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## **Fusion Games**

An activity of "New ways to enjoy old sports".

In "New ways to enjoy old sports" (page 26, *What's Up* January 2024), we learn about how rules for familiar sports are being changed to make them more exciting to watch. How about modifying a sport yourselves to make it more interesting? Work on this activity in small groups.

1. Select a sport for your group to modify. Here ae some examples to help you get going.

Invasion games	Net-barrier games	Target games	
<ul><li>basketball</li><li>soccer</li><li>captain's ball</li><li>others</li></ul>	<ul><li>badminton</li><li>volleyball</li><li>table tennis</li><li>others</li></ul>	<ul><li>bowling</li><li>darts</li><li>boccia</li><li>others</li></ul>	Our group's chosen sport to modify is:

2. Look at the example below:

Example: Bowling	Original rules	Our group's modified rules
How many players?	4 per team.	1 per team.
Where to play?	18-metre lane indoors.	15-metre lane outdoors.
What equipment to use?	Bowling balls, 10 bowling pins.	10 badminton shuttlecocks. Replace bowling ball with soccer ball (level 1) and floorball (level 2).
What are the rules?	No stepping over the starting line; use the hand to bowl.	No stepping over the starting line; can use hand or foot to bowl.
How does scoring work?	1 point per pin knocked over; Highest average score wins.	1 point per shuttlecock knocked over Highest average score wins.

3. Now, modify your selected sport by completing the following table.

Sport:	Original rules	Our group's modified rules
How many players?		
Where to play?		
What equipment to use?		
What are the rules?		
How does scoring work?		