10U/12U PHASE I - CORE & BACK

CRAB WALK BRIDGE

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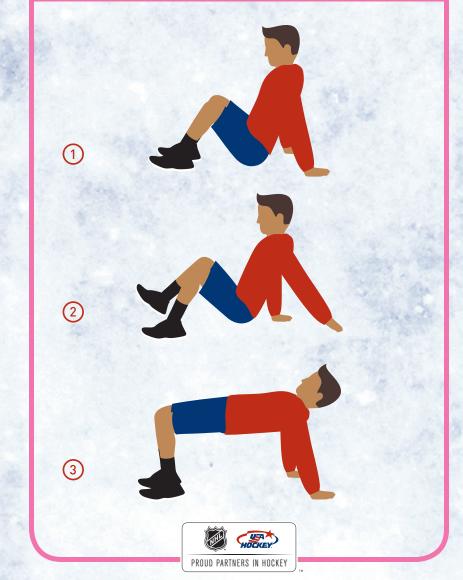
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• Sit on floor with hands about a foot behind glutes.

MOVEMENT

- Alternate lifting opposite hands and legs walking forward two steps.
- Stop and lift hips as high a possible contracting glutes.
- Hold for 3-5 seconds.
- Lower hips and Crab Walk forward another 2 steps.
- Repeat for 10 yards.

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10U/12U PHASE I - UPPER & LOWER BODY

HOPPING TUG OF WAR & HOPPING PUSH OF WAR

HOPPING TUG OF WAR SETUP

- Divide players into partners.
- Pair up players of similar size.
- Separate partners with a line (tape or chalk) on the floor.

MOVEMENT

- Both players hop on one foot.
- Perform half of the interval hopping on the left foot and half on the right foot.
- Try to pull partner across the line.
- 1 point for each victory-first player to 5 wins.
- Switch partners and repeat.

HOPPING PUSH OF WAR SETUP

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- Pair up players of similar size.
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MOVEMENT

- Both players hop on one foot.
- Perform half of the interval hopping on the left foot and half on the right.
- Try to push partner across the line.
- 1 point for each victory-first player to 5 wins.
- Switch partners and repeat.



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10U/12U PHASE I - AGILITY & BALANCE

LADDER: 180s

1 MOVEMENT

- Stand straddling the first rung of the ladder.
- Jump and turn 180 degrees in the air, land straddling the next rung.
- Continue completing these half turns as you progress down the ladder, straddling each preceding rung as you land.
- Each 180 degree turn alternate jumping opposite direction.
- Jog back to line.
- Repeat.

HOW TO MAKE AN AGILITY LADDER

- Ladders can either be purchased or homemade.
- Determine the length of the side rails using a measuring tape.
- Draw out the first side rail to the desired dimension using chalk, paint or tape.
- Place the second side rail that is equal in length parallel to first with 20 inches between them.
- Every 18 inches, use the chalk, paint, or blue painter's tape to draw out the rungs between the two side rails.



180s

LADDER:





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10U/12U PHASE I - RUNNING & JUMPING

LATERAL SKI JUMPS

MOVEMENT

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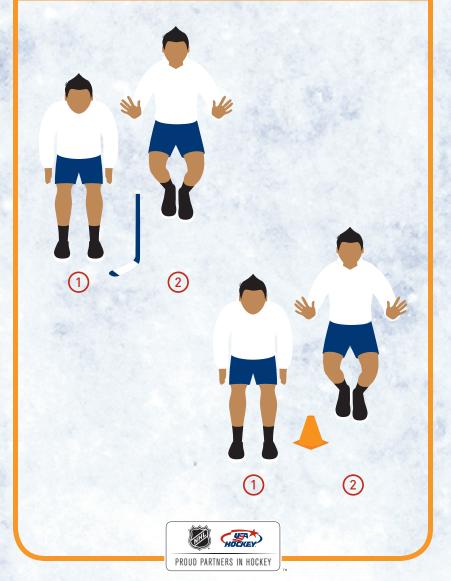
- Stand with feet shoulder width apart, knees and hips slightly bent.
- Stand to the side of stick or cone.
- Arms slightly bent at side.
- Using arms for momentum jump side to side over a cone or stick.
- Jump from two feet and land on two feet.
- Land softly with knees and hips slightly bent.

