

1. Key Words

1	Sport	This is an athletic activity, hobby or pastime
2	Spectator	A person who watches sport
3	Participant	A person who takes part in sport
4	Olympics	A set of international sport competitions that happens once every 4 years
5	Globalisation	the process of the world becoming increasingly interconnected
6	Location	A particular place or position
7	Distribution	The way something is spread over an area

The Premier League

The Premier League is the top level of the English football league system and contains 20 teams from around the country. It is the richest and most watched football league in the world.

How do teams make money?

Teams make money through ticket sales, sponsorship, merchandise and media coverage. The majority of revenue for football clubs is generated by those who watch matches live on television in different parts of the world.

Where are teams located?

The bigger towns & cities have more people who will pay to see their team. This income provides important funds to spend on players and should mean that the bigger towns have both teams higher in the leagues and more teams in the higher divisions.



Locating a stadium

Problems with old stadiums

Often in old inner city areas with narrow roads so difficult to get to.
 Low capacity & surrounded by houses so no room to expand.
 Old and poorly maintained.
 Unsafe as mostly standing.
 Poor facilities e.g. no disabled access.
 Lack of parking.
BUT: near local fan base and people can walk to stadium

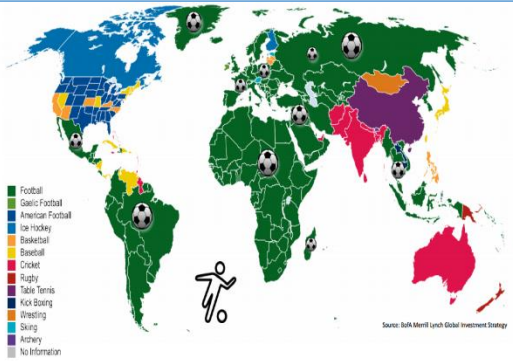
Advantages of new stadiums

Often in suburbs/out of town near motorways so easier to get to.
 Larger capacity with room to expand so more fans can see games.
 New and well maintained.
 All seater stadiums and ample parking.
 Multi purpose with range of facilities and disabled access.
BUT: very expensive leading to increased prices and far from local fans



The geography of sport

Sport is played and watched around the world by millions of people. Different sports originated from and are played in certain countries. The most popular sport in each country is shown on the map.



The Olympic Games

The modern Olympics started in Athens, Greece in 1896 and are held every 4 years. Countries bid to host the Olympics and are typically located in HIC. Hosting the Olympics brings benefits such as prestige, increased tourism and improved facilities but are also very expensive and don't benefit the local people.



1. Command Words

1	Define	State or describe exactly the nature, scope, or meaning of something / establish the character of something; mark out the boundary or limits of something
2	Summarise	Give a brief statement of the main points of something.
3	Suggest	Used with another command word, e.g. Suggest an explanation. Suggest tells you that you need to apply your knowledge to a new situation, and in this case to give a possible explanation
4	Which	Asking for information specifying one or more people or things from a definite set.
5	Why	Giving a reason or explanation to support the answer of the question.
6	Evaluate	Look at the information in the question and bring it together to make a decision and come to a conclusion with evidence from the question. You may be asked to give a personal response.