

Flyhalf

- Good tactical sense with ability to read game and change tactics when necessary.
- Ball skills “with quick and accurate “hands” off either hand and under pressure.
- “Shot option calling” with very good physical and verbal link. Decisive, calm and accurate.
- Sets lines of attack and Defence. Speed into position from phase play and good positional awareness from set phase.
- Vary position and point of attack esp. from phase and have the ability to use “blindside” effectively.
- Always back up and create a threat to opposition’s defensive thinking.
- Be a threat with or without ball, especially the close defence at phases.
- Ability to “run” the ball to apply pressure on defensive thinking.
- Explosive, elusive runner when “on” to run.
- Kick accurately and effectively off EITHER foot, for tactics and esp. for field position.
- Requires other kicking skills for restarts, goal kicking etc.
- Committed on defence, being an accurate and effective tackler.
- Communicate and organize defence with outside backs.

SPECIALIST SKILLS

- DROP KICK at RESTART and FOR GOAL
- CONFIDENT SHOT CALLER and DIRECTOR OF PLAY
- CONTROL(with 15) OF DIRECTION OF PHASE BALL
- ORGANIZE/CONTROL CLOSE IN DEFENCE
- PASS with QUICK ACCURATE ‘HANDS’
- ABILITY and SPEED TO THREATEN BLINDSIDE DEFENSE

MENTAL SKILLS

- COOL TEMPERAMENT UNDER PRESSURE
- CONFIDENT and FORCEFUL
- PERKY/CHEEKY/ADVENTUROUS
- QUICK ACTION and REACTION
- PRO ACTIVE THINKER but GOOD REACTION CAPACITY
- UNDERSTANDING OF OPTIONS
- DON’T SHOW PRE DETERMINATION OF MOVE with BODY LANGUAGE

