

Reading fiction

Grade 3 Reading Worksheet

Read the fiction paragraph.



Jake was excited because today was the big basketball game at school. His team, the Tigers, was playing against the Eagles. The gym was filled with cheering fans. Jake loved playing basketball and had practiced hard for this game. The game started, and Jake dribbled the ball down the court. He passed it to his friend, Sam, who scored the first basket. The crowd cheered loudly. In the last few seconds of the game, the score was tied. Jake got the ball, took a deep breath and made the winning shot! His team jumped up and down with joy. Jake was happy and proud of his team's hard work.

Answer the questions.

1. What was Jake excited about?
 - a. A school play
 - b. A basketball game
 - c. A science fair

2. What was the name of Jake's team?

- a. The Eagles
- b. The Lions
- c. The Tigers

3. The gym was filled with cheering fans.

- a. True
- b. False

4. Who scored the first basket in the game?

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- b. Sam
- c. The Eagles

5. What did Jake do in the last few seconds of the game?

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- b. He did a little dance.
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