



HOW FOOTBALL WORKS

KEY ROLES:

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OFFENSE

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DEFENSE



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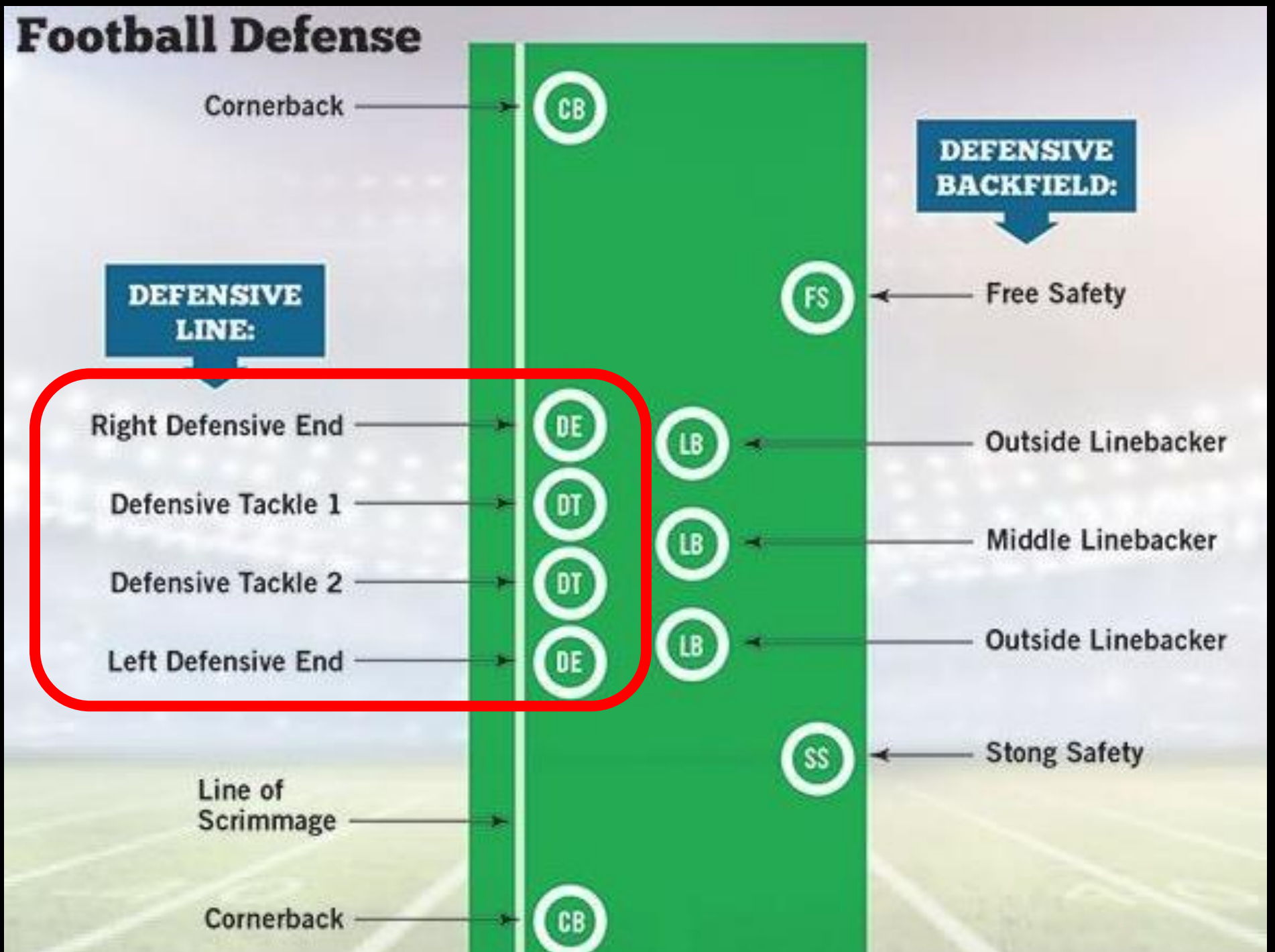
SPECIAL TEAMS



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DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE LINE (DL):
DEFENSE LINED AT SCRIMMAGE
TO STOP RUN & PRESSURE QB

