

EYFS - Invasion Games



Send

Receive

Bounce

Dribble

Dodge/Evade

Attack

Defence

Communication

Teamwork

Rules

Feelings

Behaviour

Safety

Control

Space (limited)

Confidence

KSI - Invasion Games



Strategies

Attack

Width

Speed

Send/pass

Move

Space

Decisively

Deceptively

Positively

Receive

Shield

Retain

Progress

Possession

Defence

Close down (space)

Quickly

Turn body

See attacker & ball

Think ahead

Intercept (pass)

Dispossess (receiver)

Communication

KSI - Invasion Games



Teamwork

Acceptance

Behaviour

Rules

Feelings





Attacking

Receive

Shield

Dribble

Hands

Feet

Control

Dodge/Evade

Turn

Deceive

Feint

'Give the eyes'

Dummy

Pass

Move

Find space

Defending

Protect space

Close down

Quickly

Sideways-on (position)

Jockey

Eye on ball (not feet)

Channel



Clear danger (near goal)

Communication

Roles

Effective

Listening

Actions

Coordinating

Positions (team)

Sporting values



Attacking

Dribbling skills (variety)

Good technique

Shooting

Hands & feet

Keep eye on ball

Get wide (to receive)

Sideways-on (position)

Whole-pitch view

Create space (for teammates)

Make runs

Diagonal/crossing

Confuse (defenders)

Overlap

Underlap

Overload

Utilise free/extra players

Mobile

Fluid

Not rigid (positionally)

Recognise

When to attack

Penetrate

Take more risk



When not to attack

Retain/build

Possession

Safely

Patiently

Nobody free forwards

Go backwards

“Start again” (an attack)

Defending

Be alert

One eye on ball

One eye on opponent

Close down (space)

Quickly

Defend as a unit

Compact (space)

Strategies

Cope with underload

Maintain good shape

Discipline

1v1

Player-to-player

Track an opponent

Zonal marking



Pass attacker(s) on

Low press

Goalkeeping

Come off line

Narrow the angle

Stay focused

Be prepared to move

Act as additional defender

Sweeper keeper

Distribution

Work against (defence)

Work alongside (attack)

Communication

Effective

Listening

Leadership skills

Coordinate

Team

Positions

Roles

Responsibilities

Actions

Tactical awareness

Sporting values