**SOCCER STUDY GUIDE**

The goalie is the only player on the field who can touch the ball with his/her hands without a penalty being called.

Shoes designed specifically for soccer are called cleats.

A penalty kick is a free kick that is awarded after a penalty.

For a throw-in to be correct, two hands must be on the ball and it has to be thrown over the head.

The defensive team is the team preventing the other team from scoring.

When the ball is kicked out of bounds by the offense, the defense is awarded a corner kick or a throw-in.

Soccer is the most popular sport in the world and is also called football.

The offensive team is the team with the ball and trying to score.

When the ball crosses the goal line a point awarded for a goal.

Whenever the ball is kicked out of bounds on the sides, the opposite team gets the ball and it’s a throw-in.

A penalty kick is awarded to the offensive team when a defensive player touches the ball with his/her hands while inside the penalty box area.

The four main positions in soccer are the forward, midfield, defender, goalie.