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To come from behind

This week's English for football is **come from behind**. Now, this phrase is quite simple as it originally means to win after being behind in a race. This season Liverpool's opponents have taken the lead three times in the last five games, but Liverpool have won the matches. They have **come from behind** three times. The phrase is sometimes used to say that a team is lucky, but also to say that a team has a good spirit and never gives up. **To come from behind**.