

goalkeeper

goal-keep-er [goalkeeper goalkeepers] *BrE* ['gəʊlki:pə(r)] *NAmE* ['gəʊlki:pə] (also informal **goalie** *BrE* ['gəʊli] ; *NAmE* ['gəʊli]) (*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 ↑**goalkeeping**

See also: ↑**goaltender** ▪ ↑**keeper**

Example Bank:

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

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the player in a sports team whose job is to try to stop the ball going into the goal **SYN** **goaltender** *American English*

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