

Around the Green

Week 6



Class Timetable - Week 6

Session Length:
60mins

Group Size:
1:8

Mastering the Game Focus:
Around the Green:
Pitching

Whole Child Focus
Personal:
Perseverance

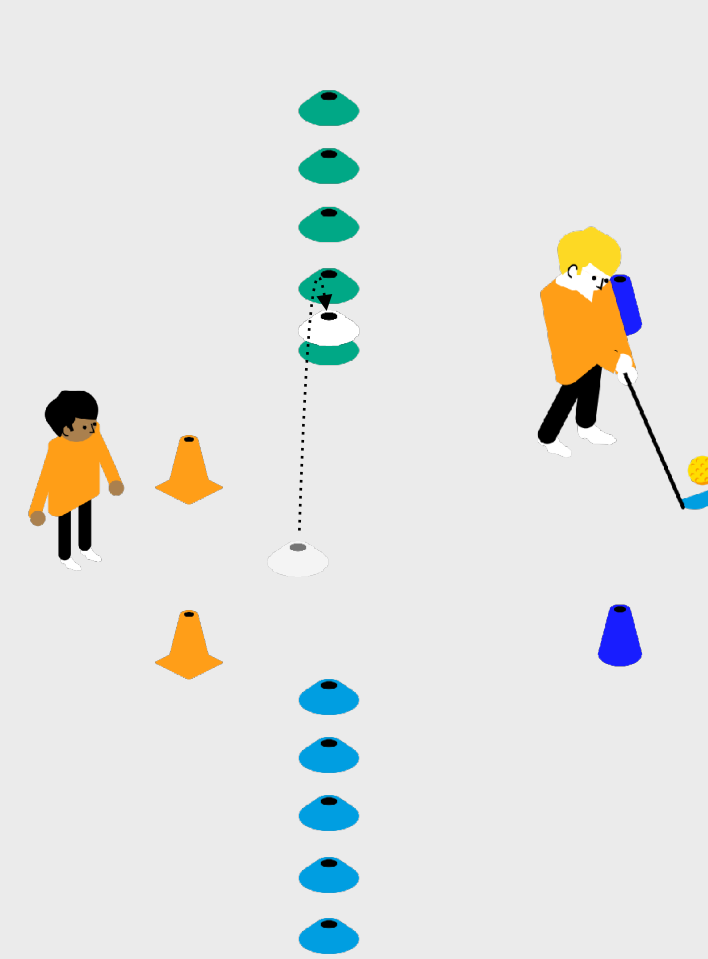
Learning the Game Focus:
Orientation:
Areas of a Golf Hole

Mastering the Game Challenge:
Pitching Challenge

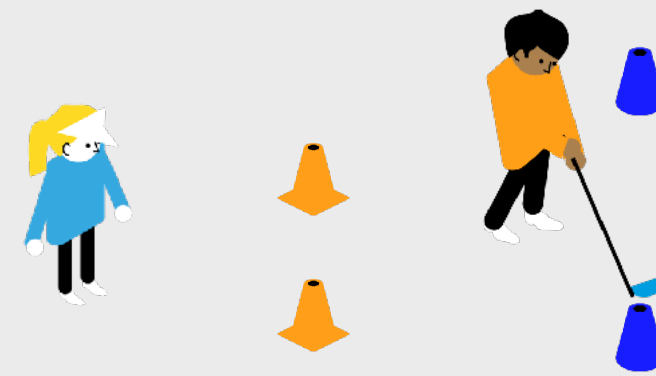
Time	Focus	Suggested Theme Content	Games / Drills / Resource
10 Mins	Introduction and Warm Up Game	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outline the lesson objectives to the group Introduce the warmup game to the group Introduce FMS and Physical Literacy focus Split into teams and demonstrate the warm up game Play the warm up game in groups, pairs or individually 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Fives
5 Mins	Learning the Game Focus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce to the group the Learning the Game focus of the class 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Areas of a Golf Hole
5 Mins	Whole Child Focus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce to the group the Whole Child focus of the class 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Perseverance
35 Mins	Mastering the Game Focus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outline the safety instructions and class layout Introduce games and challenge Deliver one to one and group coaching on the Mastering the Game learning outcomes Children can attempt the Challenge in pairs Children rotate around the stations Opportunity for free practice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tug of War G.O.L.F Pitching Challenge
5 Mins	myAcademy Folder Track and Reward MyGame+ Progress on GLF. Connect	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recap Mastering the Game and Learning the Game Focus from the session to check for understanding Children can complete myProgress Wheel and add stickers where appropriate to the myAcademy folder The challenge can be marked as complete if required on MyGame+ part of GLF. Connect app Present the Achiever Award to a student in front of the parents and the group Award any Pins and Hats that may have been achieved 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> myAcademy Folders GLF. Connect myGame+

