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Soccer Vocab Matching

Lesson Plan for Soccer Grade 1

Objective

To help students practice determining the meaning of words in a text.

Things Needed

- Soccer book
- Soccer Vocab Matching worksheet (attached)

Before the Activity

Read Soccer out loud to students. Print a copy of the Soccer Vocab Matching worksheet for each student.

Activity

Give each student a copy of the worksheet. Explain that this worksheet contains a list of definitions and key words from the book. Students can work on their own or with a partner to match each word to the correct definition. If they get stuck, they can look through the Soccer book again.

Evaluation

Using the attached answer key, give students 1 point for each blank with the correct word.

Standards

This lesson plan may be used to address the Common Core State Standards' reading standards for informational texts, grade 1 (RI 1.5).



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Draw a line connecting each vocabulary word to its definition.

Dribble	When the ball is kicked into the net.
Shin Guard	What soccer is called in most countries.
Referee	A shirt that shows which team a player is on.
Goal	To use small kicks in order to keep control of the ball.
Cleats	A pad with a hard plastic shell that protects the lower leg.
Jersey	Shoes that help soccer players grip the ground.
Goalie	A person who is in charge of making sure everyone follows the rules.
Football	The player whose job is to protect the goal.



Soccer Vocab Matching Answer Key

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