

## The World of Soccer

Soccer, or football as it is known in most parts of the world, is a beloved sport with a rich history. It's a game that unites people and has a massive global following. Read the following passage about soccer and answer the multiple-choice questions that follow:

Soccer, often called the "beautiful game," is the most popular sport on the planet. It is played in almost every country and has millions of fans worldwide. The game is simple, yet it requires great skill. Two teams with eleven players each compete to score goals by getting the ball into the opposing team's net. The team with the most goals at the end of the match wins.



Soccer players are known for their agility, speed, and precision. They use their feet, head, and sometimes even their chest to control the ball. The sport promotes teamwork and strategic thinking as players need to pass, dribble, and work together to overcome the opposing team's defense.

Soccer's biggest event is the FIFA World Cup, held every four years. It brings together national teams from around the world to compete for the coveted trophy. The World Cup is a global celebration, attracting millions of viewers and fans.

Now, let's test your knowledge:

1. What is the most popular name for soccer in most parts of the world?
  - a) Rugby
  - b) Football
  - c) Tennis
  - d) Baseball
2. How many players are there on each soccer team?
  - a) 5
  - b) 7
  - c) 11
  - d) 9
3. What is the main objective of soccer?
  - a) To score as many points as possible.
  - b) To make the most passes in a game.
  - c) To hit the ball with a bat into the net.
  - d) To get the ball into the opposing team's net.

4. Which major event brings national teams together to compete in soccer?

- a) The Olympics
- b) The Super Bowl
- c) The FIFA World Cup
- d) The Wimbledon Championships