br> 1. Dynamic movement/strength development exercises | - Declan to lead |  |
| Exercise 3: 20 mins (Block Down) 10 mins in pairs: <br> 1. Divide into pairs, one ball to each pair. <br> 2. One kicking and one blocking <br> 3. Switch kicker and blocker <br> 10 mins: <br> Tackle Alley (1v1): <br> -defender passes ball to attacker, then closes down attacker before they shoots for point -focus on blocking but includes tackling too -stop \& fix fouls |  | Attacker <br> Defender <br> $\Delta$ <br> Goals |
| Match 20 (mins) <br> Stop \& Fix: <br> 1. "Find a pass" first - too many of them are taking a solo before looking for pass. <br> 2. "Play as a team" - pass to free player in best position to score - rather than trying to take a man on so they can score | Pitch 1, 2 \&: $-8 \text { v } 8$ <br> -3 seconds to get rid of ball <br> - Block = Score |  |
| Wrap up race/fun game (5 min) |  |  |

