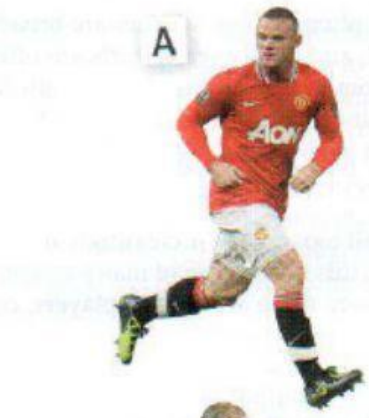
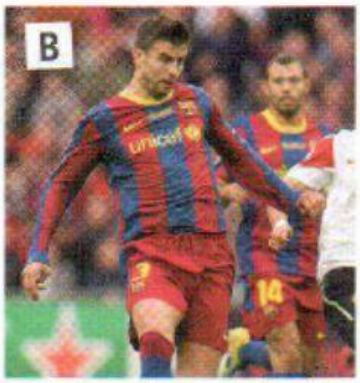
UNIT 01

It's my club

Kick-off

1 Who are the players?

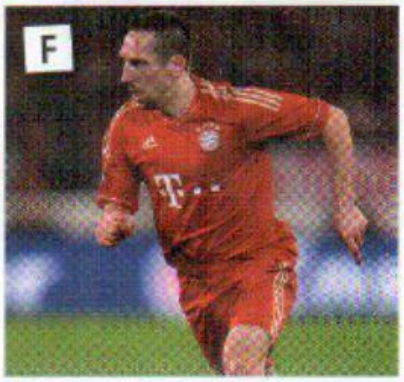












2 Which positions do they play?

1 goalkeeper
2 central defender
3 full-back
4 midfielder
5 winger
6 striker

3 Look at the player positions below.



4 Choose a famous player for each position.

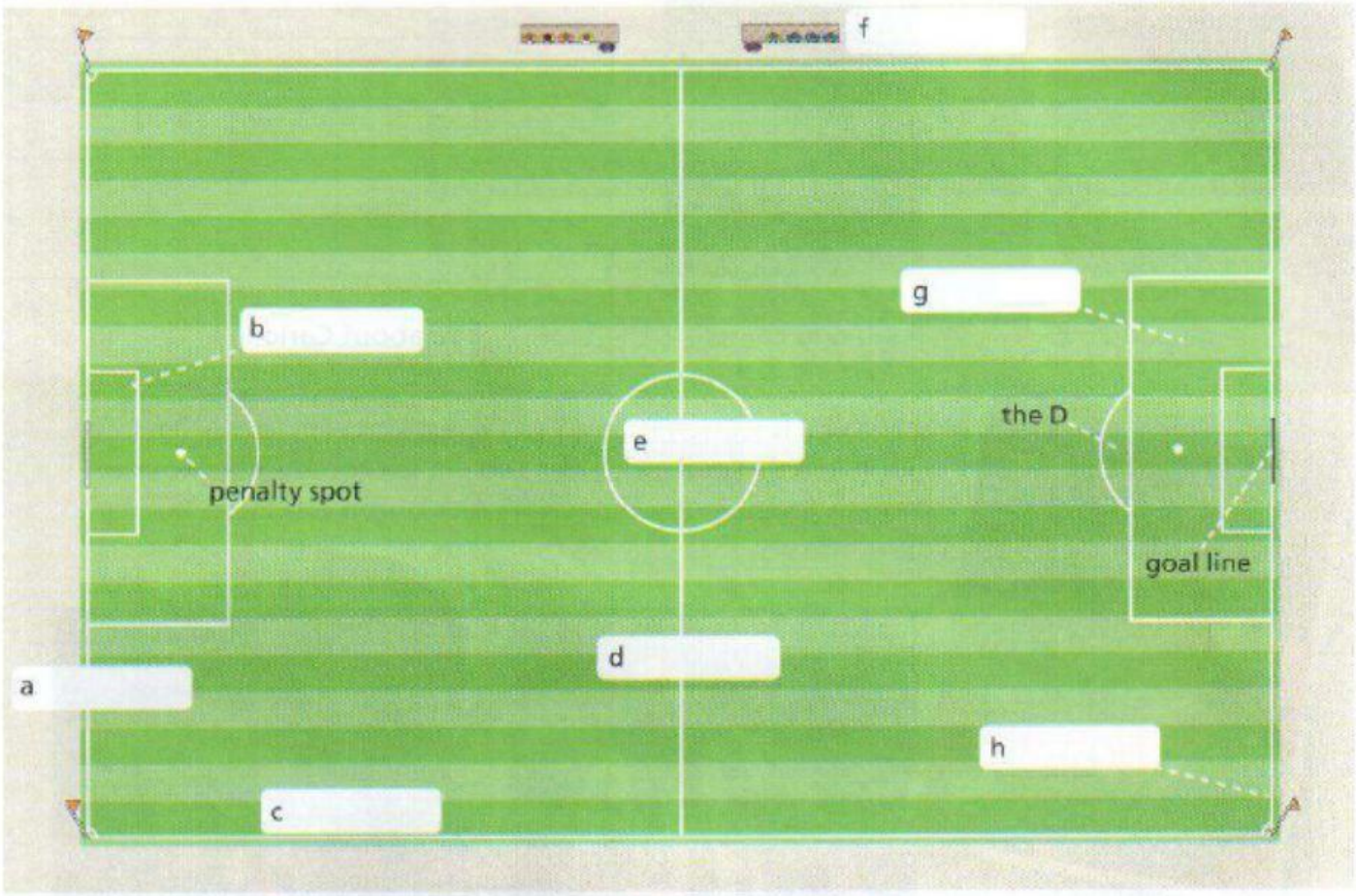
Andrés Iniesta is a midfielder.