Class Layout and Setup

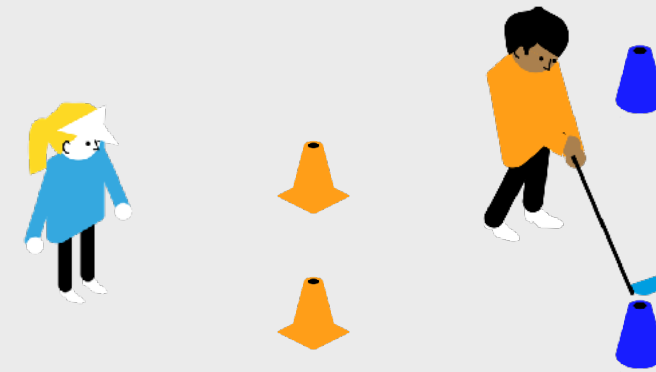
Station 3:
Game Station
Tug of War



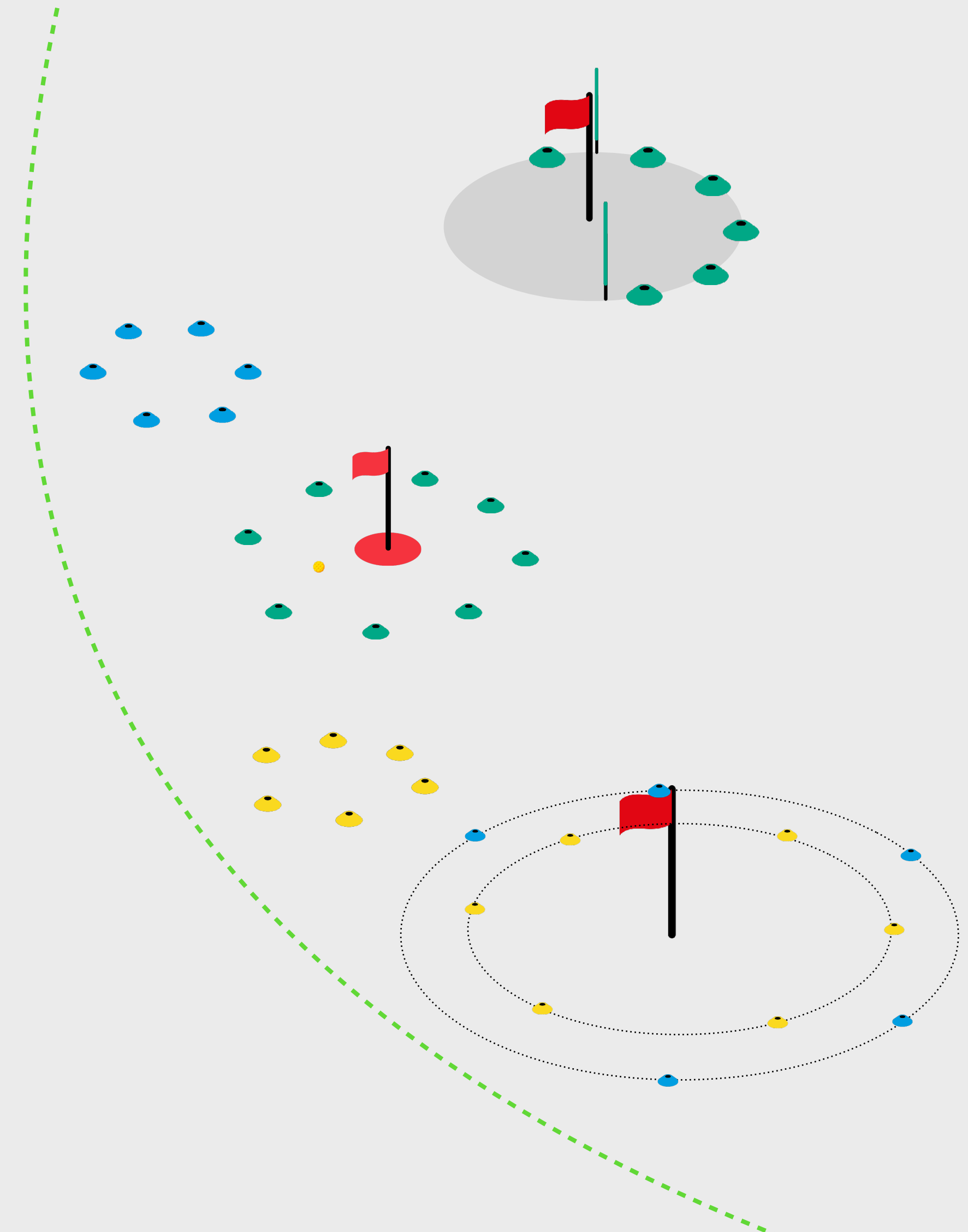
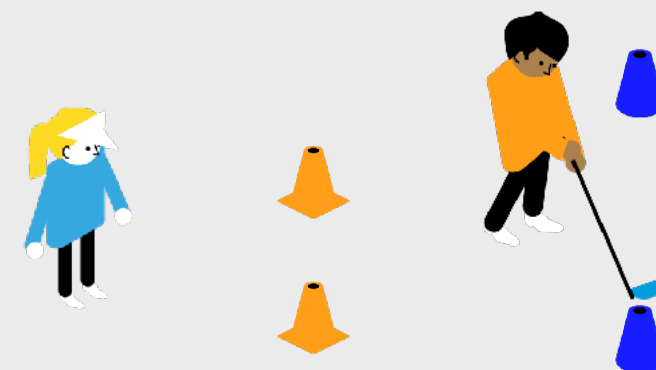
Station 2:
Game Station
G.O.L.F



