

Complete the statements by writing the correct number in the box.

1. The Sooners have played in the Orange Bowl this many times.  **1980**
2. Between 1970 and 1979, the Sooners won this many games, with a win ratio of 88 percent.  **1966**
3. The all-time record for touchdowns in a Sooners career is held by DeMarco Murray, who had a total of this many touchdowns between 2007 and 2010.  **716**
4. In this year, Oklahoma added their distinctive OU logo to players' helmets.  **19**
5. Barry Switzer saw this many of his players named All-Americans.  **103**
6. The Sooner Schooner has been the official mascot of the University of Oklahoma since this year.  **65**
7. The Sooners scored this many points in 2008, an all-time OU record.  **54**



## Divisions

Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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College football is broken down into divisions. Using the information in the book, answer the following questions.

Which division are the Oklahoma Sooners in?

Name a bowl game in which the Oklahoma Sooners have played, and in which year this game occurred.

Name three teams in the same division as the Oklahoma Sooners.

The Oklahoma Sooners play in which stadium?



## Write a News Story

Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Exciting moments that happen during football games are often the topic of news stories. Choose one of the key events in the book, and write a news story about it in the space below.

News stories focus on a specific event and date in time. If there is more than one side to the story, be sure to present both. The story should include answers to these five key questions.

1. Who is the story about? This may be a person, team, organization, or company.
2. What is the event? It may be a regular- or post-season game, or even a practice.
3. Where did the event take place? This should include the city and stadium.
4. When did the event take place? This should include the complete date and, if possible, the time.
5. Why is the event important? Explain why this was a key event for the team or player. How did the event impact the team, the players, or the fans?



