



MICROLEARNING - 10 MINUTES TO EXPAND YOUR KNOWLEDGE

FIFA AND THE WORLD CUP

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topics of suicide,
violence and
discrimination.
Wellbeing
support provided
[here](#) *

Founded in 1904 to provide unity among national football associations, the Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA), hosts a world competition that occurs every four years. Football teams across the world compete for the World Cup which is hosted in a different country each time and for the 2022 games, FIFA has chosen Qatar to host.

This Microlearning seeks to raise awareness of the current issues surrounding FIFA and global sporting events more broadly, building our understanding of how politics, moral responsibility, and the world of sport intersect.

ARTICLES



- [World Cup 2022: why is Qatar a controversial location for the tournament?](#) (4-minute read)
- [How many workers died in Qatar building World Cup stadiums? Official totals, reports and why many of the deaths involved migrants](#) (3-minute read)

VIDEOS



- [Why FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022, is the latest example of 'Sportswashing' | Video Essay | CBC Sports](#) (4-minute video) *Top Pick of the Week*

Actions for the week

1. Keep up to date on the news surrounding global sporting events like the World Cup by checking [BBC Sport](#).
2. Celebrate the achievements of our friends in other countries (whether sport-related or otherwise).

Join our [EDI Staff Networks](#) (LGBTQ+ Network, Carers Network, BAME and Allies Network, Women's Network, Interfaith Network, Disability, Network).

Thank you joining us in this week's
Microlearning!

LONGER ACTIVITIES TO FURTHER EXPAND YOUR KNOWLEDGE



- [Germany players cover their mouths in protest over FIFA's decision to ban the OneLove armband](#) (10-minute video)
- [Fifa boss accuses West of "hypocrisy" in World Cup speech - BBC News](#) (7-minute video)