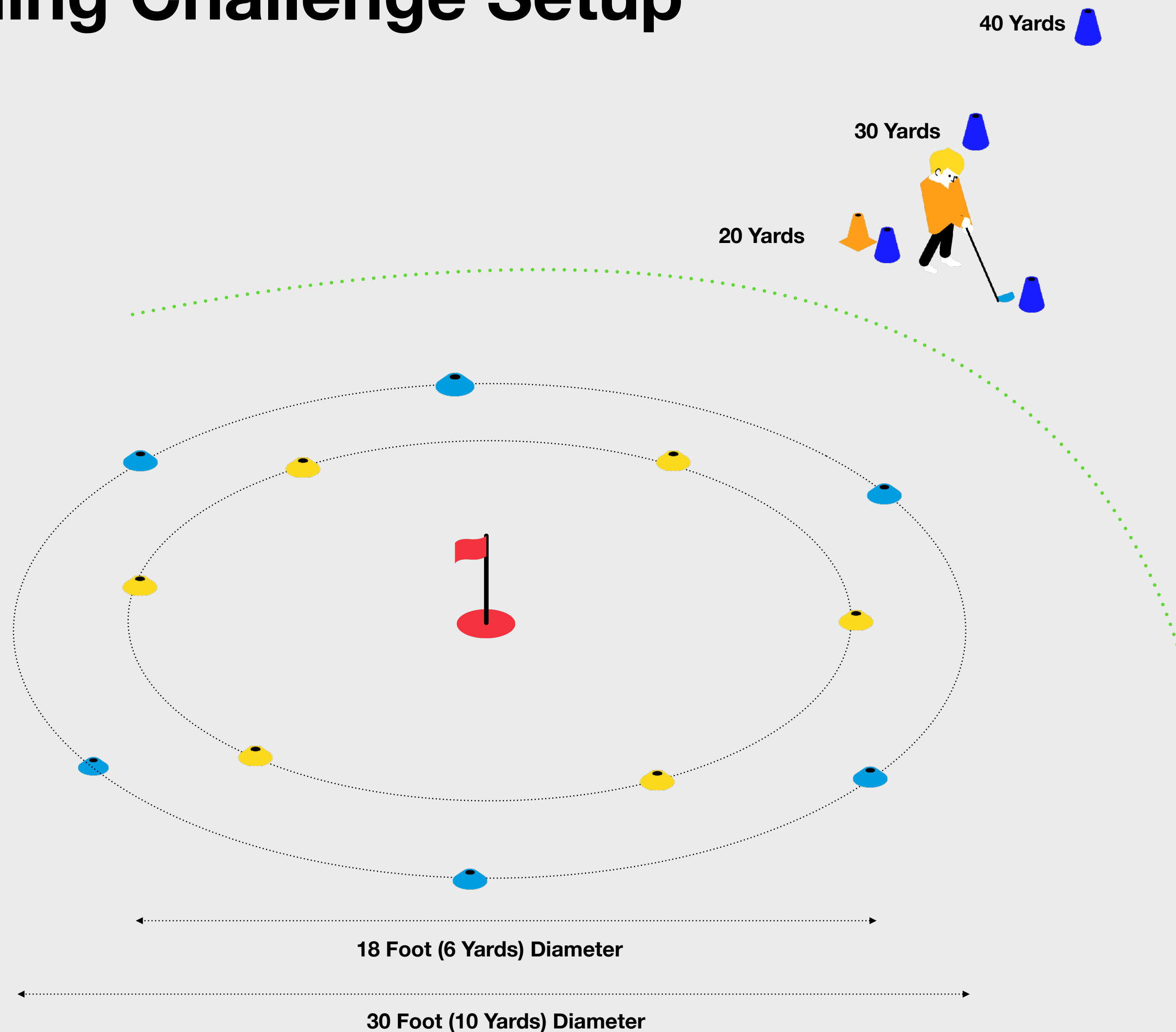
Station 1:
Challenge Station



Station 4:
Free Practice Station



