Name	Team	Position	Status	Years Active	Estimated earnings per year from	Estimated Net Worth	Difference	Investments & businesses
Tony Romo	**Dallas Cowboys**	**Quarterback**	**Retired**	**2003 - 2016**	**$17,000,000.00**	**$70,000,000.00**	**$53,000,000.00**	**Lead NFL Analyst at CBS and co-founded National Fantasy Football convention**
Michael Strahan	New York Giants	Defensive end	Retired	1993 - 2007	$17,000,000.00	$65,000,000.00	$48,000,000.00	Formed SMAC Entertainment
Roger Staubach	Dallas Cowboys	Quarterback	Retired	1969 - 1979	$160,000.00 (in 1979)	$600,000,000.00	$440,000,000.00	Formed Real Estate Company
Troy Aikman	Dallas Cowboys	Quarterback	Retired	1989 - 2000	$7,500,000.00	$50,000,000.00	$42,500,000.00	President of Troy Aikman Enterprises
Larry Fitzgerald	Arizona Cardinals	Wide receiver	Active	2004 - Present	$11,500,000.00	$50,000,000.00	$38,500,000.00	Owns Nomad Hill
Rob Gronkowski	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	Tight end	Active	2010 - Present	$9,000,000.00	$40,000,000.00	$31,000,000.00	Runs large family business
Steve Young	San Francisco 49ers	Quarterback	Retired	1984 - 1999	$2,000,000.00	$200,000,000.00	$198,000,000.00	MD of an Equity Firm
Tony Gonzalez	Atlanta Falcons	Tight end	Retired	1997 - 2013	$4,500,000.00	$20,000,000.00	$15,500,000.00	Co-founded ExtremeClean88
Michael Irvin	Dallas Cowboys	Wide receiver	Retired	1988 - 1999	$2,500,000.00	$15,000,000.00	$12,500,000.00	Featured in films
Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay Packers	Quarterback	Active	2005 - Present	$20,000,000.00	$120,000,000.00	$100,000,000.00	LP of Milwaukee Bucks
Jordan Palmer	Tennesse Titans	Quarterback	Retired	2007 - 2014	$730,000.00	$2,000,000.00	$1,270,000.00	VP at Common Thread Collective
J.J. Watt	Houston Texans	Defensive end	Active	2011 - Present	$17,500,000.00	$10,000,000.00	-$7,500,000.00	Endorsments
Patrick Mahomes	Kansas City Chiefs	Quarterback	Active	2017 - Present	$40,000,000.00	$30,000,000.00	-$10,000,000.00	Part Owns Football Team
Peyton Manning	Denver Broncos	Quarterback	Retired	1998 - 2015	$18,000,000.00	$250,000,000.00	$232,000,000.00	Franchisee
Tom Brady	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	Quarterback	Active	2000 - Present	$30,000,000.00	$200,000,000.00	$170,000,000.00	Author & Entrepreneur
Drew Brees	New Orleans Saints	Quarterback	Active	2001 - Present	$22,000,000.00	$160,000,000.00	$138,000,000.00	Investments
Brett Favre	Minnesota Vikings	Quarterback	Retired	1991 - 2010	$20,000,000.00	$100,000,000.00	$80,000,000.00	Director of Sqor
Ray Lewis	Baltimore Ravens	Linebacker	Retired	1996 - 2012	$7,000,000.00	$45,000,000.00	$38,000,000.00	Sports Presenter
Randy Moss	San Francisco 49ers	Wide receiver	Retired	1998 - 2012	$6,500,000.00	$25,000,000.00	$18,500,000.00	Shares in business
Charles Woodson	Oakland Raiders	Defense	Retired	1998 - 2015	$3,400,000.00	$15,000,000.00	$11,600,000.00	Owns wine company

	Data	Link
	Average salary and net v	**celebritynetworth.com**
	Average salary and net v	https://www.spotrac.com/

Used the players net worth minus their salary to work out whether the player has earned more outside of their average annual salary compared to the businesses they've invested in or been endorsed by