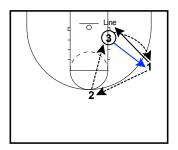
# 5th Grade Cutting & Finishing

# Pass and Cut (Layer 1)



#### 1 ball, minimum of 3 players

- 1. 3 passes to 1, closes out as instructed
- 2. 1 passes to 2, face cuts or back cuts and scores 3. 2 passes to 1 on cut
- 4. Alternate initial pass between point and wing
- 5. Rotate defender to next cutter

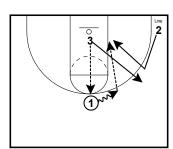
#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Have defender jump to ball = backcut
- \*Have defender not jump to ball = facecut
- \*Hard cuts
- \*Check rim on time & target with pass \*Communicate
- \*Clean catches
- \*Change finishes & w / or w/o dribble

#### **Terminology**

- \*Face Cut & Back Cut
- \*Finish cuts
- \*Read the defender
- \*Power layup
- \*Finish strong

## Fill & Backcuts / Dribble Ats



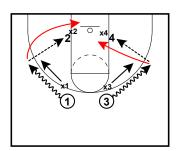
#### Fill & Backcuts / Dribble Ats

- 3 passes to 1, then sprints out to deny wing
- 2 fills wing, reads over play or dribble at, and makes a hard, sharp backcut
- -1 throws pass to 2 for layup
- -Rotation 2 3 1 Line



# 5th Grade Cutting & Finishing

# Post Entry Laker Cuts



#### Offensive players with a ball at top of key

- 1. Offensive player dribbles to wing and makes a good post entry
- 2. Post player posts hard with proper technique, catches and settles the pass
- 3. On entry, the passer Lake Cuts to the side opposite the post defense
- 4. Post player can pass to cutter or let him clear and make a post move to score
- 5. Token defense to start, progress to live

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Ball fakes on post entry
- \*Pass away from the defense
- \*Read the defense on laker cut
- \*Catch & settle in the post

#### **Terminology**

Ball fakes

Laker cut

Post entry

## Post Slide - Middle Drive



#### Coach starts with 2 balls

- 1. Coach passes 1 ball to wing who rips and drives middle
- 2. Other 2 players slide according to Circle Movement Rules
- 3. The player with the ball passes to either player coach passes 2nd ball t o the other
- 4. Players get their own rebound, return balls to coach and rotate lines to the right.

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Game Speed hard drive, game pass
- \*Slides cover space
- \*Passes on time & on target
- \*PreDrop footwork

#### **Terminology**

Circle

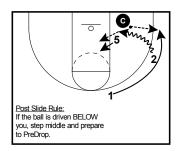
Game speed

On time & on target



# 5th Grade Cutting & Finishing

## Post Slide - Baseline Drive



#### Coach starts with 2 balls

- 1. Coach passes 1 ball to wing who rips and drives baseline
- 2. Other 2 players slide according to Circle Movement Rules
- 3. The player with the ball passes to either player coach passes 2nd ball to the other
- 4. Players get their own rebound, return balls to coach and rotate lines to the right.

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Game Speed hard drive, game pass
- \*Slides cover space
- \*Passes on time & on target
- \*PreDrop footwork

#### **Terminology**

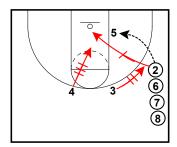
Circle

Game speed

On time & on target

PreDrop

# **Post Passing Series**



## Players lined up as shown, 4 basketballs

- 1. 2 throws a post entry pass to 5 and laker cuts for a layup
- 2. 6 throws post entry pass to 5, 3 slides corner for a shot
- 3. 7 throws post entry pass to 5, 4 rip cuts for layup
- 4. 8 throws post entry pass to 5 who catches, settles, checks inside shoulder, and makes post move to score

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Good post entry passes
- \*Hard cuts game speed
- \*Passes on time & on target

#### <u>Terminology</u>

Laker cut

Rip cut

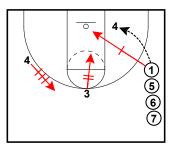
Post entry

Catch & settle



# 5th Grade Cutting & Finishing

# Zone Passing Series - Low Entry



#### Players set up as shown, 4 balls

- 1. 1 enters ball to short corner and basket cuts for layup
- 2. 5 enters ball to short corner and 3 rip cuts for layup
- 3. 6 enters ball to short corner and 2 slides to space for shot 4. 7 enters ball to short corner and 4 PreDrops to finish

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Hard cuts game speed
- \*Communication
- \*Ball fakes on entry pass

