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play volleyball grow with it





PLAY TO LEARN









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What attracts kids



Volleyball is a product and we need to know our product

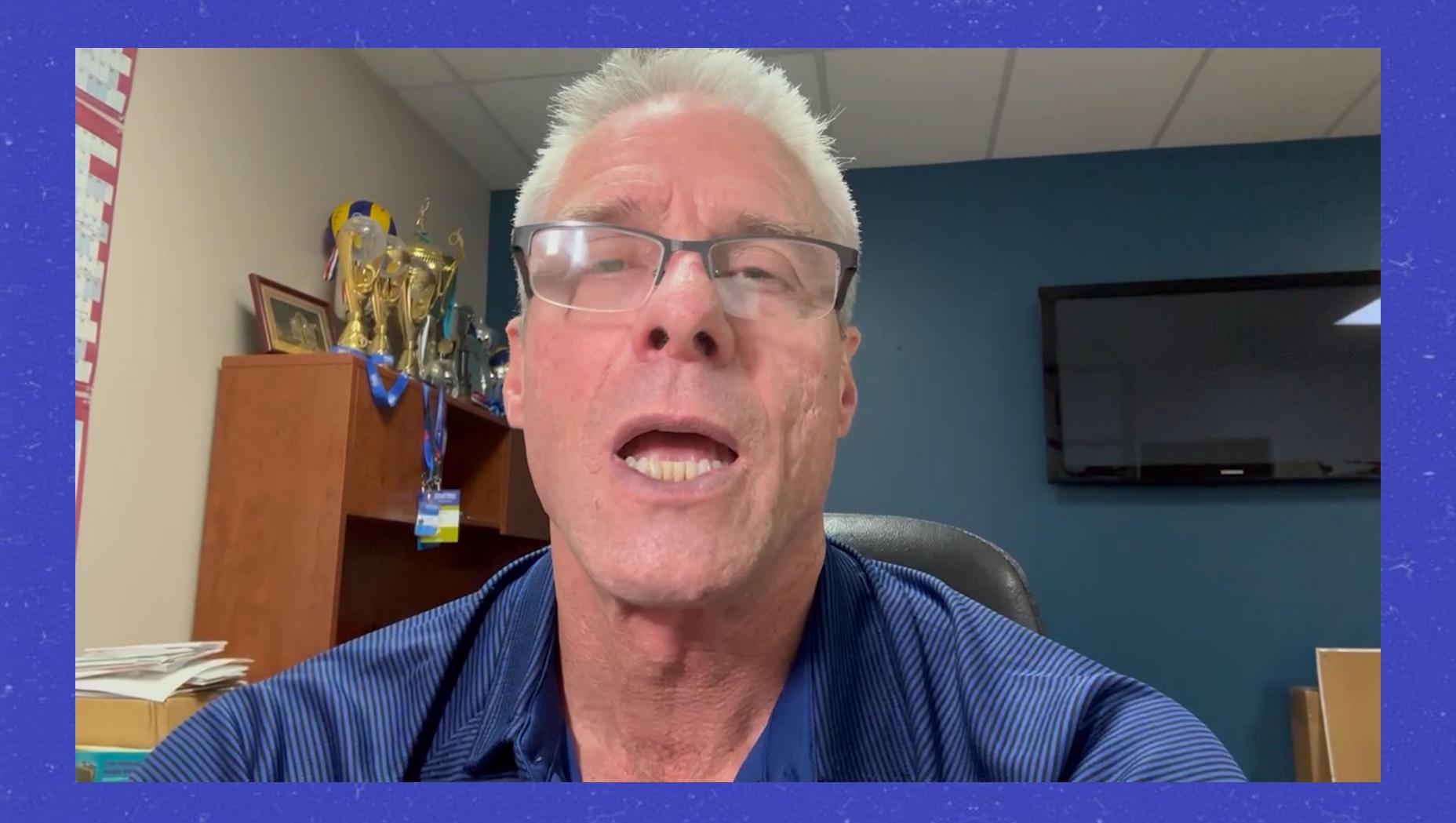
There is something going on:
Activity, exploration,
challenges, competition,
tournaments, friends

Meeting good adults: Adults who understand them.

Organized freedom to try and fail.
Playful environment

Combine beach and indoor













- Do things over a net.
- We need net space.
- Start with a ball over the net
 - Show more, talk less.
 - Mix boys and girls.
- Play games just as much as you do skill training.

- Create learning situations on court.
 - Exploring, challenging, smooth execution.
- Trust your body, challenge the brain, body and nerve system.



