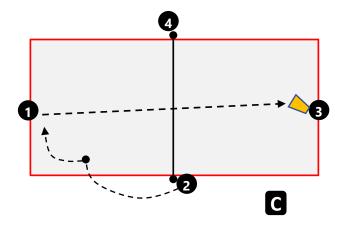
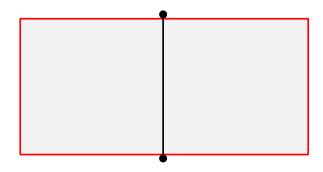
## Kids Ages 7-8: on a 36-foot Red court





## 29) Diamond Drill: Level: Ages 7-8

This is a cooperative game that promotes rallies. Four players are on a court trying to score points as a team.

The players have the following jobs...

- Player 1 = the hitter
- Player 2 = the tosser/feeder
- Player 3 = the catcher
- Player 4 = the score keeper

The team of four players scores a point if they can execute the following...

Player 2 underhand throws the ball to player 1. Player 1 hits the ball over the net to player 3. Player 3 must trap the ball between their hand and the racket strings after it has bounced one time.

If this happens, then player 4 puts up a score by putting a clothespin on the net strap.

After three attempts, the players all rotate one spot around the court, so everyone gets to be in each of the positions.

Depending on the level of the players the coach can change what skills are required to score a point.

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