

## CHAMPIONS SPECIAL!



### PRESTON 1888-89

The first ever Football League champions were unbeaten during the season. They were the only team to do this until Arsenal over 100 years later. They also won the FA Cup. John Goodall was top scorer with 20 goals in 21 games.  
**Key Player** John Goodall  
**Manager** William Sudell

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts*
22	18	4	0	74	15	40



### MAN UTD 1998-99

Alex Ferguson's team became the only one to win the League, the FA Cup and the Champions League treble in the same season. All six of the "Class of 92" were in this team but Roy Keane's all-action style in midfield kept them working hard.  
**Key Player** Roy Keane  
**Manager** Alex Ferguson

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
38	22	13	3	80	37	79



Manchester City are on course to be record-breakers but...

WHO  
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THE

# BEST CHAMPIONS

We're in the top one!



### FOREST 1977-78

Nottingham Forest had just been promoted from Division Two. Brian Clough told his team to get the ball to winger John Robertson, who destroyed defences. They also won the League Cup, and were European champions for the next two seasons!  
**Key Player** John Robertson  
**Manager** Brian Clough

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts*
42	25	14	3	69	24	64



### CHELSEA 2004-05

In José Mourinho's first season at Chelsea records included fewest goals conceded (15) and most clean sheets (25), but the key one was most points. They lost just once as midfielder Frank Lampard drove his team forward, bagging 19 goals.  
**Key Player** Frank Lampard  
**Manager** José Mourinho

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
38	29	8	1	72	15	95

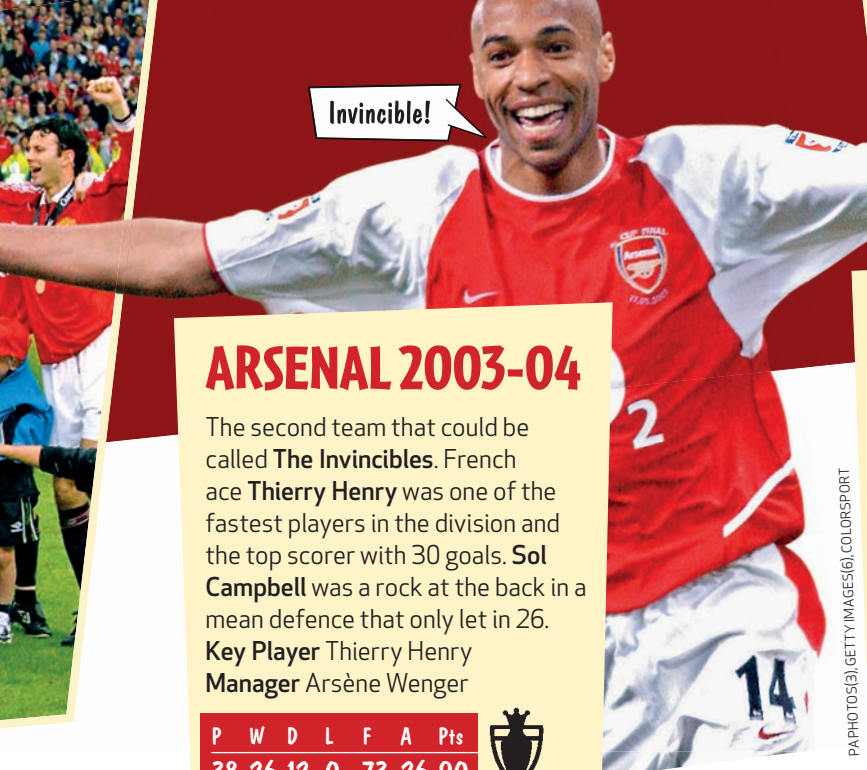


### SPURS 1960-61

The first League and FA Cup double of the 20th century, the best start to a season ever, a record 31 league wins and 115 goals scored. And that's just the stats! Spurs' stylish passing team played attacking football that fans loved to watch.  
**Key Player** Danny Blanchflower  
**Manager** Bill Nicholson

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts*
42	31	4	7	115	55	66





Invincible!

## ARSENAL 2003-04

The second team that could be called **The Invincibles**. French ace **Thierry Henry** was one of the fastest players in the division and the top scorer with 30 goals. **Sol Campbell** was a rock at the back in a mean defence that only let in 26. **Key Player** Thierry Henry **Manager** Arsène Wenger

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
38	26	12	0	73	26	90



## LEICESTER 2015-16

In one of the **biggest shocks** in English football, **Claudio Ranieri's** team blew away the competition. Lightning-quick duo **Riyad Mahrez** and **Jamie Vardy** unlocked defences, while midfield enforcer **N'Golo Kanté** held the team together. **Key Player** N'Golo Kanté **Manager** Claudio Ranieri

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
38	23	12	3	68	36	81



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# CHAMPIONS EVER?



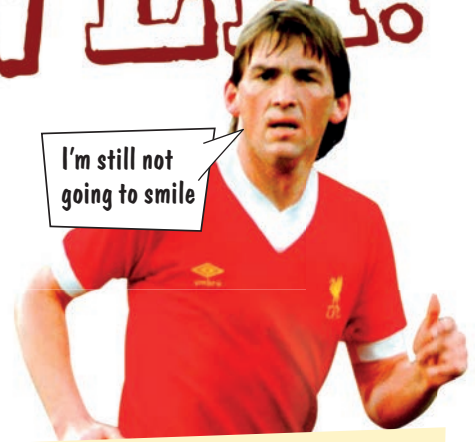
## LEEDS UTD 1968-69

Leeds only lost two matches all season – the best any team had done since Preston in 1888-89! They were tough and skilful, with **Johnny Giles** and **Billy Bremner** in midfield creating goals and putting in strong tackles. They also won the **Fairs Cup**, an early version of the Europa League. **Key Player** Johnny Giles **Manager** Don Revie

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts*
42	27	13	2	66	26	67



I'm still not going to smile



## LIVERPOOL 1978-79

This was Liverpool's strongest team at a time when they were probably the **best in Europe**. They only let in 16 goals and scored 85! Ace striker **Kenny Dalglish** was top scorer with 21 goals while his fellow Scot **Graeme Souness** ran the midfield. **Key Player** Kenny Dalglish **Manager** Bob Paisley

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts*
42	30	8	4	85	16	68



## EVERTON 1984-85

Goalkeeper **Neville Southall** was one of the world's best, while captain **Peter Reid** passed and tackled in midfield. Striker **Graeme Sharp** was top scorer with 21 goals and centre half **Derek Mountfield** scored ten! They also won the **Cup-Winners Cup**. **Key Player** Peter Reid **Manager** Howard Kendall

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
42	28	6	8	88	43	90



### TROPHY CABINET

Division One / Premier League	FA Cup	League Cup	Cup-Winners Cup	Champions League

\*2 points for a win