



# LESSON PLAN

## GAME ON: LEAGUE COMPARISONS

**Series:** Pro Sports Leagues

### Objective

To help students answer simple questions after reading a book about a pro sports league, and to compare that league to another.

### Supplies

- Two or more books in the Pro Sports Leagues series
- Comparing Leagues worksheet (attached)
- Pencils

### Before the Activity

Print a copy of the Comparing Leagues worksheet for each student.

### Activity

Each book in the Pro Sports Leagues series covers a different professional sport. Have each student choose a book from the series. Pass out the Comparing Leagues worksheets. Students should read the book and write answers to Part I of the worksheet.

Next, have students find partners who read a different book in the Pro Sports Leagues series. Partners should take turns reading their responses to each other. As they listen to their partners, students should fill out Part II of the worksheet.

Finally, partners should work together to answer the questions on Part III of the worksheet.

### Evaluation

Collect each student's worksheet at the end of class. Give each student up to 12 points:

- 5 points for completing Part I
- 5 points for completing Part II
- 2 points for completing Part III

# COMPARING LEAGUES

## Part I

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your League: \_\_\_\_\_

1. In what year did the league form?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. What are two well-known teams who play in this league?

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Who were two famous players in early league history?

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Who were two famous players from recent history?

\_\_\_\_\_

5. How many teams are in this league?

\_\_\_\_\_

## Part II

Partner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Partner's League: \_\_\_\_\_

1. In what year did the league form?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. What are two well-known teams who play in this league?

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Who were two famous players in early league history?

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Who were two famous players from recent history?

\_\_\_\_\_

5. How many teams are in this league?

\_\_\_\_\_

## Part III

1. Which league is older?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Which league includes more teams?

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