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The Berenstain Bears' Soccer Star

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Vocabulary Word Search

Find the hidden words.

e k o e l f r p t z d a l j d
 i m p r e s s i v e r a c h n
 v f u y s u r o g x i m p i u
 r a q d y i c a w c b r t v e
 o n g l p y r u i e b e h p g
 t t k s k u k f f l l k g u g
 c a n k o n f l a l i v i m p
 e s t c y o r m u e n d a x q
 r t s h z s y b z n g g r v z
 i i z p l a y m a t e s t r i
 d c u w g e h s q q a o s c s
 v e e l q s t l g u k c b z h
 o w s m r o f i n u r c n t y
 n l a s s o l o c s s e v l x
 z a s p l y z v s f i r a v t

athletic	discouraged	impressive	soccer
bulletin	dribbling	official	spirit
colossal	excellent	playmates	straight
director	fantastic	season	uniforms





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Vocabulary Word Unscramble

Unscramble the words. Use the words in the text boxes for help.

baseball	discouraged	colossal	shoulders
excellent	spirit	especially	winning
impressive	soccer	school	bounced
tryouts	kicker	straight	trouble

1. tousytr _____
2. ckirke _____
3. ssloaco _____
4. reusdolsh _____
5. ouredsagdic _____
6. bllesaab _____
7. ceorcs _____
8. ylcspileae _____
9. csloho _____
10. ctenexlel _____
11. rtspii _____
12. epsmvseir _____
13. wnginin _____
14. olebrtu _____
15. atgrstih _____
16. ubndoe _____





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Working with Words

Use the words in the text box to complete the following sentences.

colossal	discouraged	kick	fantastic	soccer
backyard	smallest	athletic	angry	straight
official	tryouts	figured	block	clumsy

1. Brother ran rings around the other players on the soccer team because they were a little _____.
2. The old shagbark hickory tree served as the _____ bulletin tree.
3. Brother got pretty _____, but Coach Bruin liked the way Brother Bear did his best.
4. Brother was a pretty good _____ football player.
5. The other bears trying out were big, bigger, and _____.
6. Brother struck out on three _____ fastballs.
7. Brother got _____ when Too-Tall Grizzly dumped his dirty shirt and wet towel on Brother's head.
8. Brother began to _____ things around the locker room.
9. The coach told Brother that he was a _____ kicker.
10. Brother became the star forward on the _____ team.
11. Every time Brother tried to take a shot, Too-Tall Grizzly was there to _____ it.
12. Brother _____ he was in big trouble when Coach Bruin caught him kicking things around.
13. The sign announced the _____ for the football team.
14. Brother was the _____ bear at the tryouts.
15. Coach Bruin was the _____ director of Bear Country School.





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Answers to *The Berenstain Bears' Soccer Star*
Reading Level 3.8

Page 1: No answers needed

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| Page 2: | 1. tryouts | 9. school |
| | 2. kicker | 10. excellent |
| | 3. colossal | 11. spirit |
| | 4. shoulders | 12. impressive |
| | 5. discouraged | 13. winning |
| | 6. baseball | 14. trouble |
| | 7. soccer | 15. straight |
| | 8. especially | 16. bounced |

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| Page 3: | 1. clumsy | 9. fantastic |
| | 2. official | 10. soccer |
| | 3. discouraged | 11. block |
| | 4. backyard | 12. figured |
| | 5. colossal | 13. tryouts |
| | 6. straight | 14. smallest |
| | 7. angry | 15. athletic |
| | 8. kick | |

Page 4: Writing Activity

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| Page 5: | 1. true | 7. true |
| | 2. true | 8. false |
| | 3. true | 9. false |
| | 4. false | 10. false |
| | 5. true | 11. false |
| | 6. true | 12. false |

