

BANTAM PRACTICE PLAN

URATION: 60

10 MIN CROSSOVER SNAKE

- · Crossovers around pylons
- \cdot Continuous crossovers, no forward striding

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· Add pucks, and repeat the pattern

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · Quick feet
- · Inside shoulder up when expecting contact
- \cdot Minimize handling of puck



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

• No tight turns

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- · No forward striding
- · 2nd player leaves as first passes the 2nd cone

10 MIN

2 ON 0, 1 ON 1 CONFIRMED

- \cdot Partners pass 2-on-0, circling the ice
- \cdot On the whistle, players play 1-on-1 in small area
- \cdot On the next whistle, revert to 2-on-0 passing, skating around the ice in the opposite direction

KEY TEACHING POINTS

· Consider puck protection vs. attacking triangle



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

• Different puck protection techniques in different areas of the ice (boards, front of the net, corners)

10 MIN NZ AGILITY

- \cdot 4 lines of players at blue lines, opposite lines start on Coach's whistle
- · Players skate around circle in different patterns
- · Face one way, pick up puck in middle
- Tight turn before picking up puck
- Start with puck, drop it on red, pick of other players puck on red opposite red line, then shoot on goal

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- $\cdot \text{ Quick feet}$
- · Puck control



- **KEY EXECUTION POINTS**
 - · Head up to avoid collision

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10 MIN 1 ON 1 GAP CONTROL

 \cdot D1 skates forward around pylon, pivots backward to face 01

 \cdot O1 attacks with puck when D1pivots around pylon Progression:

- \cdot D2 starts with puck, passes to O2 when at pylon
- · 02 attacks 1 on 1

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · O's Attack, change of speed
- · Be creative
- \cdot D's Good gap and stick position



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

Pylon position can dictate gap, accommodate for skill level of D

10 MIN 4 CORNER 2 ON 0 WITH REGROUP

- \cdot 01 & 02 exchange passes while skating the length of the ice
- \cdot Give the puck to 03 or 04 who return the pass to either 01 or 02
- · 01 & 02 execute a 2 on 0
- \cdot O3 & O4 follow O1 & O2 exchanging passes and repeating the drill

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · Provide good target for receiving
- · Narrow the lane between passes
- · Good timing on regroup



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

- \cdot Maintain high tempo throughout the duration
- · Coach to monitor tempo and safety

10 MIN 10 PUCK RELAY

- · Spot ten pucks on each blue line
- · Divide team in half on either side boards
- On Coach's whistle first player on each team takes first puck in on goal and tries to score
- If scores, player must cross blue line before next player on team takes second puck for shot
- · If misses, player must retrieve puck and pass to second player in line, but must also stay on side
- · First team to score all ten pucks wins

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · Shoot to score
- · Be creative



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

- · 1st player starts on whistle
- · 2nd player cannot enter blue line until first player has cleared
- · Goalie can clear puck anywhere if save is made