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Vocabulary

1 Complete the labels using the words below.

corner flag | penalty area | halfway line | bench
centre circle | sideline | six-yard box | by-line



2 02 Read and listen to the numbers.

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20
30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100

3 Match the questions to the answers.

1 How many players are there in a team?	a 3
2 How long is a game of football?	b 10
3 Which number is Maradona famous for?	c every 4 years
4 How many goals are there in a hat-trick?	d 11
5 How often is the World Cup?	e 90 minutes
6 What number is the goalkeeper in English teams?	f 1

Did you know?

When we say football scores, we use *nil* instead of *zero* i.e. 2-0:
The score is two-nil.
When the score is 1-1, we say *It's one-all.*

4 03 Listen and complete the results.

1	Real Madrid	___	0	Bayern Munich
2	Ajax	3	___	Shakhtar Donetsk
3	Chelsea	___	1	AC Milan
4	Porto	0	___	Lyon

5 Now practise saying the scores.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Reading

1 Read. Are the sentences True (T) or False (F)?

1	The German first division is the Bundesliga.	T
2	Edison Arantes do Nascimento is the real name of Ronaldinho.	F
3	Manchester United are *The Red Devils*.	
4	Substitutes are on the bench at the start of a game.	
5	Real Madrid v Barcelona is called *El Grande* in Spain.	
6	The Maracana is the biggest stadium in Europe.	
7	Diego Maradona's middle name is Gabriel.	
8	The San Siro is the home stadium of AC Milan and Internazionale.	
9	The original World Cup trophy is the Jules Rimet.	
10	The French national team are *The Lions*.	

Language

PRESENT SIMPLE: *to be*

Affirmative		Negative		Question	
I'm a	winger.	I'm not	tall.	Am I	in the team?
You're a		You aren't		Are you	
He's a		He isn't		Is he	
They're	wingers.	They aren't		Are they	

- We use the plural when we talk about teams in English.
  *Chelsea **are** my favourite team.* **NOT** ~~*Chelsea is my favourite team.*~~
  *Why **are** Barcelona so good?*

Practice

1 Read and write *Yes, it is / Yes, he is.* or *No, it isn't. / No, he isn't.*

1 Is Cristiano Ronaldo Spanish? No, he isn't.
2 Is the Bernabeu Stadium in Italy? _____
3 Is Wesley Sneijder a defender? _____
4 Is the Champions League for European teams? _____
5 Is Yaya Toure from Ivory Coast? _____

