

★ ACTIVITY / PAIRS BATTING

FOCUS:

BATTING, STRIKING, HITTING STRAIGHT

EQUIPMENT:

1 BAT, RUBBER BALL,
SET OF STUMPS PER PAIR



DESCRIPTION:

- ▶ Pair up the participants, or have children work with their parents.
- ▶ Batsman stands in front of stumps, while the bowler rolls the ball towards the stumps from an appropriate distance.
- ▶ Batters attempt to hit the ball straight back to the bowler.
- ▶ Each pair has turns at being the batsman or the bowler, swapping roles every 6 deliveries.

MAKE IT EASIER:

- ▶ Use a scorcher ball
- ▶ Have batsman start by hitting a stationary scorcher ball before having bowlers roll it to them.



MAKE IT HARDER:

- ▶ Have bowlers bowl ball on the bounce.
- ▶ Set up a 'gate' in front of the bowler with cones as a target for the batsman to hit through. 1 point if they can hit the ball through the gate etc.

