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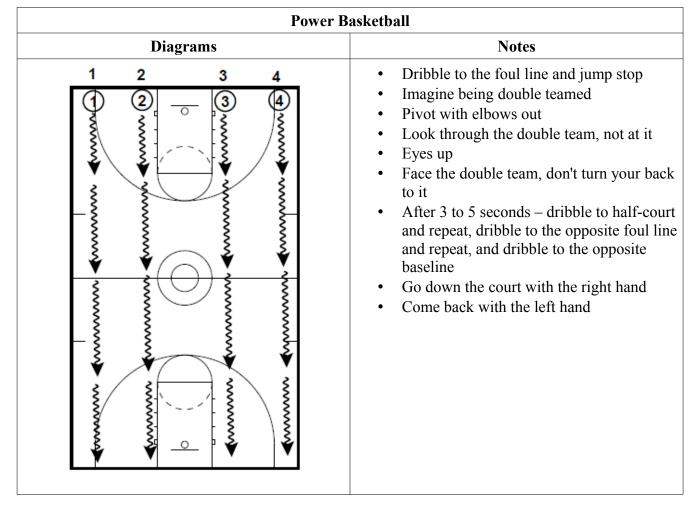
Playing Against Pressure

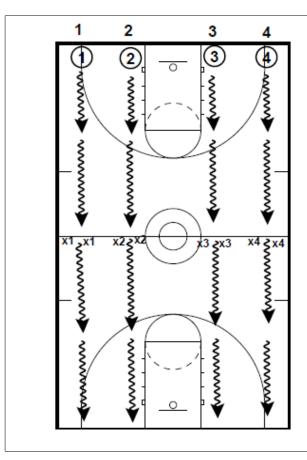
Clinic to End All Clinics IV

Manhattan College

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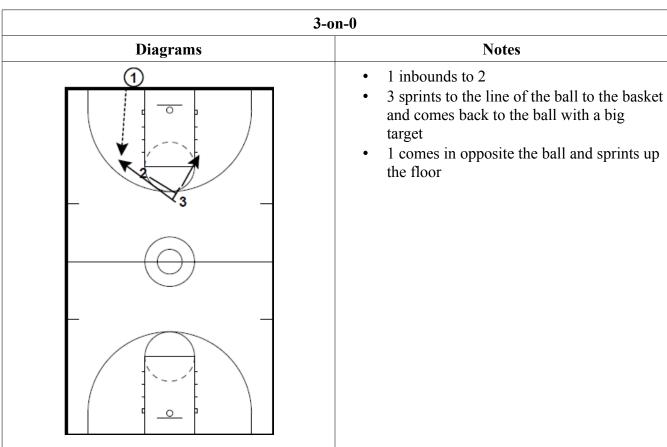
- Philosophically you have to sell how to beat pressure to your team.
- Keys for Attacking Pressure
 - 1. Safely getting the ball up the floor
 - 2. Passing and catching
 - 3. Ability to play against pressure spontaneously
- He runs Power Basketball as a warmup drill to work on footwork for attacking pressure

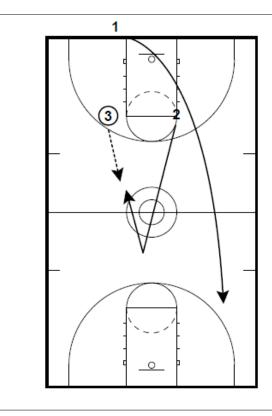




Enhanncement

• Run the same drill, but add 2 defenders at half-court for each line





- 3 passes the ball to 2
- 1 sprints to the line of the ball to the basket and comes back to the ball with a big target
- 3 sprints up the opposite side of the floor
- * Repeat this pattern until a catch is made at the rim and the receiver finishes the drill with a layup.

Enhancement

Add defense to make the offense work harder on their cuts to get open.

- Doesn't like it when players throw bounce passes in the back court because they are slower and easier to deflect or steal
- Feels that all 5 guys need to know what everyone is supposed to do
- Whether the trap is expected or not, we need 3 players one pass away and an attacker
 - 1 player should be on the line of the ball to the basket
 - 1 player should be behind the trap
 - 1 player should be outside the trap
 - The attacker should be on the backside
- He drills this into his players by having them run a classic 5-on-0 fast break or their press breaker.
 - While they are running the drill, he will randomly call out trap.
 - On the trap call, the other players must get into position for 3 passes at once.
 - This gets players used to being trapped and responding to it with a plan of attack.

