



VOCABULARY

FICHA 25: Football clichés IV

✓ Circle the correct definition for the following expressions:

- **To run riot**

- a. Situation in which a team scores a goal when they do not probably deserve it
- b. Situation in which a goalkeeper makes a very quick and acrobatic stop of a shot
- c. **Situation in which a team completely dominates another one and scores lots of goals**

- **To hold the ball up**

- a. To keep the ball
- b. **To keep the ball until your team has time to come forwards in support**
- c. To keep the ball until your team fails badly at something and, therefore, loses possession of the ball

✓ Circle the correct translation for the following words

Perder la posesión del balón bajo poca o nula presión	Salvar un partido ganando o evitando la derrota de forma sorprendente e inesperada	Cambiar el trascurso del partido
a. To give the ball away without difficulty	a. To pull out of the bag	a. To hold the game by the stuff of the neck
b. To give the ball away cheaply	b. To pull off the bag	b. To take the match by the neck
c. To give the ball off effortless	c. To pull out unexpectedly	c. To take the game by the scruff of the neck

Atacar al equipo contrario de forma rápida tras haber defendido mucho tiempo	Derrotar fácilmente a un equipo	Acción que ocurre lejos de la posición donde se encuentra el balón
a. To hit on the counter	a. To beat a team	a. Far from the ball incident
b. To hit on the break	b. To thump a team	b. Out off the ball incident
c. A and B are correct.	c. To gain easily	c. Off the ball incident