1 OF 2 PHASE: IV

LESSON: 27

MIDGET PRACTICE PLAN

URATION: 60

10 MIN **GOALIE RAPID SHUFFLE**

· 01 skates around top of circle for shot on net.

- \cdot On eye contact from G, O2 wrist shot on net .
- · On eye contact from G, O3 shot on net.
- · 04 skates around top of circle to repeat.
- · Both ends at once.

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · Quick lateral movement
- · G Square to shooter
- · Angle play



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

· Players to wait for signal from Goaltender

10 MIN

TRANSITION 2 ON 0, 2 ON 1

- O4 passes to D, at same time O1 takes off and curls inside out to receive pass from D and attacks 2 on 0 with O4.
- \cdot Progression is to have opposite d step up and play 2 on 1.
- · Alternate ends.

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · Hard passes
- · D should pass quickly



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

- \cdot Alternate short pass from D and stretch pass
- · 04 cut to middle of ice for stretch pass

10 MIN FRONTMAN/BACKMAN 2 ON 0

- · 01 & 02 leave together, 01 outside, 02 inside lane.
- \cdot 02 receives pass and one-touches to 01 for outside lane net drive.
- · 02 supports attack through mid-lane.

\cdot Both ends at once.

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · Timing with support
- · Attack with speed
- · Zone entry options



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

 Next group starts on communication through eye contact and stick signals

MIDGET PRACTICE PLAN

PHASE: IV

LESSON: 27

2 OF 2 DURATION: 60

10 MIN LOW ZONE TRANSITION

- Coach spots puck to O's in corner for 2-on-2 full width play.
- On turnover, D's must outlet to coach and support to get puck back on offense.
- · 15 20 second repetitions.

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- · Quick transitions
- · Intelligence with/without puck
- · Support teammates



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

· On whistle

 \cdot Coach chooses which O to give the puck back to

10 MIN

1 VS 1 GAP - 1 VS 1 NO GAP

1 VS 1 GAP

- \cdot 1 vs 1 out of corner where the coach spots a puck to the offensive player.
- Defensive player needs to get the appropriate angle and close his gap to defend the offensive player.
- \cdot Defender works to pin his man since there is no gap.

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- First 3 steps by defender are quick and to get the best position.
- \cdot Defender leads with his stick on the puck
- \cdot Stay on defensive side



- **KEY EXECUTION POINTS**
- · Stick on puck
- · Stay on defensive side

10 MIN 🔪 2 VS 2 GAP/NO GAP/3 VS 3 SHADE

2 VS 2 GAP / NO GAP

· See 1 vs 1 Gap, no gap.

3 VS 3 SHADE

- · 2 vs 2 passive in corner.
- Net front man shades to where the offensive "3rd man" goes.

KEY TEACHING POINTS

- Stick on puck
- \cdot Good angles to close gaps
- · Communicate
- · Head on a swivel



KEY EXECUTION POINTS

- \cdot Stay between "3rd man" and net
- · Shade about half way to your man
- · Straight line skating on rotation