Pitching Challenge Setup



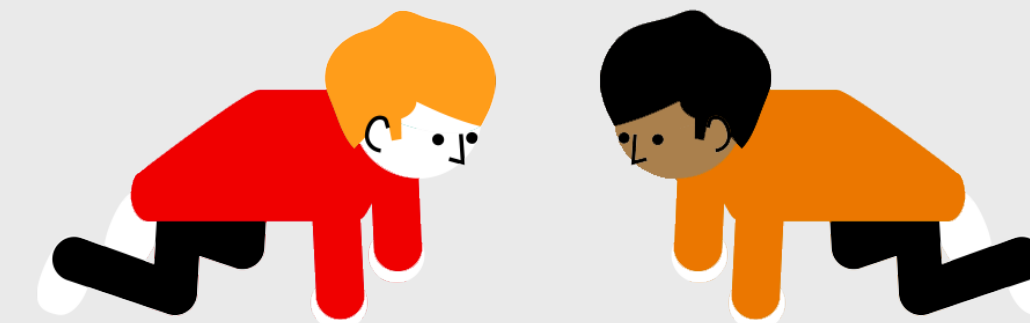
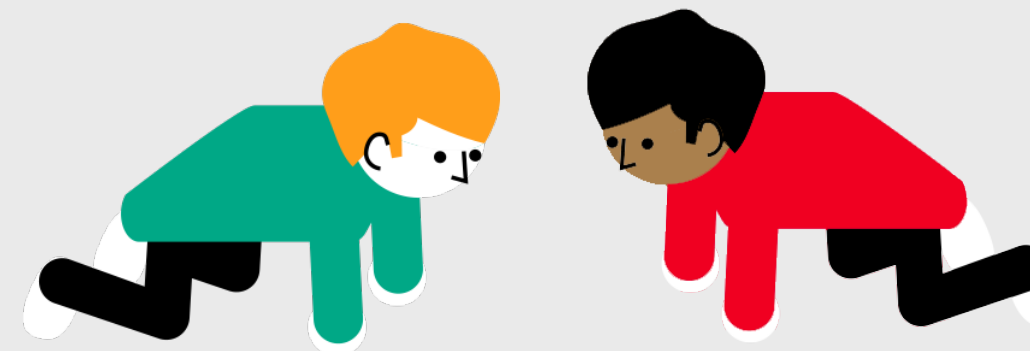
Setting out the Challenge

