# **Hockey Practice Plan**

Objectives: Regroup; cycling

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Practice #11

**Level:** 14-and-Under (Bantam)

16-and-Under (Midget) 18-and-Under (Midget)

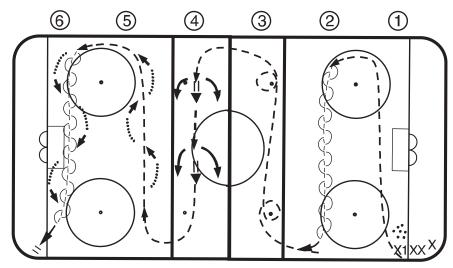
Skill Work	Team Play	Systems/Concepts	Speed/Games Testing
X Skating	1 on 1	Defensive Cov.	X Short Work - Quickness
Puck Control	<u>X</u> 2 on 0	Backcheck	Small Ice Modified Games
X Passing/Receiving	2 on 1	Forecheck	Full Ice Modified Games
X Shooting	2 on 2	Breakouts	FUN - Relay Contests
Checking	3 on 1	Entering Attack Zone	Skills Testing
Agility Work	3 on 2	Triangulation/Cycling	Misc.
Goaltending	3 on 3	Faceoffs	
Def./Forwards	3 on 0	Power Play / Penalty Kill	

Time	Drill	Emphasis
6 mins.	1. Warm-Up: Stretches; Skate the lanes with pucks	
7 mins.	2. Flin-Flon - modified exchange puck	Look before pass
7 mins.	3. 2 on 0	Escape move
8 mins.	4. Split up	D - regroup passes F - cycling in zone
5 mins.	5. Regroup Drill #1	D - pass puck in spaces F - Swing low to defense
8 mins.	6. Regroup Drill #2	Same as drill #1
5 mins.	7. 3 on 2 deep; F - work on cycling D - pressure puck	Movement, on touch puck eliminate good shot
5 mins.	8. Free time - players work on skills or ask specific questions	Feedback from players

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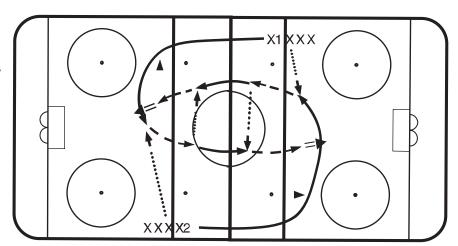
# Drill #1 — Skate The Lanes With Pucks

- Players start in corner. They skate down lanes performing different skill in each lane.
- 1. Make single fake, wide move
- 2. Backward
- 3. Tight turns
- 4. Fake shot pull to side
- 5. Put puck in skates and kick up to stick
- 6. Backward puck in skates, kick up to stick



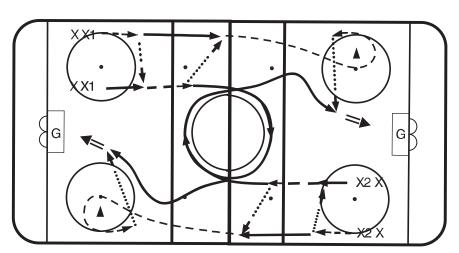
#### Drill #2 — Flin-Flon

- X1 and X2 start on whistle with at pucks.
- They skate around cone and then get pass from other line.
- After receiving pass, they skate several strides looking for each other.
- In neutral ice they pass to each other, exchanging pucks.
- Players continue and take a long shot on goal.



#### Drill #3 - 2 on 0

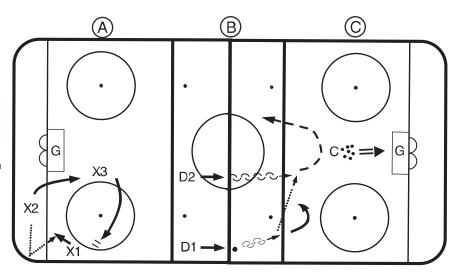
- X1s start by passing puck up ice. When they enter neutral ice the puck should be with the player along the boards.
- The inside player crossovers around center circle and then enters offensive zone.
- The player along boards with puck skates into zone, makes an escape move around cone and passes to player entering zone.
- Shot on goal should be taken between top of circles and hash marks.



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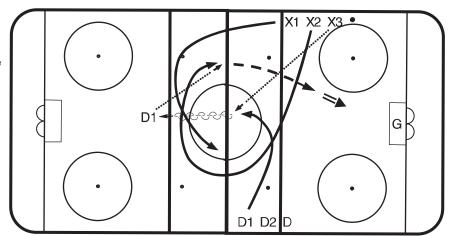
#### Drill #4 — Split Up

- A. Forwards work on cycling in corner. Cycle both directions in each corner. On whistle they take a shot on goal.
- B. Defense works on neutral ice regroup pass.
- D1 picks up puck and turns backward.
- D2 skates and turns backward, getting in position to receive pass (behind).
- D1 makes a back diagonal pass to D2, D2 heads up ice with puck. D1 fills in middle
- C. Goalies work on angles and lateral movements.



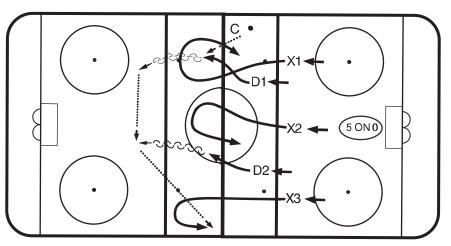
### Drill #5 — Regroup Drill #1

- D1, X1 and X2 start at same time.
- X1 and X2 skate as shown and cross close to blue line.
- D1 skates, receives a pass from X3, turns backwards to blue line.
- D1 then makes a pass to X1 or X2 who continue 2 on 0 and take shot.
- D1 follows them all the way into the offensive zone.



## Drill #6 — Regroup Drill #2

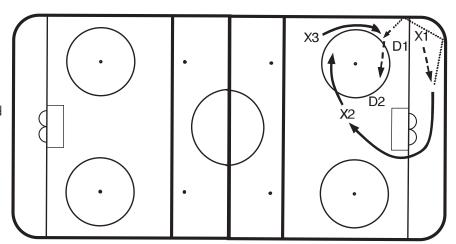
- Start drill by moving five players 5 on 0 in offensive zone.
- When you blow whistle, they drop their puck. Coach then throws a puck in the neutral zone.
- D1 or D2 picks up puck and take back for regroup pass.
- X1, X2 and X3 swing near blue line.
- Defense makes a D to D pass and then passes to X1, X2 or X3.
- They continue up ice 5 on 0 and take shot.



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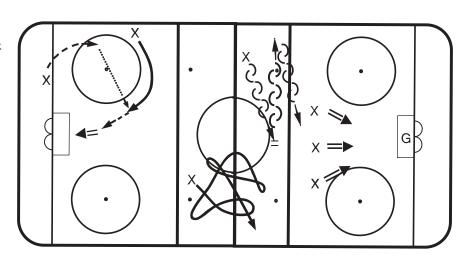
## Drill #7 — 3 on 2 Deep

- Dump puck deep in corner.
- X1, X2 and X3 must cycle puck and work for shot on goal.
- D1 and D2 must put pressure on puck and protect slot area.



### Drill #8 — Free Time

• Players have time to work on skills or ask questions.



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