



## **Training Game PG/U-6/U8 Players** **Sharks/Minnows**

**Skill:** Dribbling

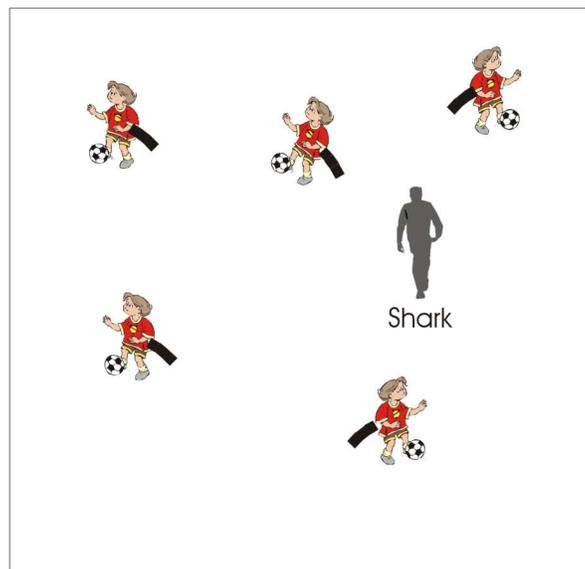
**Number Of Players Required:** Full U-6 team

**Equipment:** 4 or more cones to mark grid, 1 ball for each player and some type of tail (piece of cloth) for each player.

**Grid Requirement:** 20 X 20 yard grid

**Organization:** Create a grid marked with cones. All players are required to play within the grid and each player must have a soccer ball and a tail. The players are Minnows and the coach is the Shark.

**How The Game Is Played:** The Minnows will all have a ball. The Shark (coach) moves around the grid catching minnows by kicking their opponents ball out of the grid. The minnows try to avoid the shark. When a minnow has lost its ball it must leave the grid.



**Variations:** Allow players to only use left foot, right foot, outside of R or L, or use inside of both feet.