#### Terminology

Short corner

Basket cut

Rip cut

PreDrop

## Zone Passing Series - High Entry



#### Players set up as shown, 4 balls

- 1. 1 enters ball to high post and basket cuts for layup
- 2. 5 enters ball to high post and 4 predrops for layup
- 3. 6 enters ball to high post and 2 slides to space for shot
- 4. 7 enters ball to short corner and 3 rips & drives to finish

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Hard cuts game speed
- \*Communication
- \*Ball fakes on entry pass

#### <u>Terminology</u>

High post

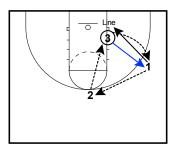
Basket cut

Rip cut



# 6th Grade Cutting & Finishing

# Pass and Cut (Layer 1)



#### 1 ball, minimum of 3 players

- 1. 3 passes to 1, closes out as instructed
- 2. 1 passes to 2, face cuts or back cuts and scores 3. 2 passes to 1 on cut
- 4. Alternate initial pass between point and wing
- 5. Rotate defender to next cutter

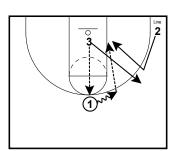
#### **Coaching Points**

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#### **Terminology**

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## Fill & Backcuts / Dribble Ats



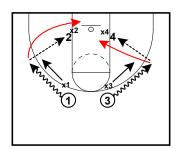
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# 6th Grade Cutting & Finishing

# Post Entry Laker Cuts



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- 5. Token defense to start, progress to live

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Ball fakes on post entry
- \*Pass away from the defense
- \*Read the defense on laker cut
- \*Catch & settle in the post

#### **Terminology**

Ball fakes

Laker cut

Post entry

## Post Slide - Middle Drive

# Post Slide Rule: If the ball is driven ABOVE you, step short corner and prepare to PreDrop.

#### Coach starts with 2 balls

- 1. Coach passes 1 ball to wing who rips and drives middle
- 2. Other 2 players slide according to Circle Movement Rules
- 3. The player with the ball passes to either player coach passes 2nd ball t o the other
- 4. Players get their own rebound, return balls to coach and rotate lines to the right.

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Game Speed hard drive, game pass
- \*Slides cover space
- \*Passes on time & on target
- \*PreDrop footwork

#### **Terminology**

Circle

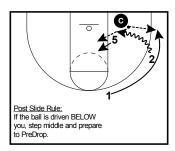
Game speed

On time & on target



# 6th Grade Cutting & Finishing

## Post Slide - Baseline Drive



#### Coach starts with 2 balls

- 1. Coach passes 1 ball to wing who rips and drives baseline
- 2. Other 2 players slide according to Circle Movement Rules
- 3. The player with the ball passes to either player coach passes 2nd ball to the other
- 4. Players get their own rebound, return balls to coach and rotate lines to the right.

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Game Speed hard drive, game pass
- \*Slides cover space
- \*Passes on time & on target
- \*PreDrop footwork

#### **Terminology**

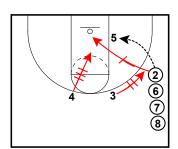
Circle

Game speed

On time & on target

PreDrop

# **Post Passing Series**



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#### **Coaching Points**

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#### **Terminology**

Laker cut

Rip cut

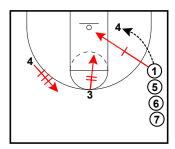
Post entry

Catch & settle



# 6th Grade Cutting & Finishing

# Zone Passing Series - Low Entry



#### Players set up as shown, 4 balls

- 1. 1 enters ball to short corner and basket cuts for layup
- 2. 5 enters ball to short corner and 3 rip cuts for layup
- 3. 6 enters ball to short corner and 2 slides to space for shot 4. 7 enters ball to short corner and 4 PreDrops to finish

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Hard cuts game speed
- \*Communication
- \*Ball fakes on entry pass

#### **Terminology**

Short corner

Basket cut

Rip cut

PreDrop

## Zone Passing Series - High Entry



#### Players set up as shown, 4 balls

- 1. 1 enters ball to high post and basket cuts for layup
- 2. 5 enters ball to high post and 4 predrops for layup
- 3. 6 enters ball to high post and 2 slides to space for shot
- 4. 7 enters ball to short corner and 3 rips & drives to finish

#### **Coaching Points**

- \*Hard cuts game speed
- \*Communication
- \*Ball fakes on entry pass

#### <u>Terminology</u>

High post

Basket cut

Rip cut