ADVANCED

Single leg jumps left foot to left foot, right to right, left to right and right to left.

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LATERAL SKI JUMPS





10U/12U PHASE I - PASSING, RECEIVING & SHOOTING

PASS, CATCH & WRIST SHOT

SET UP

- Use a hockey ball.
- One player stands 3-4 feet to the left or right of the goal post.
- Shooter stands 8-10 feet out from the middle of the net.
- Post player passes ball to shooter.
- Forehand Wrist Shot 20x.
- Backhand Wrist Shot 20x.

TECHNIQUE

- 1 Stand in a hockey ready position: knees and ankles bent with head and chest up.
 - Body is turned to the side with weight on the back foot.
- (2) Lower the bottom hand slightly on the shaft of the stick, grip is firm.
 - Ball begins on the heel of the blade with the blade cupped.
 - Stick and ball start behind back foot.
- (3) Sweep the ball forward and shift weight to the front leg.
 - Use a quick push/pull action with the arms and quickly roll wrists over (top palm up, bottom palm down).
 - Rotate upper body toward the net; shoulders finish square to net.
 - Ball moves from heel to toe of the stick blade as the ball is released, ending with a flick of the wrists which accelerates the ball.
 - Follow through by pointing the toe of the stick toward the target.
 - Follow through until top hand palm is facing up and bottom hand palm is facing down.

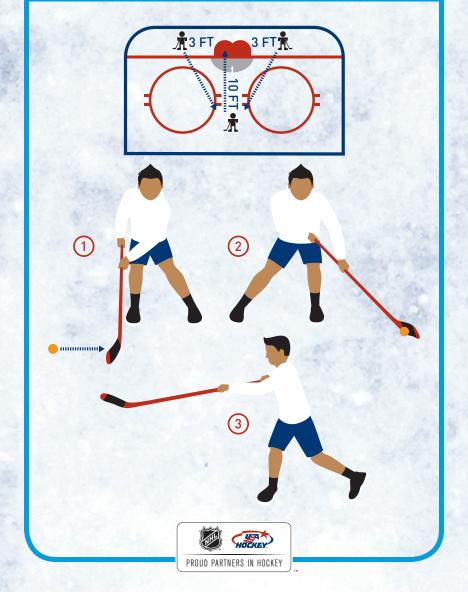
Power of a Wrist Shot comes from lower body strength more than arm strength. Proper weight transfer gives the shot power.

ADVANCED

Players shoot at a Shooter Tutor aiming for all 5 openings.



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10U/12U PHASE I - PUCK HANDLING

PVC PIPE STICKHANDLING

FOCUS

Top hand control, top hand strength, loose bottom hand.

SETUP

• 6 inch x 1.5 inch diameter piece of PVC pipe placed over shaft of stick and held with bottom hand.

MOVEMENT

- Perform stationary Quick Stick movements and stickhandle around the body.
- Top hand will fatigue quickly.
- 20 seconds active 20 seconds rest...

TECHNIQUE

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- Feet are shoulder width apart.
- Head and chest up.
- Hands are closer together within a standard range.
- Tight grip with top hand.
- The top of the stick shaft should be held in the top hand with a hammer grip.
- Loose grip with bottom hand holding pvc piping.
- Arms loose and away from body.
- Emphasis is on wrist movement, not arm movement.
- (2) Cup ball on forehand side of blade.
- (3) Cup ball on backhand side of blade.
 - Player rolls top wrist to cup the ball.

ADVANCED

"Chaos" stickhandle in designated area with other players.



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