



# WORD LIBRARY

## FOOTBALL

goalkeeper	pitch	field	referee
away game	score	goal	handball
home game	corner	pass	goal line
penalty kick	penalty	offside	throw in
kick-off	shoot	tackle	match
yellow card	draw	injury-time	red card
locker room	post	extra time	linesman
spectator	flag	full-time	stands
The World Cup	whistle	half-time	offside

### Idioms

**To give your best shot** - Trying your best

**To stay ahead of the game** - A position in which one is likely to win

**To meet (one's) match** - To find someone equal in ability

**A long shot** - Something that is not likely to succeed

**To take sides** - To support one team over another

**Get the ball rolling** - To get something started

**Against the run of play** - When a team scores a goal when they probably do not deserve to

**Nail-biter** - A sports event that is exciting because you do not know who will win

**Hat trick** - The scoring of three goals in a game by one player