## **SAMPLE PRACTICE PLAN**

#### Team Warm-up (10 min)

- Jog
- Stand in circle and stretch arms and legs

### **Throwing Progression (10 min)**

- Wrist flicks
- Cement feet
  - Feet just wider than shoulders, knees best, grip ball with fingertips
- Power
  - Think either, "Check time on wrists" or "Spread wings"
  - Follow through → hand in opposite pocket when finished
- Full throwing
- Long toss

## **Perfect Fielding Position (10 min)**

- Tips:
  - Feet shoulder width apart in athletic stance
  - Glove down
  - Straight back
  - Think about a triangle with feet and glove
- Drill:
  - Roll the ball to partner → come up to throwing position, but do not throw
  - Roll front, backhand, and front hop

### Hitting (Run 2-3 stations for 7-10 minutes each)

- Tips:
  - Feet wider than shoulders in athletic position
  - Hands → knocking knuckles lined up
  - Bat → bat on shoulder and then lift it up 4 inches at a 45 degree angle
- Drills:
  - o Hit off tee
  - Front toss wiffle balls

#### **Bunting**

- Tips:
  - Extend arms out front and keep head behind
  - Bend knees
  - Square up to pitcher → slide front foot open

o Drop hand to thumb above barrel

# Other Drills

- Star Drill
- Around the Horn
- Line Drill
- Relay Throw
- Hot Box