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BEN

Ben Roethlisberger is a football star. Ben is very strong and very fast.

One year, Ben threw the ball 268 times. Other players caught 168 of the balls that he threw. He made 17 touchdowns. Every time he ran, he ran about eight yards. He played 13 games in one year.

Mothers and fathers like to watch Ben play. Kids like to watch Ben play. People just want to see Ben. If he is hurt, they still want to see him sitting on the bench. If he is playing, they want to yell his name.

Ben is a great player!

**STORY QUESTIONS**

1. What makes Ben great?
 - a. He is strong and fast.
 - b. He is ugly.
 - c. He has blond hair.
 - d. He can play soccer.
2. How many times did he pass the ball in one year?
 - a. 178
 - b. 168
 - c. 13
 - d. 268
3. Tell what kind of sentence this is: Ben is a great player!
 - a. exclamatory
 - b. declarative
 - c. interrogative