- 1 flag should be selected on the green, alignment sticks could be used where this isn't possible
- 2 target circles, marked by cones, are placed around the flag or alignment stick at the diameters in the graphic opposite, 6 yards and 10 yards
- Three starting points are positioned in a row at distances of 20, 30 and 40 yards

Equipment Required

- Orange cones to mark out a safety line
- Marker cones to represent the tee markers
- Target circles from the equipment bag
- Cones to mark target circles
- Flag
- Alignment Sticks for a flag if this isn't possible

High Fives



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How to Play

- This game is played in pairs
- The children start behind their team's safety cone
- On go, the children run, hop or skip across to behind their JGA cone
- The children then get into a press up position and have to high five each other, 10 times, using alternating hands
- After the team has completed their high fives they have to run, hop or skip back behind their safety cone
- The first team back behind their cone is the winner

Progression Ideas

- If holding a press up position is too difficult then children can play on their hands and knees, however one of their hands has to stay on the floor whilst they complete the high fives
- Introduce different FMS to move between the safety cone and JGA cone

Equipment Needed

Orange Safety Cones

SAFETY



3 x JGA cones





Personal Perseverance

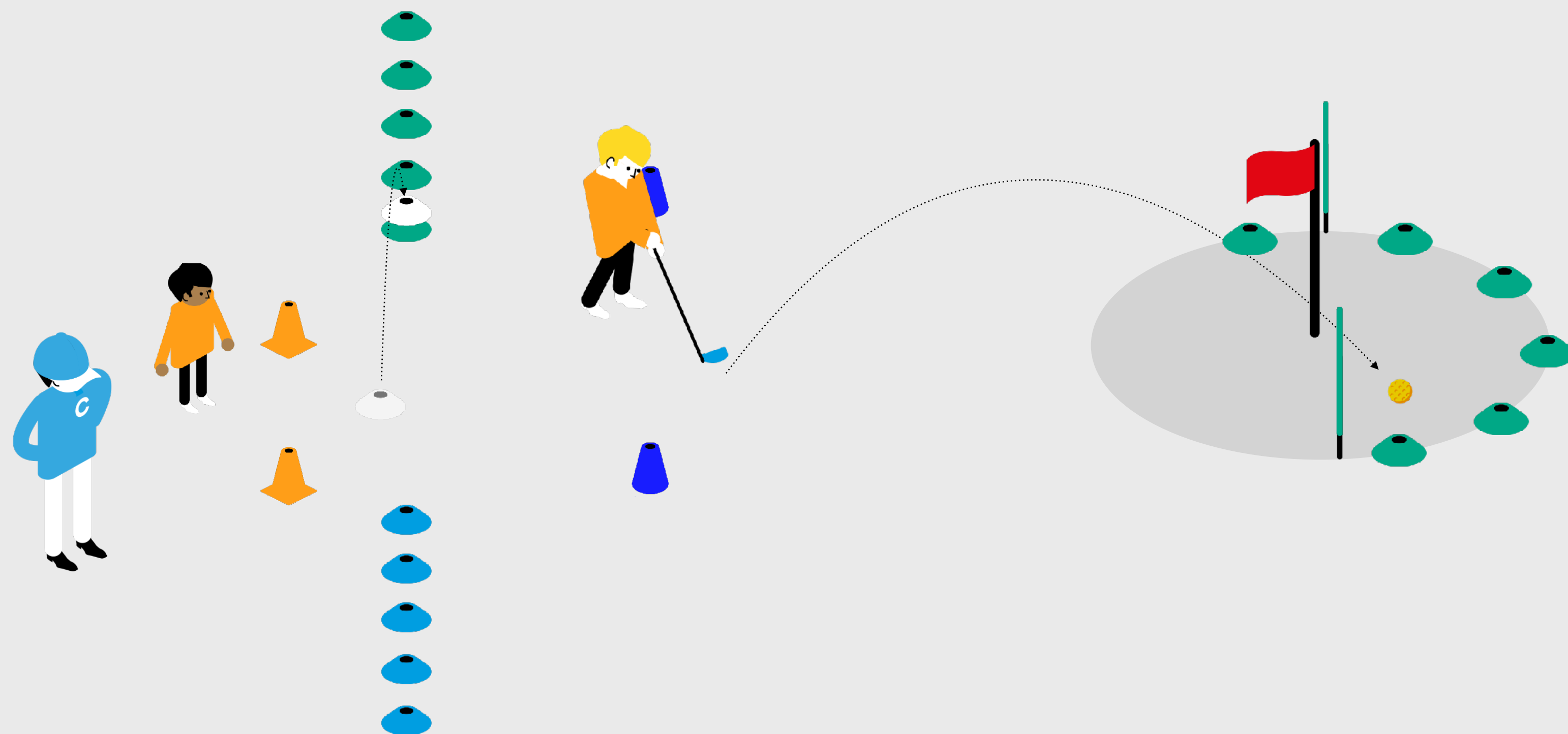
- The Whole Child theme this week is to learn to persevere despite the challenges that children might face.
- Carry this theme into the class by supporting all children with their pitching technique to ensure they don't find it too difficult and give up.



