

# Kid Scoop

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## Bowl Games

At this time of year, newspapers and TV trumpet the excitement of college football teams competing in bowl games!

In 1923, when the Tournament of Roses annual football game in Pasadena, Calif. moved into a new, bowl-shaped stadium, the game

became known as the Rose Bowl. The term "bowl" has been used to describe championship games ever since.

**Back to Back to Back ...**  
One team earned a spot to play in 35 bowl games in 35 years, the longest consecutive bowl game record. Fill in the missing vowels to reveal this team's name.

N \_ BR \_ SK \_  
C \_ RNH \_ SK \_ RS



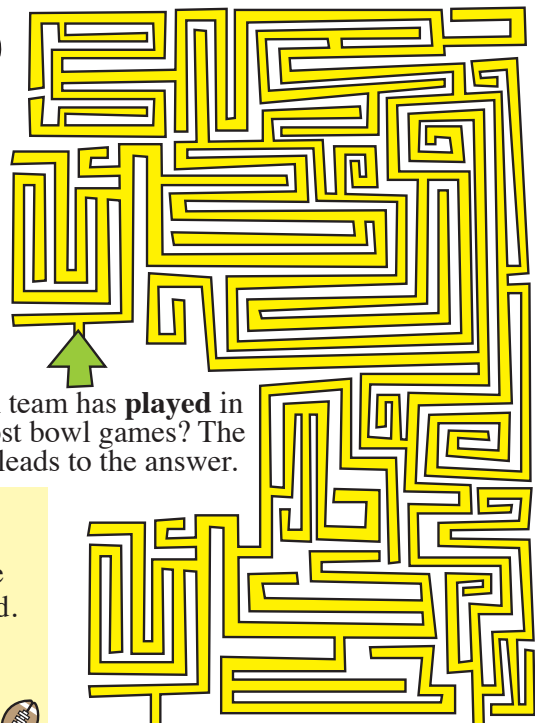
How many footballs can you find on this page?

### Go Team

College football fans are known for their intense team loyalty. How many differences can you find?

**Most Wins** Which college team has won the most Rose Bowl games? Cross out the word FOOTBALL each time it appears below. The remaining letters reveal the answer.

FOOTBALLUFOOTBALLNIFOOTBALLVEFOOTBALL  
FOOTBALLRSIFOOTBALLTYOFOOTBALLFFOOTBALL  
SOUFOOTBALLTFOOTBALLHFOOTBALLERFOOTBALL  
NFOOTBALLCALFOOTBALLIFFOOTBALLOFOOTBALL  
RFOOTBALLNIFOOTBALLA



Which team has played in the most bowl games? The maze leads to the answer.

**Map It!** Today, more than 30 college bowl games are played across the United States in December and January. Below are just some of them. Draw a line from each of the bowl games listed below to the state in which that game is played.

**Famous Idaho Potato Bowl** Boise, ID

**Quick Lane Bowl** Detroit, MI

**Pinstripe Bowl** Bronx, NY

**Military Bowl** Annapolis, MD

**Music City Bowl** Nashville, TN

**Peach Bowl** Atlanta, GA

**Rose Bowl** Pasadena, CA

**Fiesta Bowl** Glendale, AZ

**Cotton Bowl** Arlington, TX

**Sugar Bowl** New Orleans, LA

**TaxSlayer Gator Bowl** Jacksonville, FL

Standards Links: Geography: Use map skills to find the location of places.

Notre Dame Fighting Irish  
Alabama Crimson Tide

### Football Finder

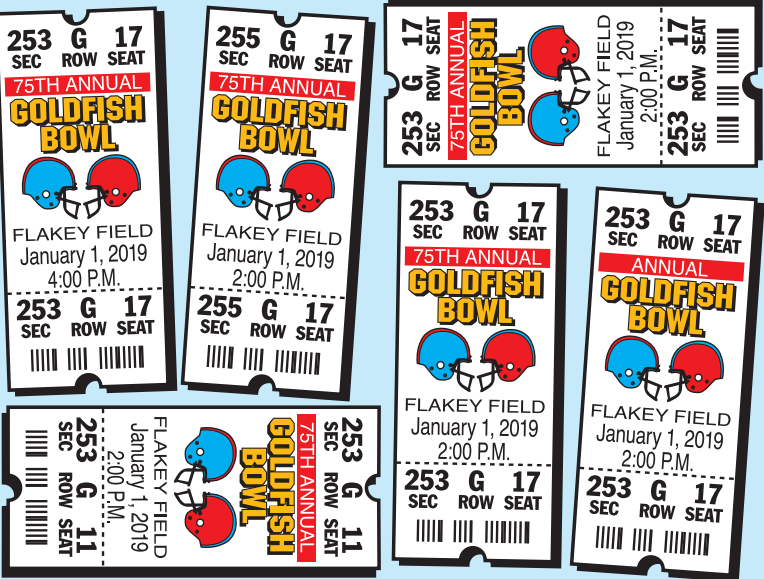
Look through the newspaper to find these football-related words:

- DEFENSE
- GAME
- HELMET
- PENALTY
- GOAL
- FIELD
- WIN
- STADIUM

Standards Links: Spelling: Spell grade-level appropriate words correctly.

### Kid Scoop Puzzler

Find the two identical tickets.

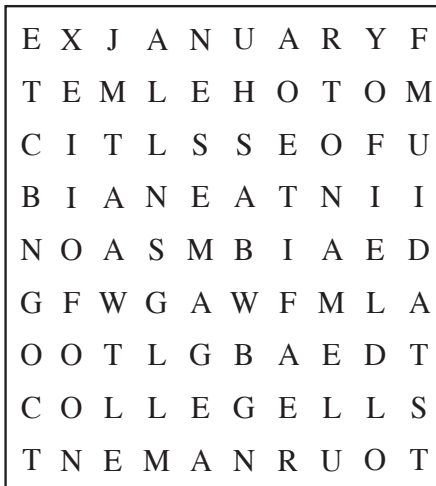


Standards Links: Investigation: Find similarities and differences in common objects.

### Double Double Word Search

TOURNAMENT  
FOOTBALL  
COLLEGE  
JANUARY  
STADIUM  
HELMET  
GAMES  
ROSES  
FIELD  
BOWL  
FANS  
TEAM  
GOAL  
NAME  
WIN

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?



Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

### FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

#### Teamwork in the News

A successful football team works together to achieve victory. Find a news story about people who disagree about something. List ways they could work together to reach a solution.

Standards Links: Behavioral Studies: Understand that different groups have different ways of meeting similar wants and needs.



**Why did the quarterback throw a slice of pie across the dining room?**

ANSWER: He decided to pass on dessert.

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