

# \* ACTIVITY | CREATIVE CATCHING

# **FOCUS:**

CATCHING, BALL HANDLING, HAND-EYE COORDINATION

**DURATION:** 10 MINUTES MAX.

# **EQUIPMENT:**

2 CONES, 1 BALL PER PAIR





### **DESCRIPTION:**

- One cone per pair.
- The distance between the catchers will vary with the age and skill ability level of each pair.
- ▶ One participant holds the cone upside down to catch the ball while the other catches the ball with their hands.
- Without cones, one ball, under arm throwing and catching.
- One ball, under arm throwing and catching with preferred hand and then opposite hand.
- Clap before catching, ball passed around behind back after catching, pass with opposite hand etc.
- ► The options here are endless.
- Have races amongst the group with each activity. First pair to 10 catches call out 'HOWZAT' to win etc.

### **MAKE IT EASIER:**

- Decrease the distance between partners
- ▶ Use a scorcher ball

# **MAKE IT HARDER:**



- ▶ Increase the distance between partners
- If the ball is dropped the count goes back to zero
- ▶ Use 1 hand to catch and pass
- ▶ Place a hand over 1 eye



