

FC BartlesvilleAcademy

Practice Lesson Plan: Week 4

Team: U10 Academy Boys Practice time 1:30 Coach Marshall

Topic: Pressure and Cover #3

Time	Activity & Description	Coaching Points	Field Layout
10-15	 Station 1: Pressure/ Cover 2v2 Players play 1v2 trying to score by dribbling over the end line. Defensive Team plays Offensive team ball and then the game is live. Points are scored when offensive and defensive teams dribble pass the end line. 1pt. if the offensive team scores, 2 pts. If the defensive team scores. No points given if ball goes out. Progress to: 2v3 	 Breaking down (body position). Communication: "Pressure & Cover" Players Call out "Pressure & Cover" Coaches:, Walsh, Brown	
10- 15	 Station 2: Pressure / Cover 2v3 Players play 2v2 trying to dribble across the endline opposite them. Both offensive and defensive team wins the ball they try to do them same. Defensive team gets 2pts each time they cross the endline and 3 pts if they stop it on the line. Progress to: 3v3 	 Players Call out "pressure & cover Balance" Good covering position Switching roles (pressure to cover, cover to pressure, balance to cover, etc) Coaches: Pectol	
10-15	Station 3: Pressure / Cover 3v3 - Players play 3v3 trying to shoot on goal Defensive team must get back into defensive shape and not pressure the offensive team until they cross the half line. Only then can they try to win the ball.	 Switching roles "who is pressure & who is cover" Getting into a good defensive shape (Shape that does not allow shots form distance. Coaches: Jon.Reeder, Lindbloom 	
10-15	Station 4 & 5: End Game 6v6 - All rules apply Free kicks (indirect and direct), given when rules are broken. Progress to: Limited touches, Must trap ball first, extra points scored off cross, direct kicks, etc	 Breaking down Calling for ball using terms (line, square, drop, through) Responsibility of each position (throw ins, corner kicks, goal kicks, etc) Coaches: Jen Reeder, Eads 	