



FIFA WORLD CUP 2026™ TORONTO

Soccer Activity Booklet

April 2026



A note to educators and parents/guardians:

The “beautiful game” is coming to Toronto.

FIFA World Cup 2026™ will be the biggest sporting event ever, with three Host Countries, 16 Host Cities, 48 teams and 104 matches uniting an entire continent to showcase a momentous new tournament format. With more countries, cities, teams and matches, FIFA World Cup 2026™ will be the most inclusive tournament ever, engaging millions of fans across 16 unique stadiums and billions worldwide, including you.

Toronto is “The World in a City”, with many diverse neighbourhoods and cultures united by their love for soccer.

Toronto and Ontario can’t wait to welcome fans from around the world for six matches in 2026, including the first men’s FIFA World Cup™ match in Canada, featuring Canada Men’s National Team on June 12, 2026

What to expect:

- This booklet offers a range of activities designed to support a multi-disciplinary curriculum, integrating Health and Physical Education with core competencies in Mathematics, Language Arts, Visual Arts, and Personal Planning.
- Kindergarten to Grade 2: A playful introduction to soccer with colouring pages and easy-to-follow activities.
- Grade 3 to Grade 5: Interactive games to stimulate creativity from writing cheers for your favourite team to developing math skills and learning good habits.
- Grade 6 to Grade 8: Dive deeper into the world of soccer with advanced challenges, goal-setting activities, and problem-solving tactics.



