

Be the Referee

Time: 25 minutes

You need

- ☐ A simple game such as a ball toss
- ☐ Paper and pencil
- ☐ Friends or family

Steps

- 1** Choose a simple game with 4 or 5 clear rules and write the rules down.
- 2** Be the referee for a 5-minute round. Watch carefully and call fouls fairly.
- 3** Ask the players afterwards: was any call unclear?
- 4** Improve the rules.

Before you start: what do I think will happen?

My observations

Table 1. Referee notes

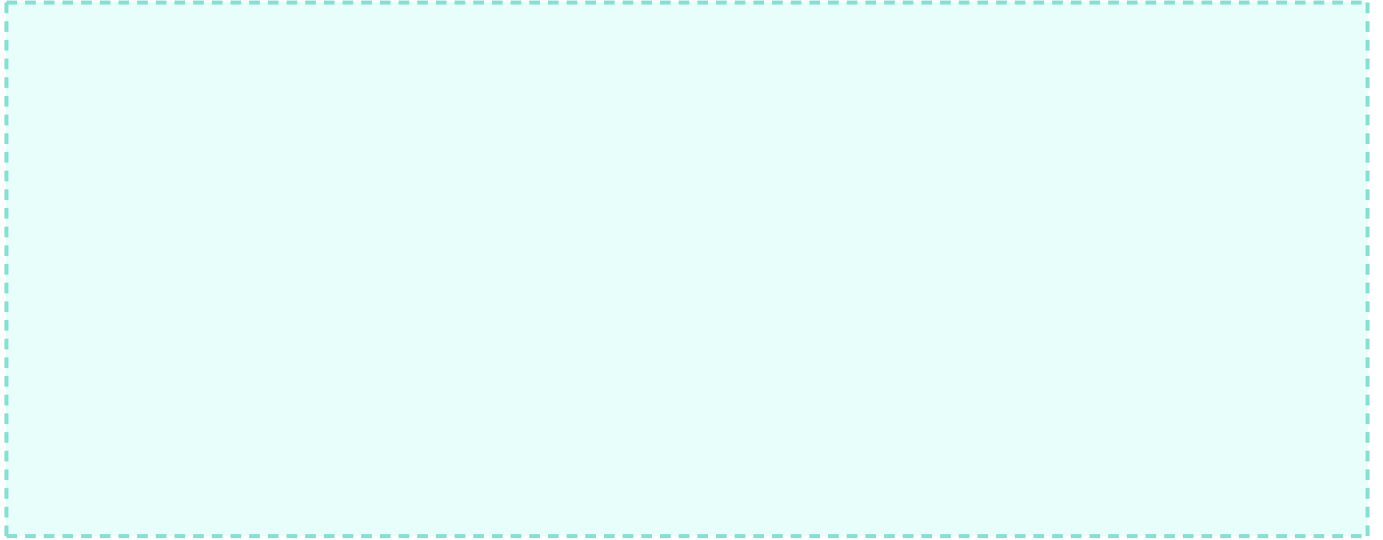
Round	Rule I checked	Foul called? (Yes / No)	Was it fair? (Yes / No)	What the players said
Round 1				
Round 2				
Round 3				
Round 4				
Round 5				

Think about it

What made some decisions hard?

How can a referee stay fair?

Draw or stick your work here



Name: _____ Date: _____

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