

Target Audience

- Casual football fans that enjoy the game...but don't know the details. Can tell you how teams score, but may be clueless when they hear things like intentional grounding, pass interference, nickel defense, holding. Assumptions we're making about the audience and what they already know:
 - > What a touchdown and a field goal are and how much they are worth point-wise.
 - > A team includes an offense and a defense.
 - > A referee watches the game and determines if rules are being followed.

Game Topics

1. Rules
2. Offense
3. Defense
4. Armchair Quarterback

Topic 1: Rules

Total questions: 18 (6 question sets)

Objectives	Question Content
Identify the number of timeouts a team is allowed in a half.	Timeouts allowed – 1 question set
Explain what a safety is and the most common way it is scored.	Description of a safety – 1 question set
Identify actions a coach can take to stop the game clock.	Timeouts, use of challenge flag – 1 question set
Describe situations in which a referee will call intentional grounding.	Definition of intentional grounding; common situations where it's called – 1 question set
Identify situations in which a coach can challenge a call by a referee.	Description of situations where referee calls can be challenged – 1 question sets
Distinguish between an incomplete pass and a fumble.	Comparison of incomplete pass and fumble – 1 question set

Topic 2: Offense

Total questions: 21 (7 question sets)

Objectives	Question Content
Distinguish between skill players (slot receiver, tight end, fullback, quarterback, running back, wide receiver) and offensive linemen	Skill player roles (slot receiver, tight end, fullback, quarterback, running back) vs. nonskill players (center, guards, tackles) -1 question set Role of tight ends – 1 question set Role of slot receivers – 1 question set
Recognize shotgun and wildcat formations.	Description of Shotgun formations – 1 question set Description of Wildcat formulations – 1 question set
Recognize a play action pass.	Description of play action pass – 1 question set
Describe a “checkdown” pass.	Description of checkdown pass – 1 question set

Topic 3: Defense

Total questions: 24 (8 question sets)

Objectives	Question Content
Identify the roles of basic defensive positions: tackles, linebackers, ends, cornerbacks, and safeties.	Description of Defensive linemen vs defensive backs – 1 question set Description of Linebackers – 1 question set
Distinguish between a zone defense and a man-to-man defense.	Compare Zone defense vs man to man defense – 1 question set
Describe characteristics of five common defensive formations: "8 in a box," 4-3, Cover 2, nickel, and dime.	Description of 8 men in the box defense – 1 question set Description of 4-3 defense – 1 question set Description of Nickel defense – 1 question set Description of Dime defense – 1 question set Description of Cover 2 defense – 1 question set
Explain what a sack is.	Basics of a sack – 1 question set

Topic 4: Armchair Quarterback

Total questions: 18 (6 question sets)

Objectives	Question Content
Given specific game situations, recognize whether your opponent is using a man-to-man defense or a zone defense.	Man to man vs zone game scenarios – 1 question set
Given specific game situations, decide when to go for first down and when to kick a field goal when it's fourth down.	Fourth down decisionmaking scenarios – 1 question set

Given specific game situations, decide when to kick an extra point or try for a two-point conversion.	Extra point vs two point conversion scenarios – 1 question set
Given specific game situations, evaluate when to try an onside kick.	Onside kick scenarios – 1 question set
Given specific game situations, recognize when it is wise to throw the challenge flag and when it's not.	Scenarios for challenging a play – 1 question sets
Given specific game situations, choose the right clock management strategy.	Clock management scenarios – 1 question set