

Match points: Arsenal v Chelsea



Key battles

Lucas Torreira v N'Golo Kante

Torreira could be one of the beneficiaries of Unai Emery's sacking. The Spaniard was strangely reluctant to pick the Uruguayan this season, and rarely in the role in front of the back four. If Kante represents the role model of how a ball-winner can use his energy in both defensive and more attacking spots, he also has better passers around him.



Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang v Antonio Rudiger

Aubameyang is the new captain and yet could be in his final weeks as an Arsenal player. When he joined from Dortmund two years ago, he must have expected more than mid-table football for a Europa League side. Rudiger is a rare defender with the pace to match him. After an injury-hit season, he excelled at Tottenham last week.



Calum Chambers v Tammy Abraham

Abraham has achieved much during a season in which he has become Chelsea's first-choice striker and a goalscorer for England, but he is yet to get a goal against any of the so-called "Big Six". This could be his chance to end that. Chambers, who was excellent at Everton last week, was banned for the Bournemouth draw but should be recalled.



Key statistics

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Arsenal's EPL home form

0 Chelsea have not had a draw in nine away EPL games this season.



150

Matches Mikel Arteta played for Arsenal.

248

Appearances by Arsenal's David Luiz for Chelsea.



105

Goals scored by Chelsea's Olivier Giroud for Arsenal.

