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Introduction to Football

Welcome to the world of football! Football is a popular sport played by millions of people around the world. It's a game that requires skill, strategy, and teamwork. In this homework assignment, you'll learn about the fundamental rules and objectives of football, and have the opportunity to test your knowledge and skills.

What is the objective of football?

1. a) To score more goals than the opposing team
2. b) To score more points than the opposing team
3. c) To complete more passes than the opposing team
4. d) To run more laps than the opposing team

Football Basics and Rules

Football is played between two teams, each consisting of 11 players. The objective is to score more goals than the opposing team by kicking or heading the ball into the opponent's goal. Players can use any part of their body except their hands and arms to control and move the ball.

How many players are on a football team?

1. a) 5 players
2. b) 7 players
3. c) 11 players
4. d) 15 players

Player Positions and Roles

Each player has a specific position and role on the field. The goalkeeper is responsible for preventing the ball from entering the goal. The defenders help the goalkeeper by defending the goal and blocking shots. The midfielders support both the defenders and the forwards by maintaining possession of the ball and creating scoring opportunities. The forwards score goals by kicking or heading the ball into the opponent's goal.

What is the role of the midfielder in a football game?

Scoring System and Game Duration

A standard football game consists of two 45-minute halves, with a 15-minute halftime break. The team with the most goals at the end of the two halves wins the game. If the score is tied at the end of the two halves, the game goes into extra time, where the first team to score wins the game.

What is the duration of a standard football game?

1. a) 60 minutes
2. b) 90 minutes
3. c) 120 minutes
4. d) 180 minutes

Fouls and Misconduct

A foul is committed when a player breaks the rules of the game, such as tripping or pushing an opponent. The referee may award a free kick or penalty kick to the opposing team, depending on the severity of the foul. A player who commits a serious foul may be given a yellow or red card, resulting in a warning or ejection from the game.

What is the consequence of committing a serious foul in a football game?

1. a) Warning
2. b) Ejection from the game
3. c) Free kick or penalty kick
4. d) All of the above

Offside and Other Rules

A player is considered offside if they are closer to the opponent's goal line than both the ball and the second-to-last opponent when the ball is played forward. Other rules include the prohibition of using hands and arms to control the ball, except for the goalkeeper, and the requirement to restart play with a kick-off, throw-in, or corner kick after the ball goes out of bounds.

What is the definition of offside in football?

Conclusion and Reflection

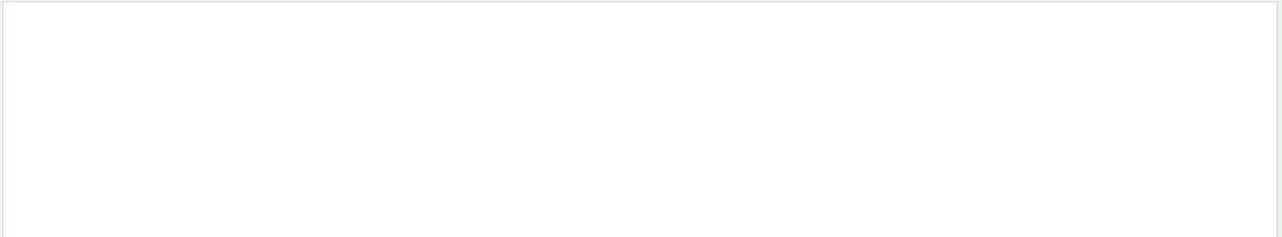
Congratulations on completing this homework assignment! You have demonstrated your understanding of the fundamental rules and objectives of football. Remember to apply this knowledge in a game situation and to always follow the rules and regulations of the game.

Reflect on what you have learned and think about how you can apply this knowledge in a game situation.

Extension Activities

For advanced learners, complete the following activities:

1. Research the history of football and write a short essay on its origins and development.
2. Design a football pitch, including the dimensions and markings. Consider the different types of surfaces and the equipment needed.

A large, empty rectangular box with a thin grey border, intended for students to complete their research or design work.

Glossary of Terms

Foul: A rule infringement that results in a free kick or penalty kick being awarded to the opposing team.

Free kick: A kick taken from the spot where a foul was committed.

Penalty kick: A kick taken from the penalty spot, awarded for a major infringement.

Offside: A rule that prohibits a player from staying ahead of the ball and the opposing team's defense.