



Prior knowledge

- Decision making
- Support a tactic by selecting the most appropriate pass.(first time, long, short, into space, cross)
- Taking a touch to move the ball away from an opponent to create space
- Deceive the opposition by making a dummy

Physical skills developed in this topic

- Range of passes of different strengths
- Making quick decisions about when, how and who to pass to

Knowledge and skills covered in this topic

- Before passing, visualise where teammates will receive the ball
- Select and perform the correct weighted pass to for a player to run onto
- Make a run away from the ball to create space for the person on the ball

Key words

Defender: Player whose role is to protect the goals

Midfielder: Player whose role is to stop the ball getting to the goal area and to help pass the ball to the attackers

Attacker: Player whose role is to shoot and score goals

Wingers: Players who play wide on the left or right of the pitch in space

Marking: Standing near an opposition player to stop them getting the ball

Tracking: Running near your opponent watching their movements

Goal Area / Penalty Box: Area in front of goal where the keeper can handle the ball / fouls are penalties

Halfway line: A line half way between the two goals where the game starts

Out of play: When the ball leaves the pitch

