

TIMING AND OVERTIME QUIZ

1. True or False. Following a down in which an inadvertent whistle was blown the game clock starts on the referee's ready.
2. The visiting team calls a timeout and the head coach goes to the referee to complain the offense cannot hear their signals because the home team's band is playing too loud when his team is on offense. Is there anything the referee can do and is it a charged time out?
3. Can a substitute come in off the bench and call a timeout? Can a team call timeout before they make a decision on a penalty?
4. Team A scores near the end of the game and are losing 21-20. They line up for an extra point, when the kicker calls timeout. After the timeout, they ask to move the ball to the left hash because they are now going to try for 2. The request came a) before the ready or b) after the ready for play whistle has been blown. Do you move the ball?
5. In overtime, do you need the chains?
6. True or False. In overtime, if the defense secures possession of the ball, you should blow the play dead.
7. Team A lines up for a field goal in overtime on a third down. The kick is blocked and a) it goes out of bounds behind the scrimmage line b) A2 picks it up behind the line and is tackled there c) A2 picks it up behind the line and runs for an apparent TD d) B2 picks it up behind the line and runs for an apparent TD. What do you have in each case?
8. Tie game in regulation and both teams are out of timeouts. Team A's coach complains loudly to the referee and is hit with an unsportsmanlike foul. The coach wants his one timeout in OT to talk to his captain about the coin toss. Is this granted? Where will the ball be placed after the penalty if A takes the ball? If B takes the ball?
9. How many coin tosses do you have in OT?