

## **RONALDO:**

His full name is Ronaldo Luiz Nazario de Lima and he is the best Brazilian football player and he was twice best player of the world. He was born on 19 September 1976. His weight is 183 cm and he has 83 kilos. He is professional for 11 years. And he has 1 club title. When he was young they called him 'Miracle Boy'. He was very good in Brazilian football league and because that European scouts (scouts are people and they look over the world for good players) wanted to play in European leagues. And when he was 17 years old he went to the Netherlands to club PSV Eindhoven. There he was the best player and he was also the best goalscorer too. That saw Barcelona team leaders and they bought him. He was good in Barcelona too and he was the best scorer there too. He went to Barcelona because his friend Romario. Romario was also Brazilian. But Ronaldo wasn't satisfied there and he wanted to play in Italy. Inter president Massimo Moratti saw that and he bought him. There was Ronaldo the most popular player and he was happy there until he didn't injury. That was a big problem because he injured his knee very bad and he had to go to operation. In that time Inter started to losing games and they started to substitute players. Ronaldo came back after injury after half a year and he played his first game, but then after 5 minutes he fell down and he injured his knee again. Because that he had to rest one and a half year. Inter president gave up because he thought that Ronaldo wouldn't play football again so he sold him to Spanish superstar club Real Madrid. He recovered and he is now the best goal scorer in Spanish league. We can't say that he is the best player of Real Madrid because Real has also players like Zidane, Beckham, Figo, Carlos and Raul. Ronaldo has played on three World Cups for Brazilian national team. He won 2 World Championships with Brazilian team and twice he was the best player. 1994 Brazilian team beat Italy in final in USA. In 1998 Brazil lost final with France but they won again in year 2002. They beat Germany in final in Korea and Japan. He scores over 300 goals in European leagues and in my opinion he is the best player in the world ever. Real Madrid pays him 6.3 million euros a year. He has a wife and baby. His wife plays football too for Spanish club Rayo Vallecano, and she plays too for Brazilian national team. Some courses are saying that she plays for Brazil just because Ronaldo but my opinion is that she's really a good football player. Ronaldo is very popular all over the world and I think that every real football fan knows him.