Orientation Areas of a Golf Hole

- The Learning the Game focus this week is to understand the different areas of a golf hole.
- You should check for understanding about what happens when the ball goes into different areas on a hole.

Tug of War



How to Play

- Child number 1 starts and attempts to hit their shot to the target
- Then the next child attempts their shot. The player who hits it nearest to the target moves the cone one place to their side
- The winner is the one who gets the centre white cone to their end cone

Progression Ideas

- Vary the target on each shot
- Vary the distance between the tee box and the green
- Add hazards for penalty cones
- Add different targets to increase the number of moves across the cones

Learning Outcomes

- Improve overall ability to strike the ball well, control direction and consistency of distance

Equipment needed

2 x Orange Safety Cones

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2 x Cones



1 x White Cone



5 x Green Cones



5 x Blue Cones



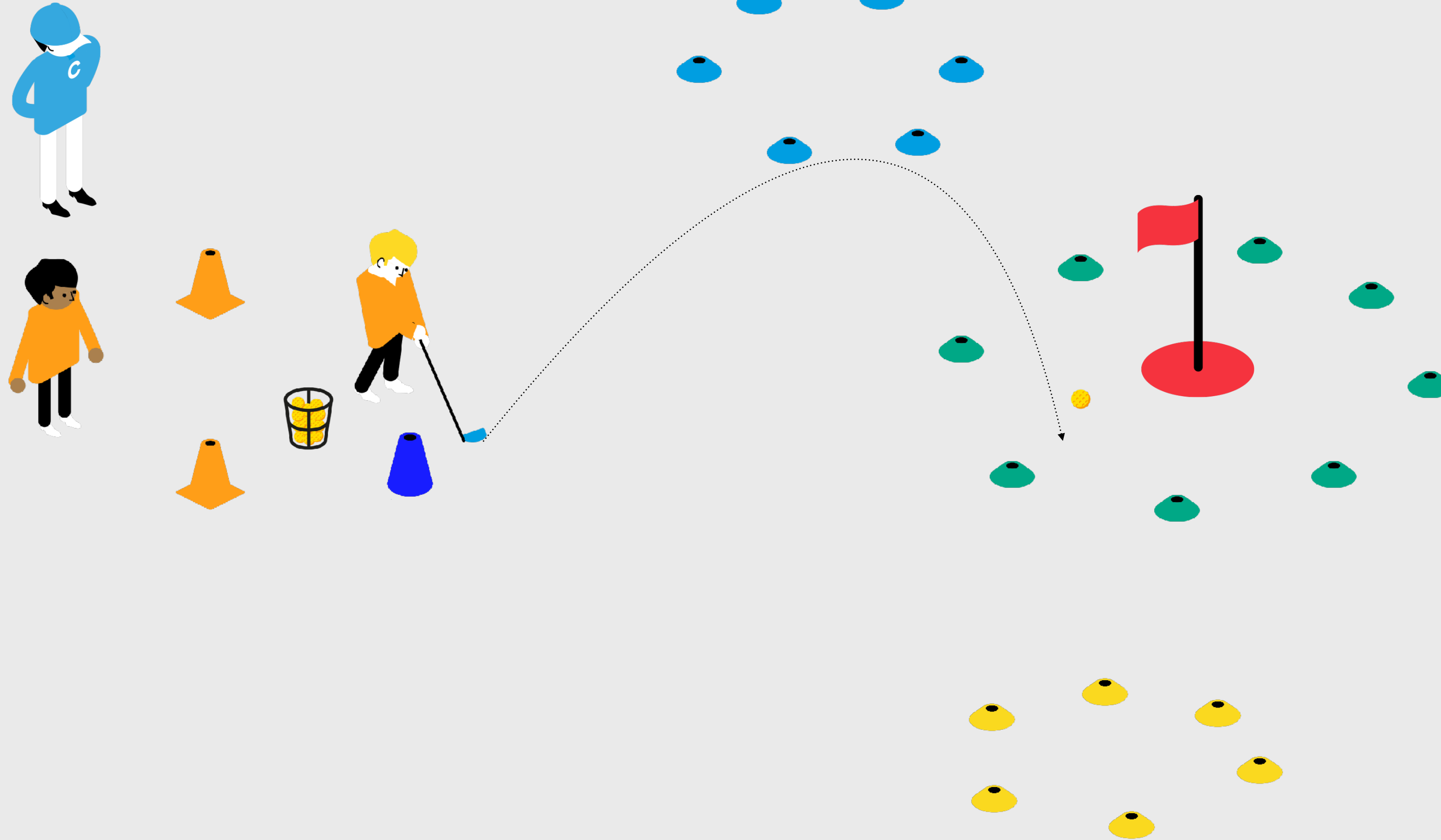
Spare equipment that may be required for the group attendees.



