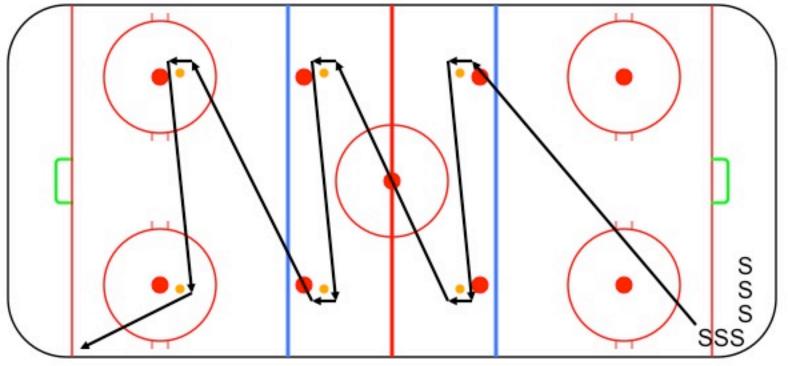
Z-Pattern Power Turns

All Levels 5-10 Minutes



Description

Players will start in a corner of the rink and progress through the drill as shown above with power turns at each cone. Use #2 in the progression to emphasize knee bend and a tight turn.

Objective

To get kids to bend their knees and get low during aggressive tight power turns



Progression

- 1. Power Turns
- 2. Power Turns with hand touching the Ice
- 3. 1-on-1 pursuit race
- 1-on-1 pursuit race with hand touching the ice
- With pucks and no hand touching the ice
- All with sticks immediately before the cone to ensure skating all the way to the cone