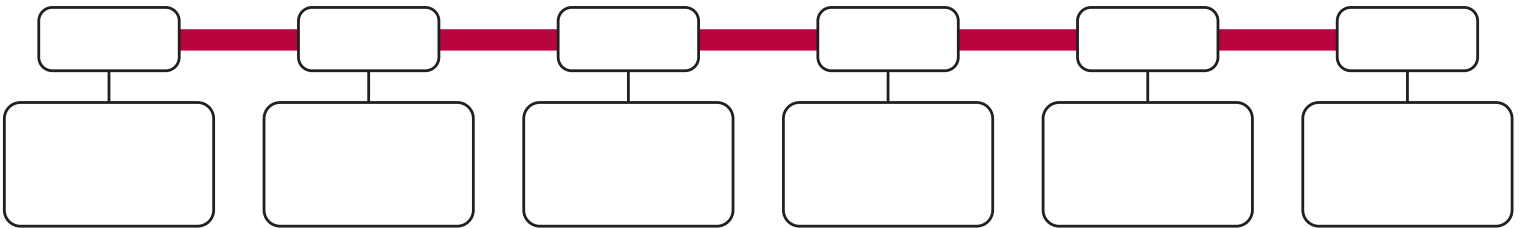
## Create a Timeline

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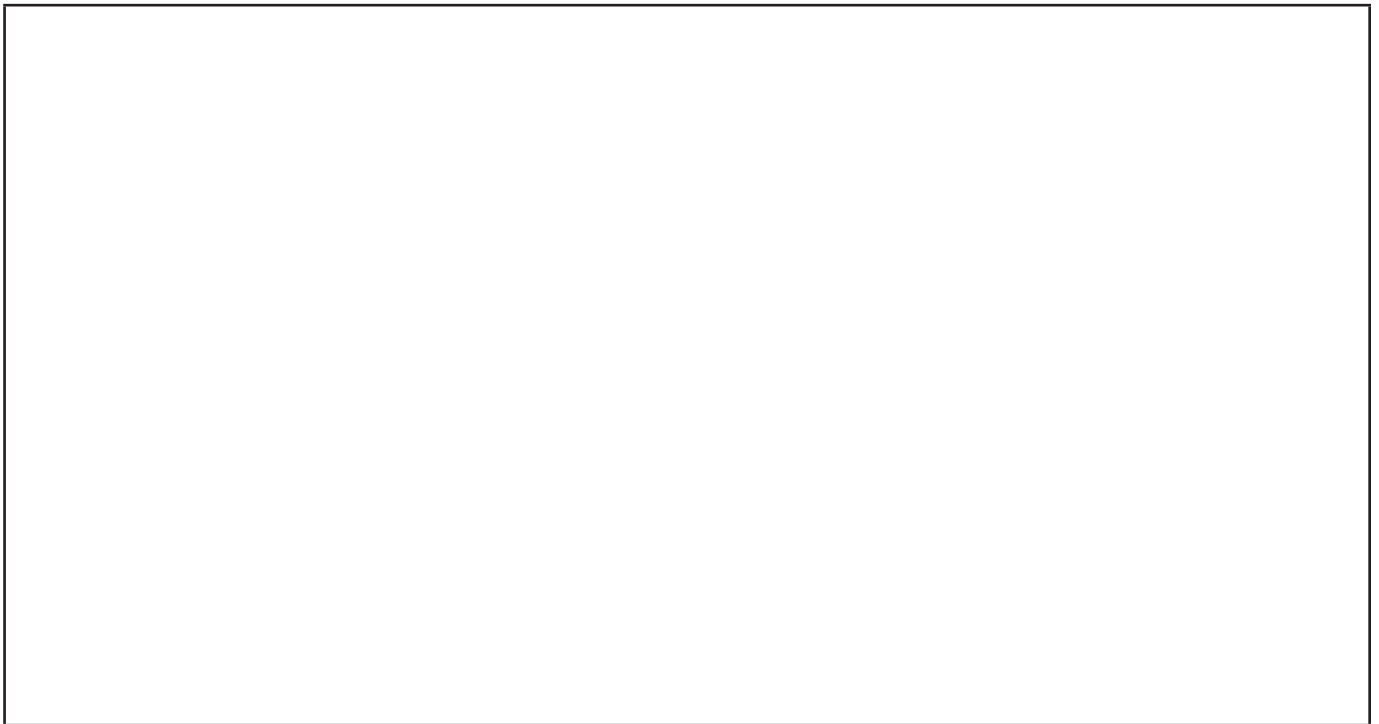
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1. Using your AV<sup>2</sup> book, as well as research found in the library and on the internet, create a list of some of the most important games and events that have taken place throughout the Oklahoma Sooners' history. Your list should include dates from at least six important moments in the team's history. Organize the events by date, from the earliest to the most recent. Then, use your list of events to create a timeline in the boxes below.



A horizontal timeline template consisting of a thick red line with six white rectangular boxes spaced along it. Below each box is a larger white rectangular box connected by a vertical line, intended for writing event details.

2. Pick one event from your timeline. Why was this event important to the team? Write your answer in a short paragraph.



A large, empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for writing a paragraph about a chosen event from the timeline.



# Name the Player

Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Using the book as your guide, name each of the pictured players from the Oklahoma Sooners.



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Name:



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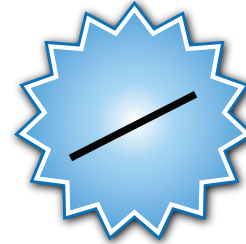
## Key Words Match-Up

Write the words from the list below in the box above the correct definition for each word.

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renovate	settlers
recruiting	draft
landscape	territory
postseason	offensive coordinator
Heisman Memorial Trophy	rivalries



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- an annual award given to the college football player who best demonstrates excellence and hard work
- a sporting event that takes place after the end of the regular season
- working to enroll someone as a member of an organization
- competitions between different groups or individuals toward the same objective or goal
- an area of land controlled by a ruler or state

- to improve or expand an older building
- the land features in a specific area
- a coaching staff member of a gridiron football team who is in charge of the offense
- an annual event where the NFL chooses college football players to be new team members
- people who move to an area where few people have lived before



## Quiz

Test your knowledge by answering these quiz questions.  
Check your answers on the quiz page in the book..

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**1** In what year did the Sooners' 47-game winning streak begin?

**2** What color are the current helmets for the Sooners?

**3** In what year did Sooners football begin?

**4** What is the name of the Sooners' stadium?

**5** How many bowl appearances have the Sooners made?

**6** How many times have Sooners players been named Academic All-Americans?

**7** What is the record attendance at an Oklahoma Sooners game?

**8** When did Bob Stoops have his first season with Oklahoma?

**9** When did Bob Stoops become the winningest coach in Sooners history?

**10** Where is the Sooners stadium located?

