**The modern game of golf originated in 15th century Scotland, the game's ancient origins are unclear and much debated. Golf, unlike most ball games, cannot and does not use a standardized playing area, and coping with the varied terrains encountered on different courses is a key part of the game. Courses typically have either 18 or 9 holes. It is a club-and-ball sport in which players use various clubs to hit balls into a series of holes on a course in as few strokes as possible.**

Golf:

**Males Golf Game**

**Golf's first major, and the world's oldest tournament in existence, is The Open Championship, also known as the British Open, which was first played in 1860 at the Prestwick Golf Club in Ayrshire, Scotland. In golf, the game is to get your ball from the starting point, or “tee,” to the green and into the hole. A standard golf course has 18 holes, or areas with a tee, green, and physical hole marked by a flag. There are smaller courses as well, such as 9-hole courses, which are ideal for beginners.**

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