

Rugby Sevens scenarios – What would you do?

Choose one of the Rugby Sevens scenarios below and read what is happening. Use the boxes at the bottom of the page to write what a good sport and bad sport would do in the situation and what would happen as a result. Share your ideas with a partner and decide what you would do in the situation!

Scenario 1: Maxine doesn't score!

There is 30 seconds left in the game. Your team needs to score a try to win otherwise there is no chance you will win. Your friend Maxine has a chance to score a try by sprinting 50 metres down the sideline and scoring in the corner. Maxine looks like scoring then slows down as she tires. The opposition gets closer and closer to Maxine and finally forces her over the sideline. Your team loses the game.



Scenario 2: Stop for the injury!

You are involved in a tackle near the opposition's try line and see an opportunity to grab the ball to stop the opposition from making a match-winning try. As you pull the ball up you notice the opposition's winger rolling around the ground screaming out in pain clutching their knee. No one else is helping them. You stop moving to pick up the ball and go to their aid. The opposition's scrum-half picks up the ball, scores a try and wins the match.

Scenario 3: A questionable try!

You are playing a fun game of rugby union with some friends when some kids from a nearby street ask if you want to play a match. You and your friends happily invite them to play with you. A short time into the game your opposition scores a try that you think shouldn't count. The opposition insists that it should.



Scenario 4: Time for the reserve to play!

Your team has made it to the final and there are two minutes left of the match. You have been playing all of the match so far but realise there is still a reserve on the bench who hasn't played yet. Your coach signals to you to come off the field and indicates that the reserve will go on the field in your place to play the rest of the match.

Scenario 5: Referee blows their whistle!

The match is close and your team can see a win in sight. The referee suddenly blows their whistle and says that one of your players is off side. You look around and can't see anyone from your team who is off side. Your team can't believe it. The ball is given to the opposition and seconds later the opposition scores a try and wins.



<p>What would a good sport do?</p>	<p>What would happen as a result?</p>
<p>What would a bad sport do?</p>	<p>What would happen as a result?</p>

My decision would be to: _____