

**vocabulary worksheet**

**level 1**



All the words for this activity come from the podcast  
The beautiful game

- 1 Can you remember the verbs that are missing from these sentences?
  - a Football is a game everyone can p\_\_\_\_\_.
  - b Nowadays footballers e\_\_\_\_\_ an enormous amount of money.
  - c Do you think they get p\_\_\_\_\_ too much?
  - d Footballers e\_\_\_\_\_ millions of people.
  - e Although Liverpool lost I started s\_\_\_\_\_ them from that time.
  - f Can you d\_\_\_\_\_ a great Liverpool game you've watched?
  - g A memorable moment is when we were three-nil down and c\_\_\_\_\_ b\_\_\_\_\_ to win on penalties.
  - h Most of the supporters will a\_\_\_\_\_ that Steven Gerrard is the best player.
  - i Where do you think Liverpool will f\_\_\_\_\_ at the end of this season?
  - j I must a\_\_\_\_\_ I can't see us better than third at the moment.
  
- 2 What is the best verb for these sentences?
  - a Liverpool *lost / won / beat* West Ham in the FA cup final.
  - b Nantes and St Etienne *won / drew / scored* 1-all at the weekend.
  - c Lampard didn't *score / play / win* any goals during the 2006 World Cup.
  - d Real Madrid *won / lost / scored* 1-4 against Atletico Madrid yesterday.
  - e Perhaps West Ham will *beat / win / score* more games now that they have some Argentinean players in the team.

answers

level 1

- 1 Can you remember the verbs that are missing from these sentences?
- a Football is a game everyone can *play*.
  - b Nowadays footballers *earn* an enormous amount of money.
  - c Do you think they get *paid* too much?
  - d Footballers *entertain* millions of people.
  - e Although Liverpool lost I started *supporting* them from that time.
  - f Can you *describe* a great Liverpool game you've watched?
  - g A memorable moment is when we were three-nil down and *came back* to win on penalties.
  - h Most of the supporters will *agree* that Steven Gerrard is the best player.
  - i Where do you think Liverpool will *finish* at the end of this season?
  - j I must *admit* I can't see us better than third at the moment.
- 2 What is the best verb for these sentences?
- a Liverpool *beat* West Ham in the FA cup final.
  - b Nantes and St Etienne *drew* 1-all at the weekend.
  - c Lampard didn't *score* any goals during the 2006 World Cup.
  - d Real Madrid *lost* 1-4 against Atletico Madrid yesterday.
  - e Perhaps West Ham will *win* more games now that they have some Argentinean players in the team.

Too easy? Then try the Football vocabulary worksheet.