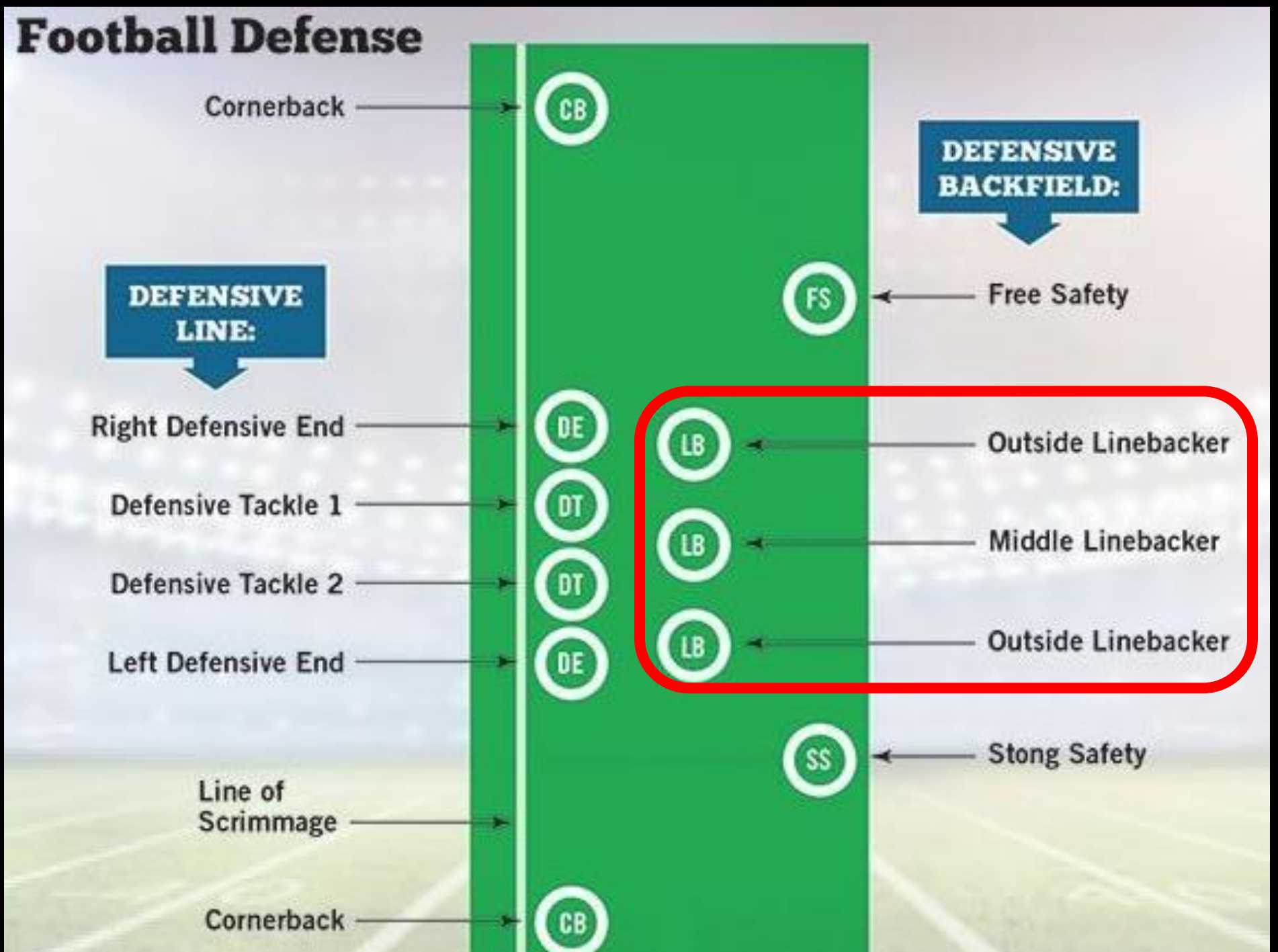




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LINE BACKERS (LB):
SECOND LINE OF DEFENSE THAT SUPPORTS DL AND COVERS WR





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DEFENSIVE BACKS (DB):
DEFENSIVE SECONDARY USED
MAINLY FOR PASS COVERAGE





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STOPPING THE BALL

TACKLE:

DEFENSE STOPS OFFENSIVE
FORWARD PROGRESS BY
STOPPING THE PLAYER WHO
HAS THE FOOTBALL



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INTERCEPTION:
THE DEFENSE CATCHES A PASS
INTENDED FOR A PLAYER ON
THE OFFENSE.