GROUP STAGE SCHEDULE

CANADA



BOSNIA &
HERZEGOVINA

JUNE 12 - 3:00 PM ET

GHANA



PANAMA

JUNE 17 - 7:00 PM ET

GERMANY



CÔTE D'IVOIRE

JUNE 20 - 4:00 PM ET

PANAMA



GROATIA

JUNE 23 - 7:00 PM ET

SENEGAL



IRAQ

JUNE 26 - 3:00 PM ET

ROUND OF 32

GROUP K



GROUP L

JULY 2 - 7:00 PM ET



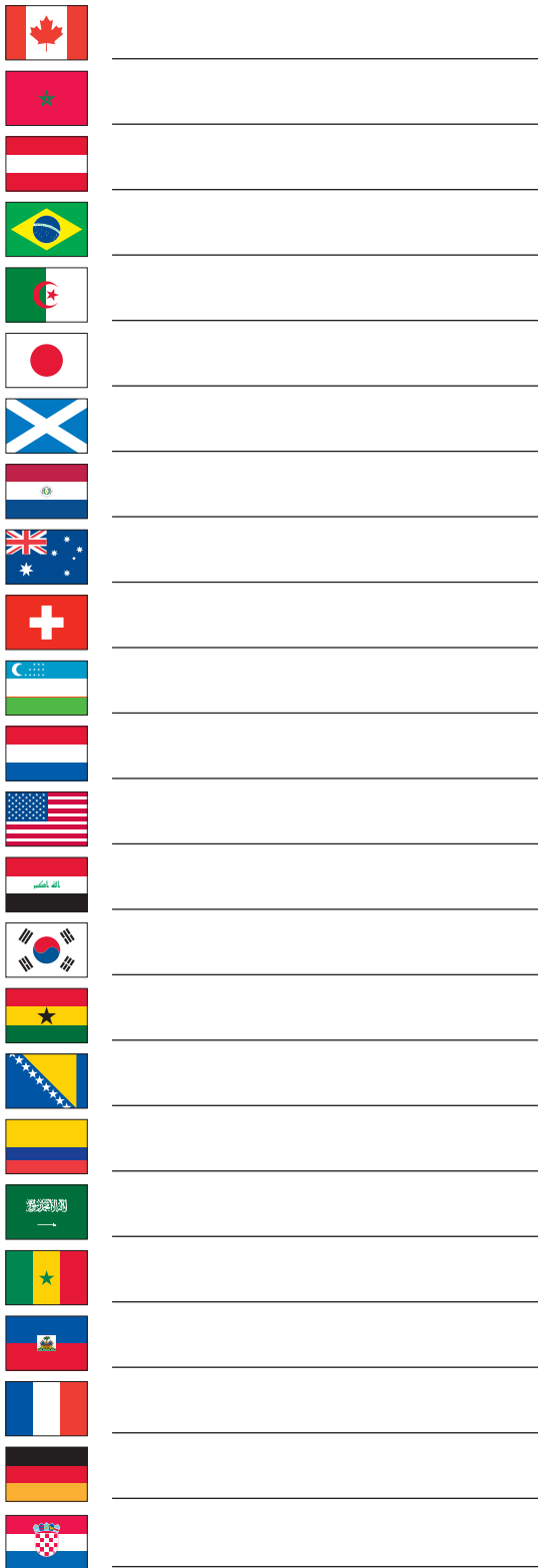


List of Competing Nations and Flags

Algeria	New Zealand
Argentina	Norway
Australia	Panama
Austria	Paraguay
Belgium	Portugal
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Qatar
Brazil	Saudi Arabia
Canada (Host)	Scotland
Cape Verde	Senegal
Colombia	South Africa
Congo DR	South Korea
Croatia	Spain
Curaçao	Sweden
Cote d'Ivoire (Ivory Coast)	Switzerland
Czech Republic	Tunisia
Ecuador	Turkey (Türkiye)
Egypt	United States (Host)
England	Uruguay
France	Uzbekistan
Germany	
Ghana	
Haiti	
Iran	
Iraq	
Japan	
Jordan	
Mexico (Host)	
Morocco	
Netherlands	

Instructions:

How many flags do you recognize? Match each flag below to the correct nation from the list shared on page 4 to test your knowledge





SECTION 1

Kindergarten to Grade 2 — Alphabet Soccer

Instructions:

Circle all the letters that spell “SOCCER”

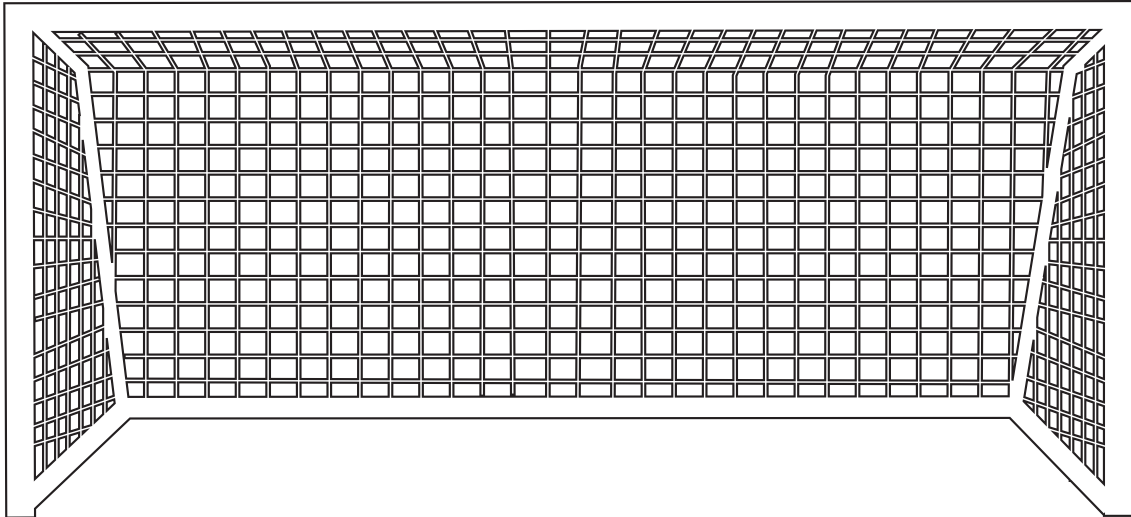
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S	H	I	J	K
N	O	Q	R	M
U	V	W	X	Z
C	S	A	C	C
U	V	X	Y	C
U	W	X	C	H

Kindergarten to Grade 2 – Trace and Colour the GOAL

Instructions:

Trace the outline of the word “GOAL” and colour the goal posts on the soccer net. Lastly, draw your own soccer ball inside the net to score a goal!

