KIPP

Knee Injury Prevention Program

Game Day 1. Jogging Exercises 1-8: Skipping go 50 ft. one way Carioca then 50 ft. return. Side Shuffle with Arm Swings **Essential Exercises** 5. Backward Jog **Butt Kickers** Bear Crawl (or Mountain Climbers for 30 sec) Walking Lunges 9. Arm Swings (10 forward & 10 backward) 10. Leg Swings (10 side-to-side & 10 front-to-back) 11. Line Jumps (side-to-side & front-to-back, 30 sec each) 180 degree Jumps (30 sec)

Sports Injury Prevention Tips

- Warm up before every practice, game and workout
- Stay hydrated! Drink before, during and after workouts. Water is good for exercises lasting less than an hour. Use a sports drink for longer workouts.
- Respond promptly to signs of injury. Don't play through the pain! If pain persists after 1-2 days rest days, consult a physician.
- Participate in a variety of sports to help prevent burnout and overuse injuries. Try something new.
- When beginning a new sport, do so gradually.
- Participate in a pre-season conditioning program. Increase distance or duration no more than 10% per week.
- Use recommended protective equipment that fits well and is in good condition.
- Get a pre-season sport physical at least once a year.

KIPP Tips

- KIPP is most effective when done in the correct order before each practice and game. Consistency is Key!
- KIPP helps improve total body strengthening, coordination and agility so don't skip any of the more strenuous exercises like the bear crawl or plank!
- KIPP includes a number of active stretches which encourage lengthening of the muscles through motion. Static stretching should only be utilized after and games.

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Practice Day A 12. Jogging Exercises 1-8: 13. Skipping 14. Carioca go 50 ft. one way 15. Side Shuffle with Arm Swings then 50 ft. return. 16. Backward Jog **Essential Exercises** 17. Butt Kickers 18. Bear Crawl (or Mountain Climbers for 30 sec) 19. Walking Lunges 20. Arm Swings (10 forward & 10 backward) 21. Leg Swings (10 side-to-side & 10 front-to-back) 22. Heel raise (30 sec) 23. Line Jumps (side-to-side & front-to-back, 30 sec each) 24. Broad Jumps (5 reps) 25. Plank (30 sec) 26. Scissors Jumps (30 sec) 27. Prone Lift – Traditional (10 reps) 28. Hop, Hop, Stick (5 jumps/leg)

	Practice Day B
Essential Exercises	 Jogging Skipping Carioca Side Shuffle with Arm Swings Backward Jog Butt Kickers Bear Crawl (or Mountain Climbers for 30 sec) Walking Lunges Arm Swings (10 forward & 10 backward) Leg Swings (10 side-to-side & 10 front-to-back) Squats (30 sec) Ankle Bounces (30 sec) Side Plank (30 sec/side) Squat Jumps (30 sec) Ice Skaters (30 sec) Jump for Distance (5 jumps /leg)

Additional Practice
Day Exercises

Pick 1 group per practice day

Group 1

Prone Lift- Alternating (10 reps)
Three-Plane Lung (5 reps/leg)
Tuck Jumps (30 sec)
Bounding in Place (30 sec)
Shuttle Run (two lines of cones
50 ft. apart in zig-zag pattern)

Group 2

Prone Lift- Knee Flexion (10 reps)
Single-Plane Lunge (5 reps/leg)
3 Broad & 1 Vertical Jump (5 reps)
Bounding for Distance (30 sec)
Diagonal Run (two lines of cones
50 ft. apart in zig-zag pattern)

Group 3

Russian Hamstring (10 reps)
Diagonal Bounding (30 sec)
Jump into Bounding (5 reps)
Lateral Shuffle (two lines of cones
50 ft. apart in zig-zag pattern)

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