2 Complete the sentences with *is, isn't, are*.

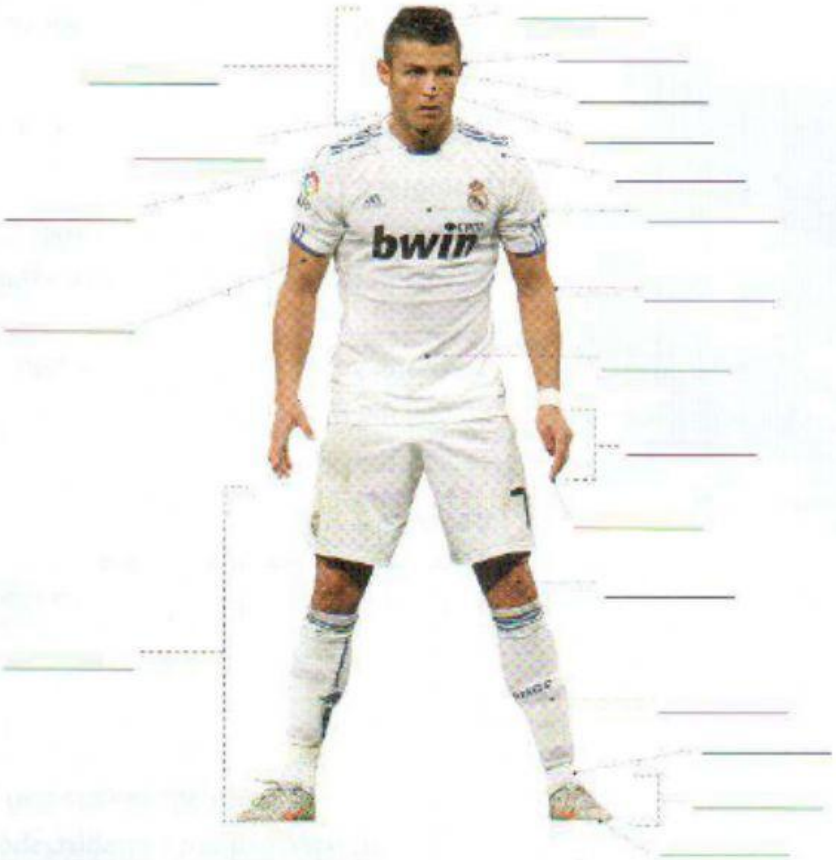
1 Sergio Aguero is a striker.
2 How old _____ you?
3 Napoli _____ an Italian team.
4 Wembley Stadium _____ in Manchester.
5 The semi-finals _____ next weekend.
6 Who _____ the Under-21 world champions?

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Vocabulary

1 Write the parts of the body using the vocabulary below.

head	shin
arm	chest
mouth	fingers
leg	nose
shoulder	stomach
hand	ear
foot	ankle
eye	toes
knee	elbow
hair	neck



2 Complete the sentences with the body parts below.

chest feet foot hand elbow arms

1 I can control the ball with my chest.
2 Is that a _____-ball?
3 Many goalkeepers have long _____.
4 Nani is famous for his quick _____.
5 The defender fouls him with his _____.
6 Arjen Robben shoots with his left _____.

3 Write the correct verb under each picture.

kick pass shoot head tackle foul













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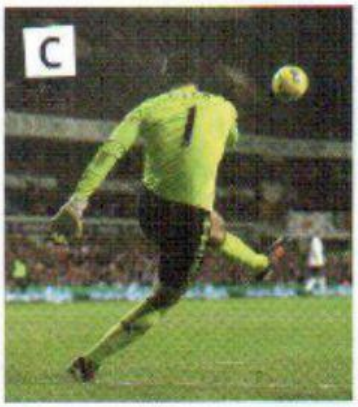
Vocabulary

1 Match the words with the pictures.

1 penalty 2 corner 3 throw-in 4 free-kick 5 goal kick











2 These are called set-pieces. Which players take the set-pieces for your favourite team?

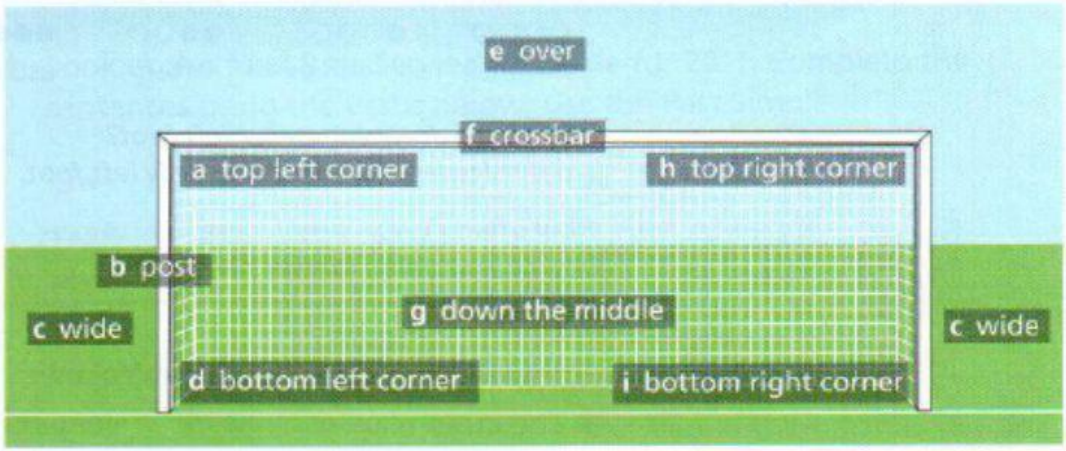
1 _____ takes the free-kicks for _____.
2 _____ takes the penalties for _____.
3 _____ takes the corners for _____.
4 _____ takes the throw-ins for _____.
5 _____ takes the goal kicks for _____.