GOAL

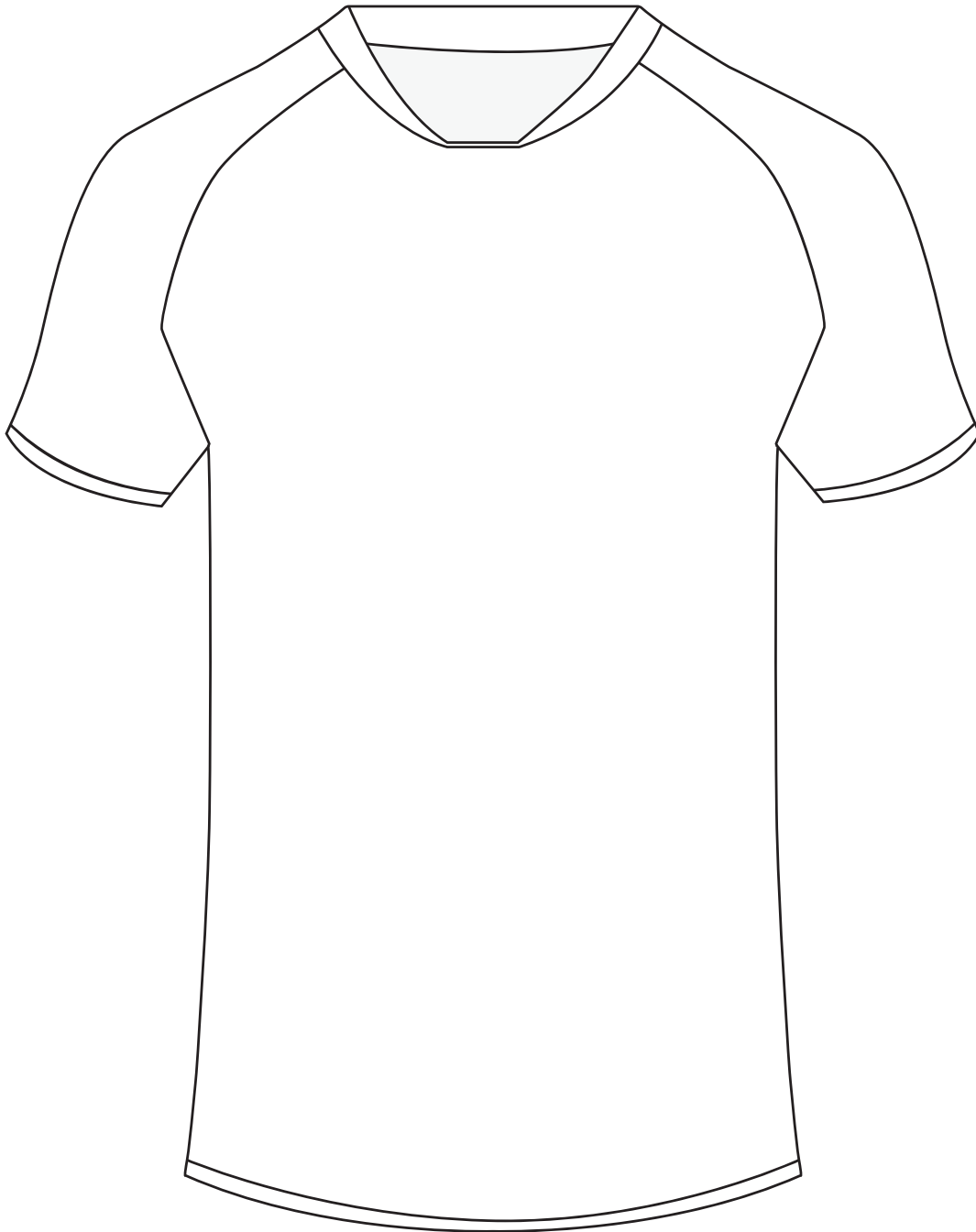


SECTION 1

Kindergarten to Grade 2 — Draw Your Team Jersey

Instructions:

