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What is Football All About? - Reading Comprehension Check - 20 pts.

After you thoroughly read the reverse side (marginalia/active reading is required), fill-in the blanks. Each (blank) _____ is worth one point.

A football game begins with a _____.

The official whistles the ball dead when the _____ is brought down or she/he runs _____ of _____.

The place where the play begins is called the _____ of _____.

The team advancing the ball is the _____.

The _____ snaps the ball to the quarterback.

The _____ team is allowed _____ plays or downs.

The offensive team must advance forward _____ yards to earn a first down.

The primary objective of the offensive team is to _____.

The primary objective of the defensive team is to _____ the offensive team from scoring.

A touchdown is worth _____ points.

A field goal after a touchdown is worth _____ point.

A _____ is worth three points.

A conversion (run or pass) after a touchdown is worth _____ points.

A safety forced by the defense is worth _____ points.