



TOT SOCCER (AGES 3-5)

ACTIVITY REFERENCE GUIDE

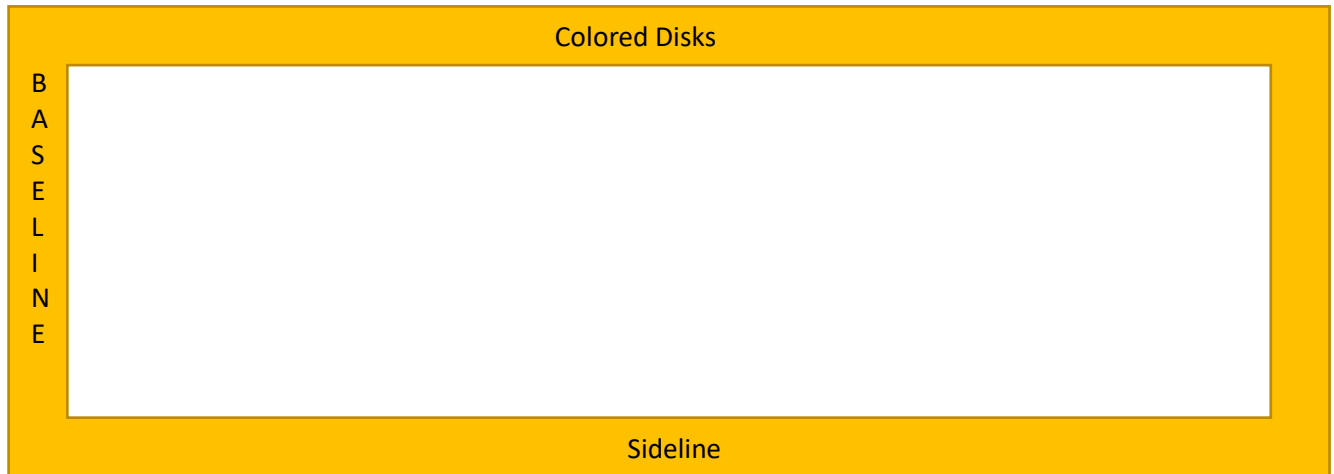


Peter Pan and the Lost Boys

Purpose: Dribbling

Equipment: Soccer Balls,

Set Up: Set-up a grid 30'x30' with disks marking sidelines & baselines



Execution:

- Narrate Storyline: The players are on the Baseball are Peter Pan and the Lost Boys/Girls. Coach is the Crocodile. The players on the sideline are the Pirates
- For the first round, the coach should start as the Pirate and stand on the sideline with the Soccer Balls.
- All other players start on the Baseline.
- The players are the Lost Boys/Grils and they are going to try and cross his river without getting captured by a pirate (hit by a soccer ball)
- Lost Boys/Girls start by saying ""Crocodile, Crocodile, may we cross the river?"
- Coach replies "Only if "you have a hat on".
- Campers "with a hat" try to run across the river while the "pirates" pass the Soccer balls at them. The coach needs to pass the pass nice and soft so the players can avoid the Soccer Balls and it is not too scary. BE SMART AND BE SAFE!
- If a player gets hit by a ball, they take a knee where they got hit (INTEGRITY!)
- Continue calling out items "Only if you have an older brother", "Only if you have a Dog", "Only if you are wearing Socks"
- Once all the players have crossed, count up how many points the Crocodiles earned (they get a point for every player on their knee).
- The players on their knee get to return to the game each round. Play 2-rounds then change the Pirates
- For large games, you can assign 1-team (aka Blue Group) to be the Pirates. For small games, assign 2-4 players to be the Pirates
- Continue as time permits.

Variations: *Dribbling – For more advanced teams, have them try to dribble the ball across the river. If they get hit by a Soccer Ball, or lose their ball, they take a knee.*

Comments: "have a hat on" is only one example. You can do any number of articles of clothing to allow participants to pass. Try to give everyone a free pass at least once during the game:

- Examples – "Have a green shirt", "Wearing Shorts", "Have laces on your shoes", "Wearing sunglasses", "Have an animal on your t-shirt", "Wearing a Skyhawks T-Shirt", "Have a dog", "Have a Younger Sister", "Favorite team is the Warriors", etc. Let the kids who are crocodiles come up with some as well.



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