

Friday – Reading Comprehension

The UEFA Champions League

Read the information on the next page and answer the questions.

1. Who organises the Champions League?

2. When was the Champions League formed?

3. Why do you think the logo is called the starball?

4. Why do you think the games are held in the biggest stadiums?

5. What is another word for competition?

6. Why do some people watch the match on their television?

7. Have you ever seen a football game on television or at a stadium? Did you enjoy it?

8. Who won the European Cup last year?

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The Champions League is a football competition that takes place every year. It is organised by UEFA (you-ay-fuh). UEFA represent all the national football associations of Europe.



The Champions League was formed in 1955. Its logo is called the 'starball'.

Champions League games are usually held in the biggest stadiums in Europe. Many people go to cheer on their favourite teams. Fans chant for their teams and wave their scarves to show support.



Lots of people enjoy watching Champions League games on television, too. Some people even have parties. Millions of people watch the tournament every year.

The team that wins the league gets a special trophy called The European Cup. The 2018 – 2019 champions were Liverpool. They have won the competition 6 times!