3 How often do you take set-pieces?

1 I _____ take free-kicks.
2 I _____ take penalties.
3 I _____ take corners.
4 I _____ take throw-ins.
5 I _____ take goal kicks.

Listening

1 Look at the picture showing the positions of the goal.



2 07 Now listen and write the letters.

1 ___ 2 ___ 3 ___ 4 ___ 5 ___ 6 ___ 7 ___ 8 ___ 9 ___

3 When you take a penalty, where do you kick the ball?

I always try for the top right corner.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Listening

1 Make sentences about Lilian Thuram.

1 Lilian Thuram	a Parma, Juventus and France.
2 He played for	b 1998 World Cup semi-final against Croatia.
3 Thuram only scored two goals	c for his country.
4 His two goals came in the	d is a defender.



2 ◎ 08 Listen to the commentaries of Thuram's goals. Complete the sentences.

Goal 1

1 Thuram _____ the Croatian defender.
2 Thuram _____ the ball.
3 Djorkaeff _____ it back to Thuram.
4 Thuram _____ for France.

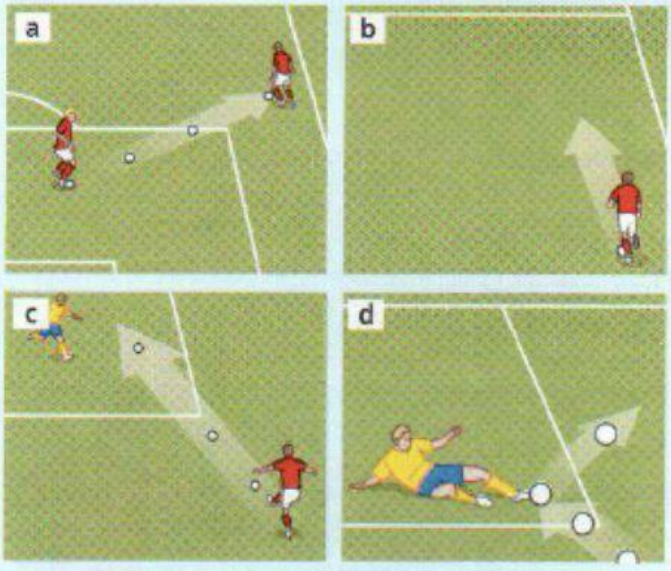
Goal 2

1 Zidane _____ the ball to Lilian Thuram.
2 Thuram _____ forward and passes to a French player.
3 Thuram _____ from outside the area.

Reading

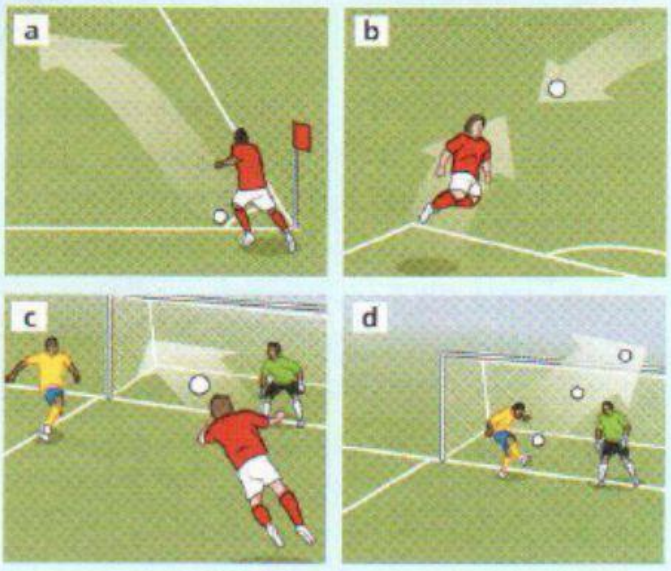
1 Look at each sequence. Match the phrases to the correct picture.

A



_____ blocks the shot
a passes the ball to the right-back
_____ shoots from outside the penalty area
_____ runs forward

B



_____ clears the ball
_____ jumps
_____ takes the corner
_____ heads the ball

2 Give names to the players in the sequence. Practise a commentary.

Fàbregas passes the ball to the right-back.

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