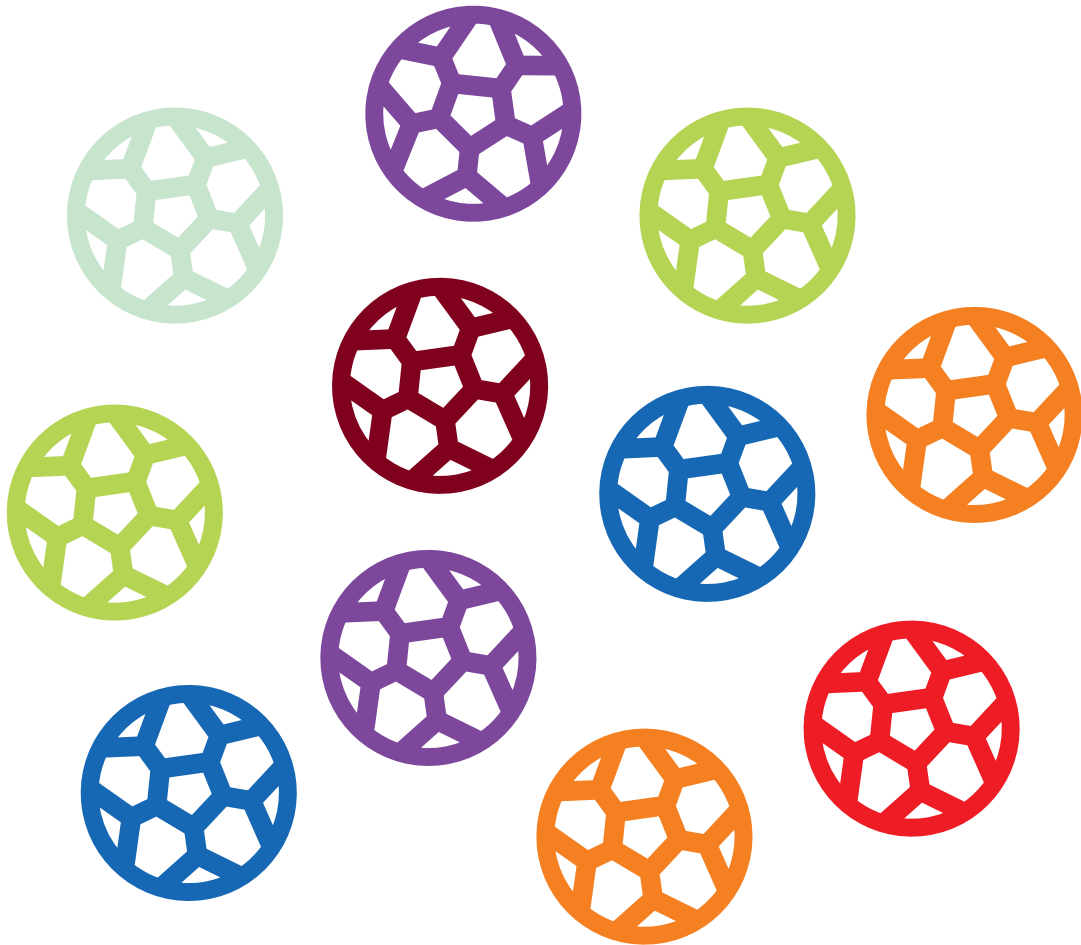
Design and colour your own soccer jersey.



Kindergarten to Grade 2 – Counting Soccer Balls

Instructions:

Create a pictograph showing the number of different colours of soccer balls on this page.





SECTION 1

Kindergarten to Grade 2 – Soccer-Math Activity

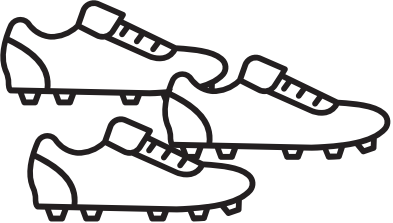
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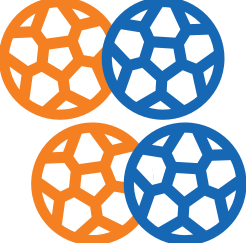

Count the number of soccer items and then find the sum.

ie.  +  = **3**

 +  =

 +  =

 +  =

 +  =

Kindergarten to Grade 2 – Colour the Mascots

Instructions:

1. Look at the FIFA World Cup 2026™ mascots on this page.
2. Use your favourite colours to make their outfits pop!
3. Don't forget to colour their arms, legs, and heads too.
4. Add fun details to their jerseys like jersey numbers, or cool jersey patterns!



SECTION 2

Grade 3 to Grade 5: Math Activity

Instructions:

Answer the math questions using the legend on the bottom. Each picture represents a different number!

$$\text{stopwatch} + \text{soccer field} - 2 =$$

$$\text{soccer goal} + 4 + \text{stadium} =$$

$$4 - \text{soccer ball} + \text{soccer field} =$$

$$\text{soccer cleat} - \text{glove} - 1 =$$

LEGEND



1



2



3



4



5



6



7

Grade 3 to Grade 5: Soccer Shopping Challenge

Instructions:

You are the coach of a team competing in the FIFA World Cup 2026™ in Toronto and have \$2500 to dress the 18 players on your team using the items and price list at the bottom of the page. Using the space below to show your work, calculate how much it would cost to dress all 18 players with jerseys, shorts, socks, shin guards, cleats, and water bottles.