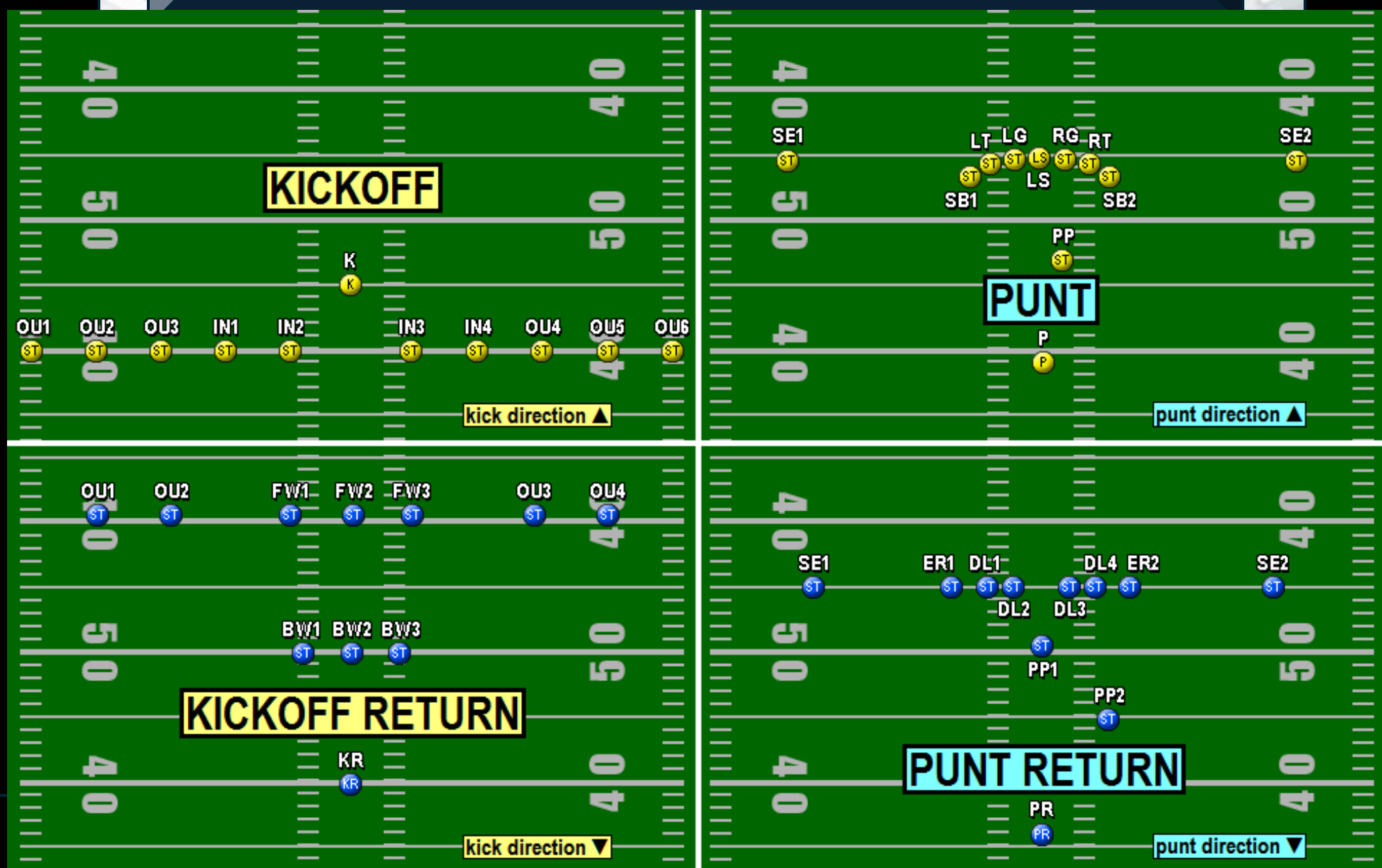
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FUMBLE RECOVERY:
THE DEFENSE RECOVERS THE
BALL DROPPED BY THE
OFFENSE.

Special Teams:

**Key Special
Teams Plays:
Kickoff
Punt
Field Goal**



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Ineligible Player:

A player who is not legally allowed to participate in the play due to rules regarding position, alignment, or role.