**3 Team Crazy Cones**  K-2

A new take on an old favorite.

**Introduction:** Most of us are familiar with the game often called *Builders and Bulldozers*. Thirty (30) or more cones are setup throughout the gym. There are two groups: The Builders and the Bulldozers.

The Bulldozers run throughout the gym and knock down the cones (buildings) while the Builders set them up. At the end of a set period of time, if the builders have more standing than the bulldozers have down … the builders finish first. It is just the opposite for the Bulldozers to win. - ***If you have never played this game, play it first!***

***3 Team Crazy Cones*** is the next progression of Builders and Bulldozers.

**Equipment & Setup:**

* 3 sets of colored cones – hopefully 12 or more of each – Yellow, orange and green are the colors most available and used.
* The cones are scattered throughout the gym.
* Students are divided into 3 groups … yellow, orange and green (same colors as cones)

**Description:**

**Round #1**

* When the game begins, students move around the gym knocking down the other two team’s colors and setting up their own color. For example, the green group would knockdown yellow and orange but setup green.
* At the end of a set period of time, the group that has the most cones standing finishes in first place.

**Round #2**

* Everything is similar to the previous round except for the following:
* yellow knocks down orange (and sets up their own color - yellow)
* orange knocks down green (and sets up their own color - orange)
* green knocks down yellow (and sets up their own color, green)

**Round #3**

* In this round, each group knocks over the cones of the group that knocked theirs down in the previous round.

**Helpful Hints:**

* Students can only tap the cones down with their hands, not hit them hard.
* Students cannot stay by a cone or cones and guard them. Once they knock one cone down, they need to move onto the next one.
* I often use a countdown to stop the music. “5-4-3-2-1-Hands up!” Students put their hands above their heads so they will not knock over any more cones. If someone knocks or kicks a cone down after the music stops, that one is setup and one of the offender’s cone is knocked down (penalty).