CLOTHING SHOP PRICE LIST

Jersey: \$30

Shorts: \$20

Socks: \$10

Cleats: \$30

Water Bottle: \$5

Shin Guards: \$25

SECTION 2

Grade 3 to Grade 5: Soccer Word Search

Instructions:

Find the hidden words in the puzzle below.

R	K	U	K	I	C	K	R	J	R
P	T	O	N	E	T	G	C	T	R
C	I	W	D	F	L	O	O	T	P
H	Q	X	B	W	N	I	A	A	V
F	O	U	L	I	P	C	C	K	L
C	F	U	U	N	Q	A	H	J	Q
S	O	C	C	E	R	T	S	W	S
W	Q	B	A	L	L	E	N	S	N
S	U	N	G	S	Z	A	R	J	M
F	X	K	W	O	A	M	Z	N	C

WORD LIST

1. Ball
2. Goal
3. Kick
4. Pass
5. Team
6. Coach
7. Net
8. Win
9. Foul
10. Soccer

Bonus: Can you write a sentence using any three of the words?

Grade 3 to Grade 5: Create Your Own Cheer

Instructions:

Choose a country and write your own team cheer in three lines that you and your friend can chant at your country's matches.

Example:

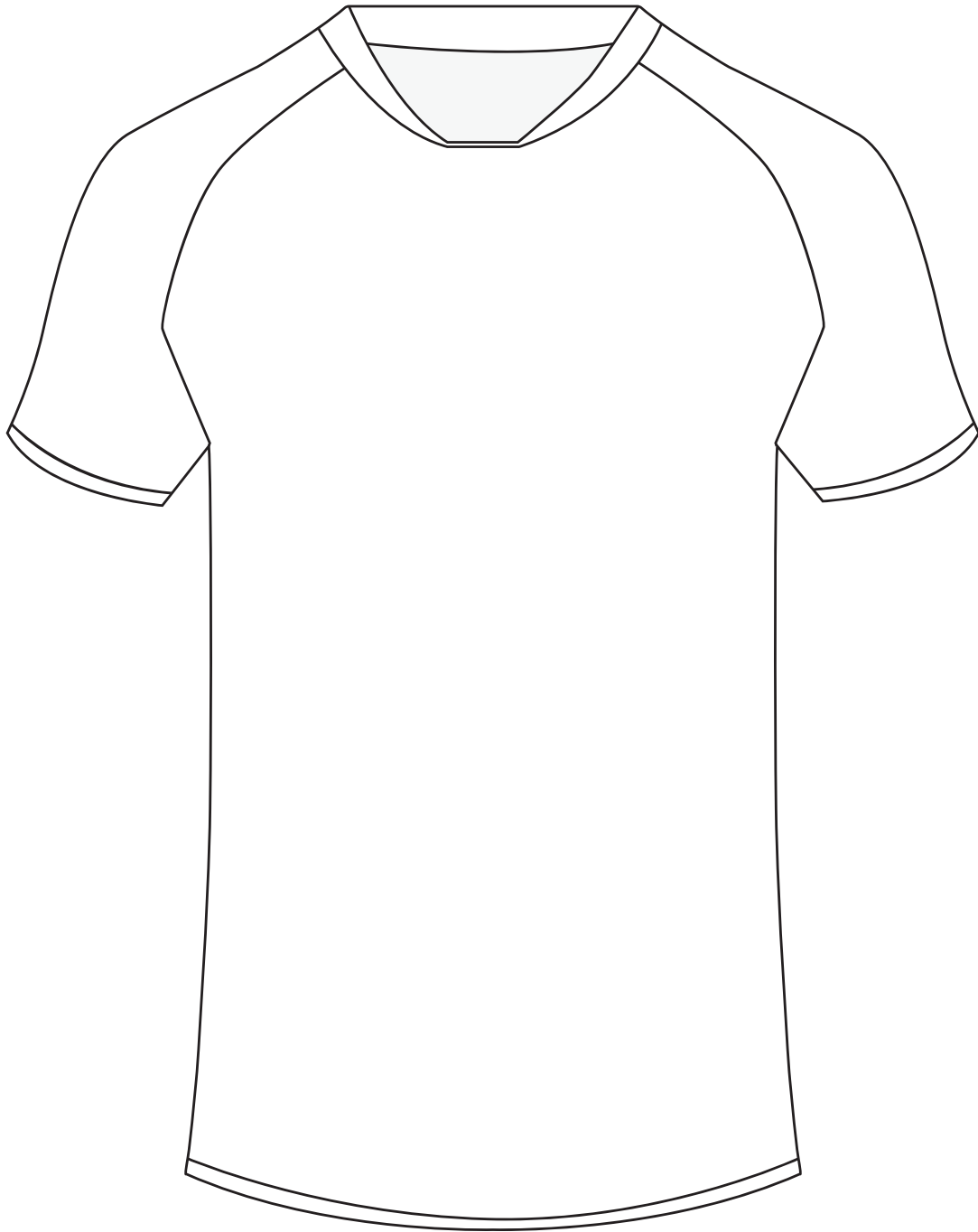
Kick it high, kick it low!
Go team go, let the spirit show!
We play with heart, let the whole world know!

