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# Answers



1. Why were some football fans worried?  
**Accept answers which discuss that football fans thought that the royal wedding would clash with the FA Cup final and they did not know which one to choose to watch.**



2. Find and copy a word or phrase which shows that football fans are no longer worried.  
**Accept: 'relieved', 'can breathe a sigh of relief' or 'I'm glad I don't have to pick'.**



3. Summarise the main point of this text in 15 words or less.  
**Accept any reasonable summary of the key points of this text within 15 words, such as: 'The Royal Wedding is not going to clash with the FA Cup final.'**



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**Accept '(Saturday) 19<sup>th</sup> May' only.**