Golf Balls



G.O.L.F



How to Play

- Nominate one of the children to play first
- The first player nominates the area of the golf course they are trying to hit, the green, the lake or the bunker. If the child hits the target, the opposing player needs to match them.
- If the opposing player doesn't hit the target, they get the first letter "G"
- The second player then nominates the target and the game continues until one player spells 'G.O.L.F.

Progression Ideas

- Vary the size of the targets
- Vary the distance to the targets
- Increase the number of letters in the game i.e 'G.O.L.F.E.R
- Adapt the shot types when playing to the targets i.e depending on skill level change the trajectory or shot shape.

Equipment needed

2 x Orange Safety Cones

SAFETY



2 x Cones



Yellow cones to mark out a bunker



Green cones to mark out the green



Blue cones to mark out a bunker



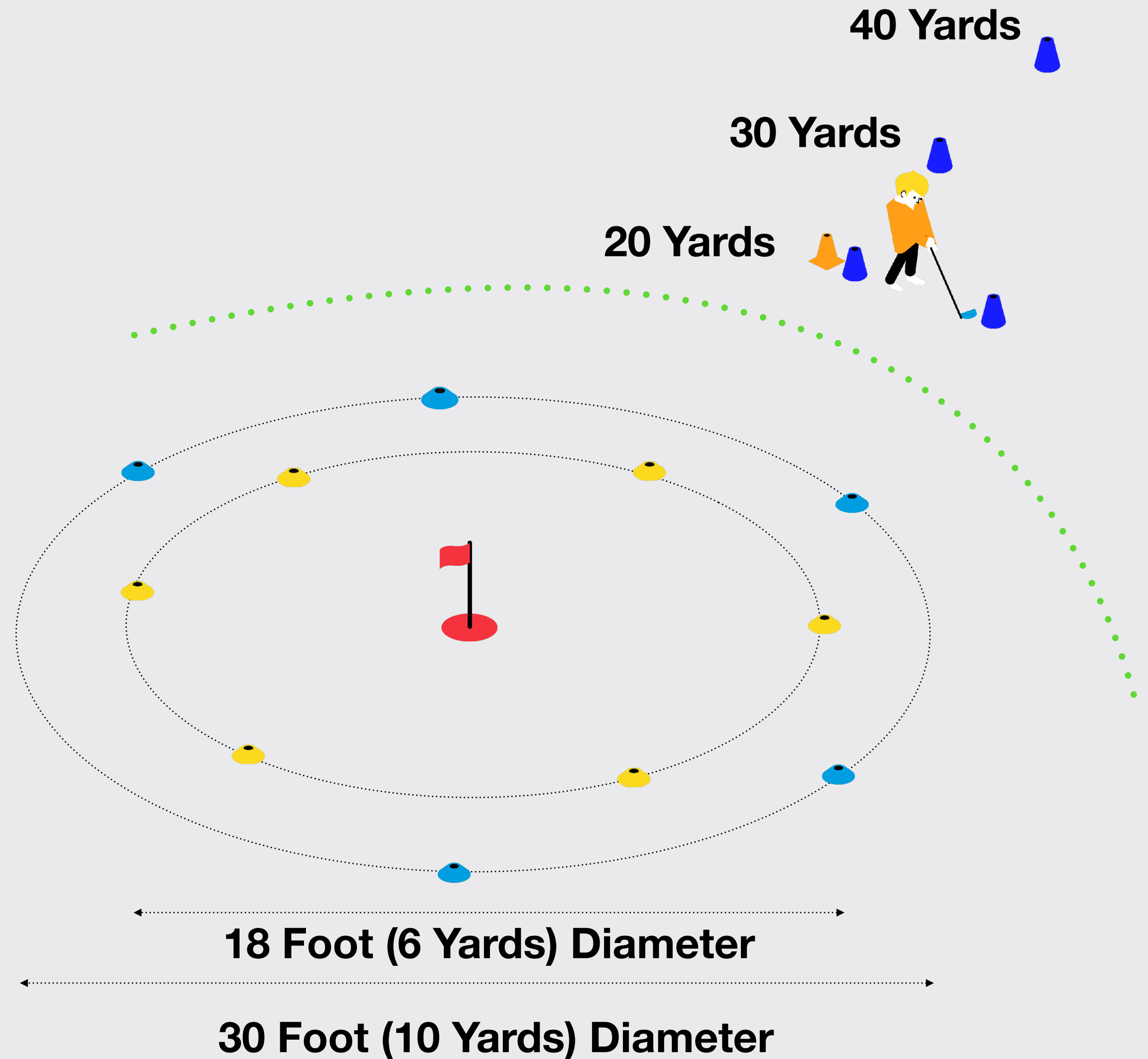
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Golf Balls



Pitching Challenge



Attempting the Challenge

- Juniors have 5 attempts at the Challenge
- Juniors should attempt the Challenge for the level they are aiming to complete
- Juniors get 1 point for every successful attempt for the team challenge

The Challenges

- 1 Complete this Level 1 Challenge by pitching 1 ball on the green from a starting distance of 20 yards from the flag. You have 5 attempts and the ball does not need to land on the green.