SECTION 2

Grade 3 to Grade 5: Draw Your Team Jersey

Instructions:

Design and colour your own soccer jersey.



Grade 3 to Grade 5: Soccer-Themed Math Activity

Instructions: “Score That Goal!”

Solve the following math problems to help your team score goals! Each question answered correctly equals 1 goal.

1. There are 18 players on a soccer team. If 8 teams compete in a tournament, how many players are participating in total?
2. If one player scores 3 goals in 3 games, and another player scores 5 goals in 2 games, which player scored the most goals total?
3. Solve the following equation:
 $\text{⚽} \times \text{⚽} \div \text{⚽} =$
4. In a FIFA World Cup 2026™ match, each team must have 11 players on the field in their starting line-up, but there are 18 total players on the team. How many players are not included in the starting line-up?
5. In a tournament, each time a team wins a game they earn 3 points, each time they tie they earn 1 point, and each time they lose they earn 0 points. Amit’s team won 3 games, tied 2 games, and lost 1 game. How many points did Amit’s team earn during across the tournament?”
6. Tyra’s soccer team needs to place an order for new cleats for all of their players. The team has 18 players, but 3 of them are currently injured. How many soccer cleats do they need total?
7. You passed the ball to your teammate Nadia 5 times in 1 game and 6 times in 2 games. How many times did you pass Nadia the ball in total?
8. As a goalie, you saved 8 shots in one game and 15 shots in another game. Your friend who is also a goalie saved 18 shots in one game and 3 shots in another. Who saved more shots?

How many goals did you score?

Answers:

1. 144 players 2. The second player 3. 24 soccer balls 4. 7 players 5. 11 points 6. 36 cleats 7. 11 passes 8. You (by 5 saves)



SECTION 3

Grade 6 to Grade 8: Goal Setting Activity

The FIFA World Cup™ is coming to Canada in June 2026 – and so much can happen between now and then! Let's think about how you can grow as a student and as a person before the big tournament.

Instructions:

Write down two goals for school and two goals for your personal life that you want to achieve in the next year. These goals can be big or small – what matters is that they matter to you.

School Goal:

Personal Goal:

Grade 6 to Grade 8: FIFA World Cup™ Quick Kick Quiz

Instructions:

Test your soccer smarts! Read each question and write your answer in the blank. When you're done, check your answers at the bottom.

1. What is it called when a player scores three goals in one game?

2. In what designated space can a goalie use their hands?

3. What are the three host countries for the FIFA World Cup 2026™?

4. Who decides the added extra time after each half?

5. What colour card does the ref give to immediately remove a player from the game?

6. Who won the last FIFA Men's World Cup™ in 2022?

7. How many nations are playing in the FIFA World Cup 2026™ tournament?

8. What is it called when a player uses their head to touch the ball?

9. What is a goalie's main job?

10. What is the term to describe "acting respectfully without fixed rules" on and off the field?

Answers:

1 Hat trick 2 Inside the 16-yard box or inside the goalie box 3 Canada, USA, Mexico 4 Fourth official/referee 5 Red 6 Argentina 7 48 Nations 8 Header 9 Stop the opposing team from scoring 10 Fairplay

SECTION 3

Grade 6 to Grade 8: Math World Cup 2026

Instructions:

Use your math skills to help your team win the FIFA World Cup 2026™! Each right answer is worth one goal. Score as many goals as you can to secure the win!

