goal-keep•er [goalkeeper goalkeepers] BrE ['gəulki■pə()] " NAmE
['goulki $\square \mathrm{p}$ •" (also informal goalie $\mathrm{BrE}[$ ['gəvli] " ; NAmE ['govli] " ) (NAmE also goal'tend•er) (also BrE informal keeper) noun

(in football ( †soccer ), †hockey, etc.) a player whose job is to stop the ball from going into his or her own team's goal Derived Word Igoalkeeping
See also: igoaltender " ${ }^{\text {ikeeper }}$

## Example Bank:

- He now plays as goalkeeper for Liverpool
- The England goalkeeper played brilliantly.


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