

Linda Caicedo: The Next Female Superstar



1) Discussion

- a) Who are some of your favourite young footballers? Female and male?
 - b) Can you think of any good young players from South America?
 - c) Do you watch women's football? Do you have a favourite team?
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2) Vocabulary

a) Match the vocabulary to the definition.

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| 1) Neighbourhood (noun) | a) A person you want to be like. |
| 2) To begin (verb) | b) The area where you live. |
| 3) Extremely (adverb) | c) Full of light, or smart and hopeful. |
| 4) Role model (noun) | d) Very, very much. |
| 5) To inspire (verb) | e) To start something. |
| 6) Bright (adjective) | f) To make someone want to do something. |
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b) Complete the sentences with the vocabulary from exercise 2a.

Neighbourhood

To Begin

Extremely

Role Model

To Inspire

Bright

- 1) Lionel Messi is a _____ for many young football players.
- 2) Sam Kerr's skills on the field _____ many girls to play football.
- 3) Kylian Mbappé is an _____ fast player for Paris Saint-Germain.
- 4) La Bombonera is in *La Boca* _____ in Buenos Aires.
- 5) Erling Haaland's future in football looks very _____.
- 6) Bruno Fernandes _____ his career at Novaro, but he now plays for Manchester United.



3) Quick Read - Read the article quickly and answer the question.

a) Who does Linda Caicedo play for now?

Linda Caicedo

Linda Caicedo is a talented footballer from Colombia. She was born on February 22, 2005, in the city of Candelaria, Valle del Cauca. Linda started playing football when she was very young. She played in her neighbourhood and school teams, showing great skill and passion for the game.

Linda's professional career began when she was only 14 years old. She joined América de Cali, one of the best football teams in Colombia. She played extremely well and helped her team win many matches. Linda became famous for her speed, dribbling, and goal-scoring ability.

In 2023, Linda Caicedo signed with Real Madrid, a top football club in Spain. This was a big step in her career. Playing in Europe is a dream for many footballers, and Linda is living this dream. She continues to improve and score goals for her new team.

Linda Caicedo is very important for Colombian football and women's football around the world. In Colombia, many people look up to her. She is a role model for young girls who want to play football. Her success shows that with hard work and dedication, it is possible to achieve great things.

In her career, Linda has won several awards. She was the top scorer in the Colombian league and has played for the Colombian national team in important tournaments like the FIFA U-17 and U-20 Women's World Cups. Her achievements inspire many people, and she continues to be a star in women's football.

In conclusion, Linda Caicedo is a young and talented footballer. She is an inspiration for many and an important figure in women's football. Her future looks very bright, and many fans are excited to see what she will achieve next.



4) Discussion

- a) What do you think about Linda Caicedo?
- b) Have you ever seen her play? Would you be interested in watching a Real Madrid game?
- c) Do you think she will be the best female player in the world?
- d) What other female players do you think are good?