1. A professional soccer league has 30 teams, and each team carries a full roster of 25 players. However, only 11 players from each team are on the field at once. Calculate the total number of roster players in the league and then determine what percentage of those players are currently 'starting' on the field.
2. If a stadium can hold 45,000 people and it's 75% full, how many people are at the match?
3. Your team played 5 matches and scored a total of 13 goals. Calculate the mean number of goals per match. If the team scores 4 goals in their 6th match, how will the new mean compare to the previous one? Show your work.
4. A stadium sold 10,705 tickets at \$25 each. However, the stadium must pay 15% of its total ticket revenue in staffing and security costs. Calculate the net profit from ticket sales after these expenses are deducted.
5. During a match, Player A made 40 passes with an 85% accuracy rate. Player B made 50 passes and 42 of them reached their teammates. Which player had a higher accuracy percentage? Justify your answer using calculations.
6. The stadium fan shop sold 320 hats for a total of \$6,400 and 240 scarves for a total of \$3,600. **a)** What is the unit price for one hat and one scarf? **b)** What is the ratio of the price of a hat to the price of a scarf in simplest form?
7. A soccer ball costs \$18. If your team buys 12 soccer balls and gets a 25% discount on the total, how much do they pay altogether?
8. A team travels 1,200 km, 800 km, and 1,500 km during the group stage. If their plane travels at a constant speed of 700 km/h, calculate the total travel time in hours and minutes. Round your answer to the nearest minute.

How many goals did you score?

Answers: 1. 750 total players, 44% starting 2. 33,750 people 3. Previous mean: 2.6; New mean: 2.85; The mean increased 4. \$227.48/25 5. Player A (85% > 84%) 6. a) Hat: \$20, Scarf: \$15 b) 4:3 7. \$162 8. 5 hours and 0 minutes

Grade 6 to Grade 8: Soccer Puzzle Scramble

Instructions:

Unscramble the soccer-themed words and write the correct word in the space provided.

GELOAI =

TLNYPAE =

EMATEMTA =

ORNTOOT =

IESLD CAKELT =

UNAOTTMERN =

ECSALT =

IPHTG =

RTYPHO =

Answers:

GOALIE / PENALTY / TEAMMATE / TORONTO / SLIDE TACKLE / TOURNAMENT / CLEATS / PITGH / TROPHY

SECTION 3

Grade 6 to Grade 8: Soccer Emoji Code

Instructions:

Can you crack the soccer emoji code? Each sentence below is written in emojis. Try to figure out what it says — then create your own message using emojis!



Now you try! Write your own emoji soccer sentence here:

Answers:

1 Soccer kick 2 Canada loves soccer 3 Goalie save 4 World Cup Trophy

Grade 6 to Grade 8: Design Your Mascot

Instructions:

The FIFA World Cup 2026™ needs a new mascot – and you're the designer! Create a fun, friendly character that will cheer on fans around the world. Then answer the questions below.

Draw Your Mascot Here:

Q & A

1. Name:

Example: Soccy the Beaver

2. Country it represents:

Example: Canada

3. What does your mascot love most about soccer?

Example: Cheering for the fans and doing backflips after goals!

4. 3 Fun Facts:

Example: 1) Has a lucky whistle 2) Never misses a match
3) Loves maple syrup after the game



SECTION 4

Hey Teachers! Challenge Your Students to Design A FIFA World Cup 2026™ Poster!

Overview:

Encourage creativity by designing a FIFA World Cup 2026™ poster! The theme is “The World in a City.”

Steps to Facilitate:

1. Announce the poster challenge and display examples (real or digital).
2. Set a submission deadline (suggest 2-3 weeks).
3. Encourage use of cultural themes, flags, or soccer symbols.
4. Select judges (staff or peer voting).
5. Display posters in hallways or create a gallery walk.
6. Celebrate winners with certificates, prizes, or announcements!

Optional: Submit top posters to a central email/display for school district recognition.

SECTION 5

Soccer Tournament / Obstacle Course Guide

Equipment Required:

- Cones or chalk
- Soccer balls
- Floor ladder (optional)

Option A: Mini Soccer Tournament

Activity Details:

1. Divide class into small teams (5-7 players per team)
2. Either outdoors or in a gymnasium, use cones or chalk to make nets
3. Play short 5-10-minute games
4. Keep score and progress to semi-finals/finals

Optional: Use country names for each team to tie in FIFA World Cup™ theme.

Option B: Obstacle Course: “Train Like a Pro!”

