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# 2010 FIFA World Cup

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# **England 0 Algeria 0**

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# THE ARTICLE

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The England fans booed their team off the pitch in Cape Town after a wholly unimpressive display against Algeria. The 0-0 draw means England must win their final game against Slovenia to go through to the knockout round. Fans say this was the worst England performance for many years. The English newspapers called it torture. Algerian fans were more upbeat. Their team played well and always looked the likelier to score. The Algerians looked more comfortable in possession. None of the England stars played well. Striker Wayne Rooney struggled to get the ball and rarely did anything with it. Frank Lampard's first-half attempt at goal was England's only real effort to score but that was easily caught by the goalkeeper.

#### LISTENING GAP FILL

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## **CORRECT THE SPELLING**

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#### UNJUMBLE THE WORDS

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## **STUDENT WORLD CUP SURVEY**

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Write five GOOD questions about the World Cup in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper.

When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1	STUDENT 2	STUDENT 3
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

#### WORLD CUP DISCUSSION

**STUDENT A's QUESTIONS** (Do not show these to student B)

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#### WORLD CUP DISCUSSION

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**STUDENT B's QUESTIONS** (Do not show these to student A)

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## WRITING

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Write about this game for 10 minutes. Correct your partner's paper.

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#### HOMEWORK

**1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION:** Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.

**2. MY REPORT:** Write a newspaper report about yesterday's games. Read your report to your partner(s) in your next lesson.

**3. WATCH TODAY'S GAMES IN ENGLISH:** Write down all the new words you hear below. Bring them to class tomorrow to share with your classmates.