- 2 Complete this Level 2 Challenge by pitching 3 balls on the green from a starting distance of 20 yards from the flag. You have 5 attempts and the ball does not need to land on the green.
- 3 Complete this Level 3 Challenge by pitching 1 ball within a 10-yard circle from a starting distance of 20 yards from the flag. You have 5 attempts and all attempts must finish on the green, but the ball does not need to land on the green.
- 4 Complete this Level 4 Challenge by pitching 3 balls within a 10-yard circle from a starting distance of 20 yards from the flag. Pitching 1 ball within a 10-yard circle from a starting distance of 30 yards from the flag. You have 5 attempts from each position and all attempts must finish on the green, but do not need to land on the green.
- 5 Complete this Level 5 Challenge by pitching 4 balls within a 10-yard circle from a starting distance of 20 yards from the flag. Pitching 2 balls within a 10-yard circle from a starting distance of 30 yards from the flag. Pitching 1 ball within a 10-yard circle from a starting distance of 40 yards from the flag. You have 5 attempts from each position and all attempts must finish on the green, but the ball does not need to land on the green.
- 6 Complete this Level 6 Challenge by pitching 4 balls within a 6-yard circle from a starting distance of 20 yards from the flag. Pitching 3 balls within a 6-yard circle from a starting distance of 30 yards from the flag. Pitching 2 balls within a 6-yard circle from a starting distance of 40 yards from the flag. You have 5 attempts from each position and all attempts must land and finish on the green.