Play to learn

Levels	Main learning focus	Games ideas	Serve learning focus	Serve reception learning focus	Set learning focus	Attack learning focus	Block learning focus	Defense learning focus	Teaching and coaching focus
Level 1	Introduction to the ball and movements related to volleyball	Catch throw Can you touch the ball	Basic body movements, that is related to serve	Basic body movements Moving into ball trajectory	Basic body movements Moving into ball trajectory	Basic body movements related to attack movements	Basic body movements Related to block movements	Basic movements.	Be good learners
Level 2	Simple teaching tasks	Andy Mols first game	Simple technique exploring and learning objectives	Simple technique exploring and learning objectives	Simple technique exploring and learning objectives	Simple technique exploring and learning objectives	Simple technique exploring and learning objectives	Simple technique exploring and learning objectives	Effort is everything
Level 3	More specific keys	LongNet games	More specific key words in execution of a skill	More specific key words in execution of a skill	More specific key words in execution of a skill	More specific key words in execution of a skill	More specific key words in execution of a skill	More specific key words in execution of a skill	Losing and failure is a part of learning
Level 4	Development in the flow of techniques and play	The vikings way of Kings court	More precision an smooth execution, more second action drills	•	•	More precision an smooth execution, more second action drills	•	•	
Level 5	More complex task to master. With or without partner	The game is on.	Drills directly related to the specific skill	Drills directly related to the specific skill	Drills directly related to the specific skill	Drills directly related to the specific skill	Drills directly related to the specific skill	Drills directly related to the specific skill	Right environment that will challenge

Learn to play



Organizing, involving with interaction to evolve One against one, catch and throw Self toss

Sport is often serious, very serious

→ So have serious fun.





Two-three players with:

- Two catches
 - One catch
- 6 x 6 court two-three players, one catch

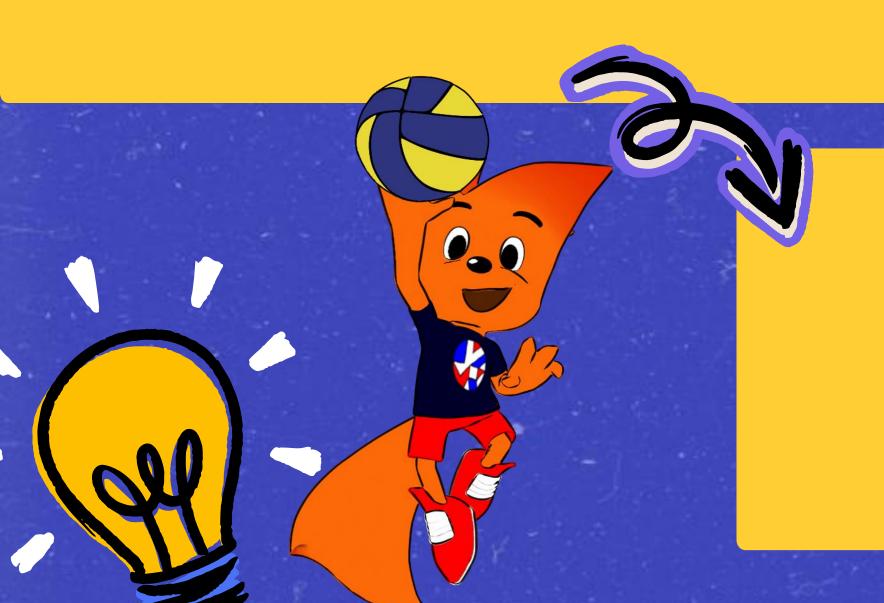
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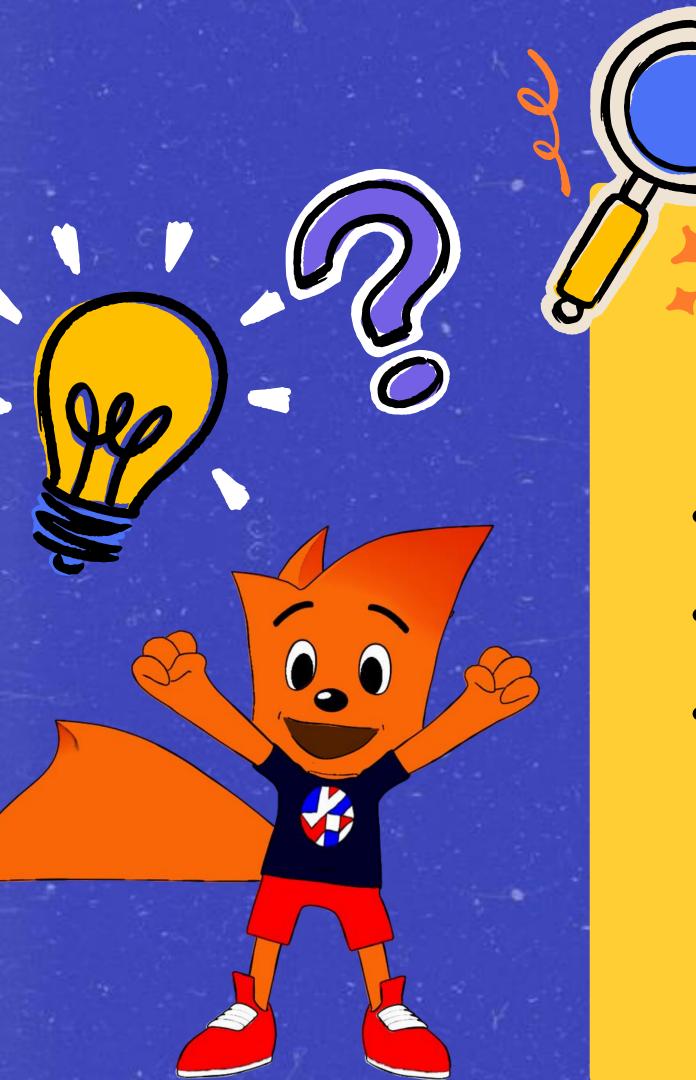
What it takes to win:

