

Rotating Line-Up

Objective is to have balance across batting line-up

Coach defines the strength of his hitters from 1-12 (this is very subjective – not critical to have exact)

The line-up is setup by intermixing strength of players with weaker hitters (balance is key)

Line-up rotates:

- After each game, the player who made the last out, is last for the next game
- On-deck hitter would be first

Eliminates the stigma about batting last – everyone gets an equal chance to bat everywhere in line-up

Players get an equal number of at-bats (during season)

Coaches don't have to spend anytime putting together a line-up

Example:

Player	Hitting Rank	Game 1 Order	Game2 Order
Johnny	1	1	6
Joey	2	2	7
Sam	12	3	8
Charlie	3	4	9
Nomar	4	5	10
Bud	11	6	11
Manny	5	7	12
Michael	6	8	1
Tony	10	9	2
Kevin	7	10	3
Mark	8	11	4
Dan	9	12	5

Note:

1. Manny made last out in Game1
2. If a player does not show up for a game, strike his name from line-up and move everyone up one.
Next game, go back to original order

