

# XBOX 360 CONTROLS

## COMPLETE CONTROLS

### ALL PHASES

Move your player	⬅ or ➡
Sprint	RT
Receiver cam	LT
Coach's cam (Unavailable online)	RT
Call an audible (before the snap)	X then X, A, Y, LB, or RB <b>NOTE:</b> Select your audibles in the My Madden Strategy menu.
Cancel audible (before selecting a play)	B
Call timeout	⏪
Pause game	⏸

### OFFENSE

PREPLAY	Snap ball	A
	Switch direction of a running play	⬅ ↔ ➡
	Lock on to receiver	LT + receiver's button
	Call a Hot Route	Press B to highlight eligible player then press Y, then ⬅ or ➡
	Send a player in motion	Press B to highlight eligible player then move ⬅ ↔ ➡ to send that player in motion
Quiet crowd	⏪	
Fake snap	RB	

BALL CARRIER	<b>NEW</b> Highlight Stick	⬅ ↑ power backs lower their shoulder and "truck" over defenders/ Agile backs dodge the tackler ⬅ ↓ Back juke ⬅ ↔ Big juke left/right
	Dive/QB slide	X (tap to slide, hold to dive)
	Stiff arm	Y
	Protect ball	RB
	Spin	B + ⬅ to choose direction of the spin move
	Juke	A + ⬅ to choose direction of the juke

PASSING AND RECEIVING	Look left/right	⬅ ↔ ➡
	Throw the ball	X, A, B, Y, or RB (tap button for lob pass; hold button for a bullet)
	Lead the receiver	⬅ or ➡
	Throw ball away	RT
	Pump fake	LB
	QB scramble (behind the line of scrimmage)	RT (pull and hold)
	QB Action mode (enables running controls)	RT + LT
	Playmaker passing (guide closest receiver while QB is in Action mode)	RT + LT (to enter Action mode), then move ⬅ to send the closest receiver in a certain direction.
	Catch the ball	Y
	Diving catch	X

### **NEW** LEAD BLOCKING CONTROLS

Press LB to become a lead blocker before the snap of a running play and then lay down a big block to open a hole for your ball carrier. When you're ready to switch to the ball carrier and run to daylight, press B.

If you want to bluff a run play during a multiplayer game, you can switch to a blocker pre-snap. You automatically become the quarterback after the snap.

**NOTE:** Fine tune the blocking controls to your liking in the Blocking Controls section located in the Pause menu's Settings section.

BLOCKING CONTROLS	Impact/Cut block	⬅ ↑/↓ <b>TIP:</b> Be careful, if you whiff on a block, your running back will pay the price.
	Strafe	LT
AFTER THE PLAY	Spike ball (to stop the clock)	X (hold)
	Fake spike trick play	B (hold)
	No huddle/Hurry-up offense	Y (hold) to repeat previous play

# DEFENSE

PREPLAY

Choose a player to control	Tap <b>B</b> to change players one by one or hold <b>B</b> + <b>↑</b> or <b>↓</b> to scroll through defenders
Jump the Snap	<b>Y</b> <b>NOTE:</b> Time the snap correctly and use this to get a jump on the offensive line.
Defensive line audible	<b>LB</b> then <b>↑</b> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>↑</b> to spread the defensive ends outside the tackles</li> <li><b>↓</b> to move the line in tight between the tackles</li> <li><b>←/→</b> to shift the line left/right</li> </ul> <b>LB</b> then <b>↓</b> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>↑/↓</b> to crash outside/inside</li> <li><b>←/→</b> to crash left/right</li> </ul> <b>LT</b> to reset
Linebacker audible	<b>RB</b> then <b>↑</b> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>↑</b> to spread out linebackers</li> <li><b>↓</b> to move in tight</li> <li><b>←/→</b> to shift left/right</li> </ul> <b>RB</b> then <b>↓</b> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>↑</b> to put all linebackers in hook zones</li> <li><b>↓</b> to blitz all linebackers</li> <li><b>←/→</b> to blitz left/right linebackers</li> </ul> <b>LT</b> to reset
Coverage audibles	<b>A</b> then <b>↑</b> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>↓/↑</b> to put DBs into press/loose coverage</li> <li><b>←</b> to show blitz</li> <li><b>→</b> to shift safeties and LBs to better cover their assigned man</li> </ul> <b>A</b> then <b>←</b> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>←/→/↑</b> shift safety coverage left/right/out</li> </ul> <b>LT</b> to reset
Pump up crowd	<b>↑</b>

AFTER THE SNAP	Unleash the Hit Stick	<b>←</b> (in any direction)
	Diving tackle/interception	<b>X</b>
	Swat ball	<b>A</b>
	Strafe	<b>LT</b>
	Spin move (when engaged)	<b>LB</b>
	Power move (when engaged)	<b>RB</b>
Hands up/Bat pass/Intercept	<b>Y</b>	

## KICKING OFF AND PUNTING

The new Kick Meter gives you precise control of every kick.

1. Move **←** or **→** to aim the kick.
2. Move **←** **↓** to start the Power Meter.
3. When the Power Meter reaches this area, move **←** **↑** to kick the ball.

KICK RETURNING	Fair catch	<b>Y</b>
	Touchback	Remain in the end zone

## SUPERSTAR / MINI-GAME CONTROLS

WHEN PLAYING AS THIS POSITION:	QB	Pan camera	<b>←/→</b>
		Follow ball/Look down-field	<b>B</b>
		Cut moves left/right/up/back when playing as	<b>←/→/↑/↓</b>
WR/TE/HB	Blocker	Strafe facing the ball	<b>LT</b>
		Call for ball	<b>RB</b>
		Switch camera during play/preplay	<b>B</b>
WR/TE/HB	Blocker	Strafe facing away from ball	<b>LT</b>
		Switch assignments from blocking to get open	<b>B</b>
		Press coverage presnap	<b>←</b> <b>↑</b>
		Attempt chuck	<b>A</b>