- Trying again after mistakes
- Effort, perseverance, courage, resilience





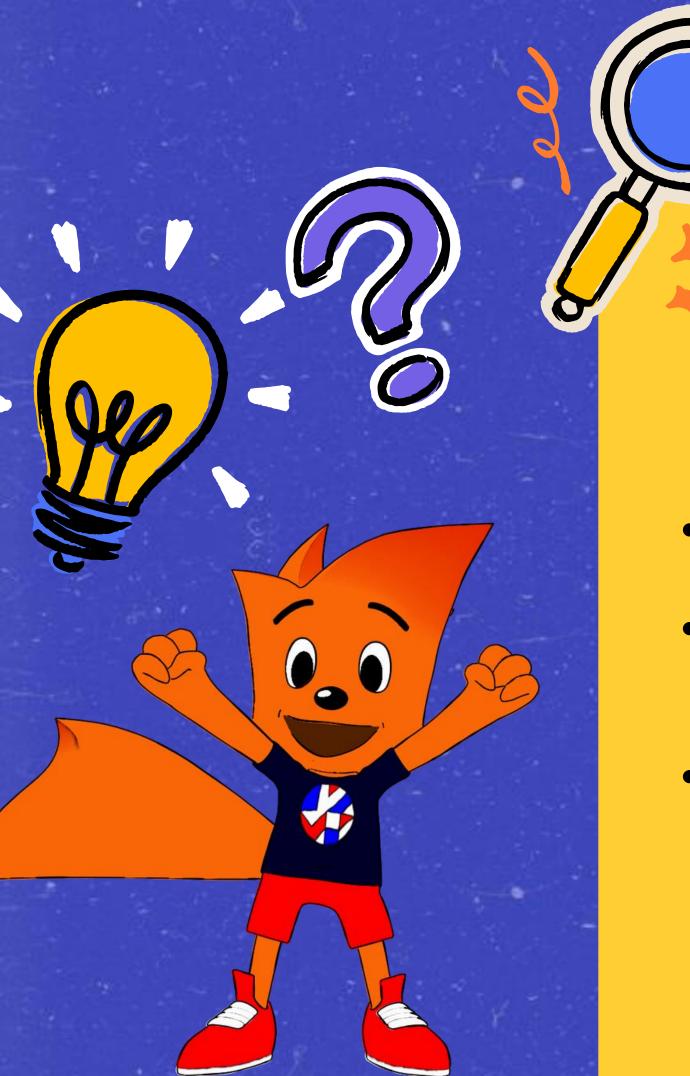
Helping partners
Taking responsibility
Knowing what fair play is





The practical part

- 8-10 years old: Minimum 8 kids. 35-40 min
- Some of my ways to explore skills
- Play to learn games





- 10-13 years old: 10-12 kids. 40 min.
- Challenge kids to make good technical development.
- LongNet game, the ultimate game





Questions









CONCLUSION

- You are so important
- Always seek new knowledge, never stop learning
- Be playful, have courage, aim high in the product you deliver



