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## Match Venues – Week 1

Date	Match	Venue
11 June	South Africa v Mexico	Soccer City, Johannesburg
	Uruguay v France	Capetown
12 June	South Korea v Greece	Port Elizabeth
	Argentina v Nigeria	Ellis Park, Johannesburg
	England v USA	Rustenburg
13 June	Algeria v Slovenia	Polokwane
	Serbia v Ghana	Pretoria
	Germany v Australia	Durban
14 June	Holland v Denmark	Soccer City, Johannesburg
	Japan v Cameroon	Bloemfontein
	Italy v Paraguay	Capetown
15 June	New Zealand v Slovakia	Rustenburg
	Ivory Coast v Portugal	Port Elizabeth
	Brazil v North Korea	Ellis Park, Johannesburg
16 June	South Africa v Uruguay	Pretoria
	Honduras v Chile	Nelspruit
	Spain v Switzerland	Durban
17 June	France v Mexico	Polokwane
	Argentina v South Korea	Soccer City, Johannesburg
	Greece v Nigeria	Bloemfontein



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Use the table on page 1 to answer these questions.

1. How many different venues are on the list?
2. Who will Serbia play on June 13<sup>th</sup>?
3. Where will England play on June 12<sup>th</sup>?
4. Which matches will take place in Port Elizabeth?
5. Where is the Soccer City Stadium?
6. Which match is at Bloemfontein on 14<sup>th</sup> June?
7. When does Spain play Switzerland in Durban?
8. List all the matches that will be played in Johannesburg.
9. Uruguay v France takes place at.....
10. On 12<sup>th</sup> June England play .....
11. Germany play Austria on .....
12. On 14<sup>th</sup> June Italy play ..... in Capetown.





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## Wayne Rooney reading task



### Wayne Rooney

Wayne Mark Rooney was born on 24<sup>th</sup> October 1985 in Croxteth, Liverpool. This 24 year old striker is expected to play a huge part in England's progress in the World Cup in South Africa.

He began his playing career at Everton, transferring to Manchester United in 2004 for £25.6 million.

Since joining Manchester United he has won the Premier League three times, the 2007 – 2008 UEFA Champions League and two League Cups. He has been awarded the PFA Players' Player of the Year and the FWA Footballer of the year in 2009 – 2010.

Rooney became the youngest player to play for England when he earned his first cap in a friendly against Australia on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2003, aged seventeen. He also became the youngest player to score an England goal.

Wayne Rooney is married to Coleen who he met when they were both in their final year at secondary school. Their wedding took place on 12<sup>th</sup> June 2008 in Italy. Their son, Kai Wayne, was born on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2009.

Adapted from [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wayne\\_Rooney](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wayne_Rooney)

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What is Wayne's full name?

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Where was he born?

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What is his date of birth?

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Which club does he play for?

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Where did he begin his playing career?

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How much was his transfer fee?

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When did he win his first England cap?

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Who did he play against when he got his first cap?

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When did he marry Coleen?

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Where did they get married?

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Write down Wayne and Coleen's son's name.

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