Activity Details:

1. Dribble Zone: Weave through cones with a ball.
2. Shooting Station: Kick a ball into a net or at a target.
3. Agility Ladder: Quick feet through drawn boxes or real ladder.
4. Goalie Jump: Jump side to side like a goalie!
5. Team Relay: Pass the ball using feet only down a line.

Wrap-Up:

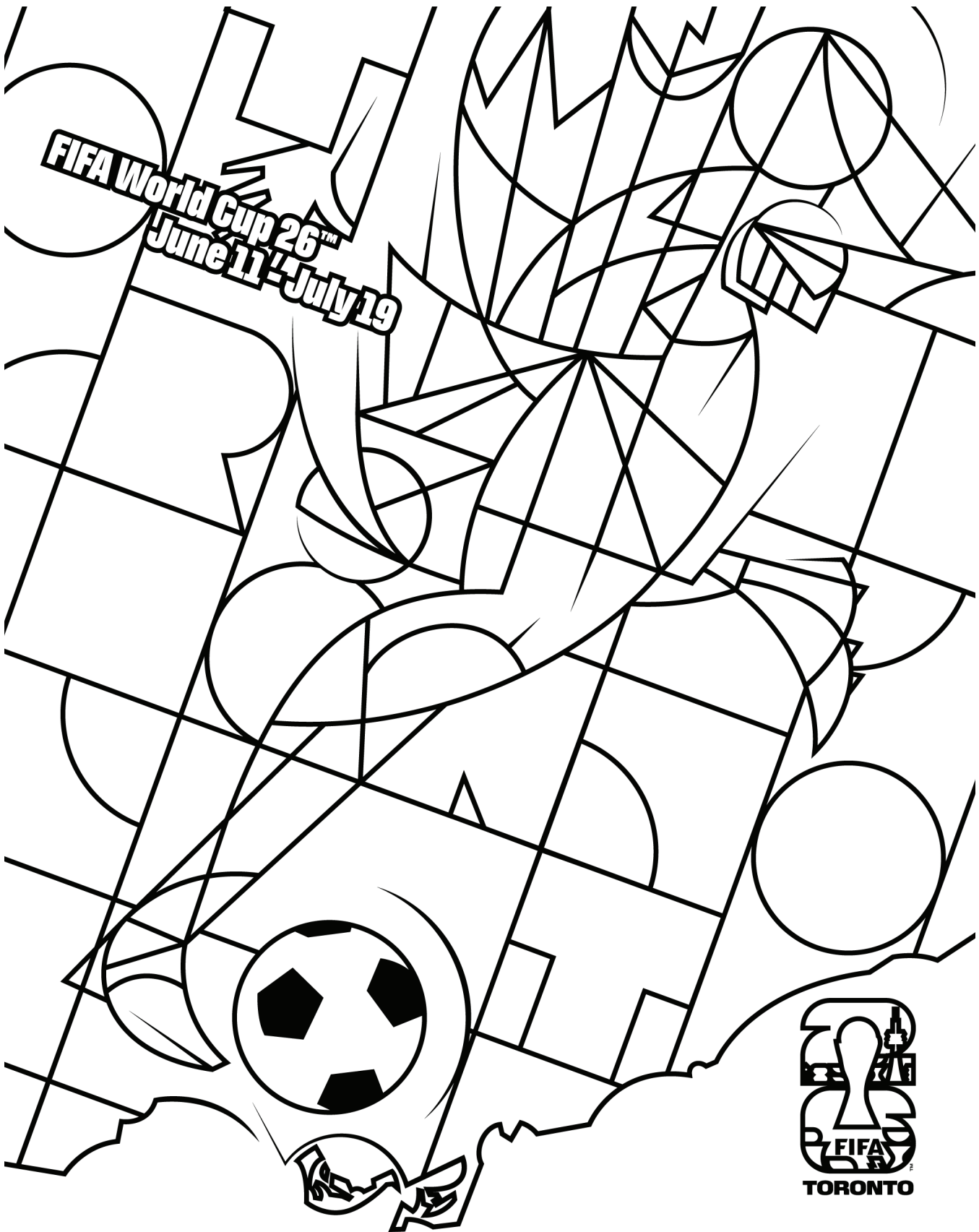
- End with a cool-down stretch.
- Give each student a “Future Soccer Star” certificate.



SECTION 6

Colouring Sheet:

FIFA World Cup 26™ Toronto Host City Poster



FIFA World Cup 26™
June 11 - July 19



