

December Outdoor Activities

3-Ball

Age Range: 3rd grade and up.

Supplies: 3 different balls, 4 bases or cones

Set Up: Set up your four bases like a baseball diamond.

<u>Instructions:</u> This game is a fun twist on baseball and kickball. Split your children into two teams. Team 1 in the field, one person per base and the rest of the children in the outfield and team 2 at the plate, one person "batting" at a time. Instead of a pitcher, all three balls will be placed at home plate. First batter will kick or throw all three balls as far or as short as they want. After all three balls are thrown they will run around to all the bases, they will continue running until all balls have been placed at home plate (note: the team in the outfield cannot retrieve the balls until the batter has thrown or kicked all balls first). Once all balls have made it home the batter is done, the batter can run around the bases as many times as they can until all three balls are back in. Each base they get to before the balls are back are one point. After everyone on the team has gone, the teams switch positions. Play as many innings as you want.