

FIFA Club World Cup



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### Introduce the Article and Key Vocabulary

Talk with students about what they will learn from the article. Introduce vocabulary to them using the descriptive teaching method.

**Example:** We will be talking about the soccer and the upcoming FIFA Club World Cup. FIFA is a world soccer group and it includes more than 200 countries. The 2025 FIFA Club World Cup will be held at 12 different stadiums across the United States. Starting in 2025, the Club World Cup will be different and only be held every 4 years. Thirty-two (32) teams will compete this year for the World Cup trophy. Some team names are Al Ahly, Al Hilal, Auckland City, Real Madrid, River Plate, and Seattle Sounders. Two teams play during a soccer game and each team has 11 players on the field. Each team tries to get the ball into the opponents goal. Whichever team has the most goals at the end of the game wins. Only one team will win the final and get the trophy.

### Read the Article While you TAAP

As you read the article with students, remember to TAAP: **T**alk about it, **A**sk a question, **A**cknowledge via response, and **P**ropel the conversation or Predict! (View the TAAP resource on the AAC Language Lab to learn more about the TAAP strategy!)

#### Sample TAAP words/phrases:

Talk About It	Ask Questions	Acknowledge via Response	Propel the Conversation or Predict
soccer play world trophy win	What will you see at the FIFA Club World Cup? What teams are going to be playing? How is soccer played? Do you have a favorite team?	Got it Sounds good Score or Goal! Nice work Great job!	I think I wonder Tell me more What else? Let's see what happens

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## Talk About What you Learned

Summarize the article with students and talk about what they learned. Ask open-ended questions to discuss what everyone thought, and to get them thinking about and reflecting about what they read.

#### Sample questions for discussion:

What did you learn about the FIFA Club World Cup? Where is it being held? Do you know any of these places? Which countries are the teams from? How many teams compete during the FIFA Club World Cup? What did you learn about soccer? How many team players can be on the field playing at one time? How do you know which team wins? Do you like to play or watch soccer?

# **Discussion for Comprehension**

After reading and summarizing the article with students, use descriptive testing to further discuss the students' understanding of the article. Pose questions in a way that allows the student to answer the question using any word on their device.



Tell me about the FIFA Club World Cup.	Tell me about FIFA.	Tell me about soccer.
<ul> <li>many teams from different countries</li> <li>they play against each other</li> <li>from around the world</li> <li>it will be in US this year</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>sports organization</li> <li>it has many countries</li> <li>make rules for soccer</li> <li>It is in Europe/ Switzerland</li> <li>started a long time ago</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>two teams on a field</li> <li>kick a ball into a goal</li> <li>1 point for each goal</li> <li>eleven people on one team</li> <li>two goals on each end of the field</li> </ul>

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