

Sports Stories for Kindergarten

12 decodable practice stories for ages 5 to 6, written by LUCALabs.

How to use these stories

These stories use phonics patterns appropriate for kindergarten readers. Read aloud together. Have your child sound out each word. The blanks are for your child's name.

Story 1 / 12

_____ ran in the sun. He got to the hill and ran up. His leg felt hot. At the top, _____ sat and took a sip from his cup. "I did it!" he said. He ran back down the hill. The wind hit his hat. _____ got to the end and sat on the sand. It was a good run.

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_____ and her pal Sam had a big ball. _____ gave it a kick. The ball went up and over the net. Sam ran to get it. He gave it a kick back. It hit the rim of the net and fell in. "Good job!" _____ said. Sam sat in the sun and had a sip from his cup.

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_____ ran a big lap at the lot. He got to the end and did not stop. Pat ran up next. "You can run!" Pat said. _____ sat on the mat. His leg got hot. Pat got him a cup. _____ took a sip. "I will go again," _____ said. He got up and ran. Pat ran with him.



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_____ and her pal Kim went to the lot to kick a ball. _____ gave it a big kick. It went far. Kim ran and got it. She gave it a kick back. _____ ran but it went by her. Kim ran up. "Let me get it," she said. _____ got the ball and set it back on the sand.

Story 5 / 12

_____ and his pal Max had a bat and a ball. _____ hit the ball with the bat. It went up, up, up. Max ran to get it. The ball fell in the mud. Max got it and ran back. "Good hit!" Max said. _____ took the bat and hit it one more time. It went over the net.

Story 6 / 12

_____ ran on the sand. He got to a big hill and went up. At the top, _____ saw a flag. He ran to it. "I got to the top!" _____ said. The wind hit his cap. He sat on a rock and had a bit of jam. Then _____ ran back down the hill. It was a good run.



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_____ had a big red ball. She went to the lot and set it on the sand.
 _____ took a big kick. The ball went up and hit the rim of the can.
 "Yes!" _____ said. She got the ball and did it again. The ball went in.
 _____ sat in the sun and let out a yell.

Story 8 / 12

_____ and his pal Max ran a lap on the lot. _____ was in the lead.
 Max ran to get him. At the end, Max got by _____. "You got me!"
 _____ said. Max sat on the mat. _____ got him a cup. "Good run,"
 Max said. _____ sat by him. The sun was hot on the sand.

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_____ had a big ball. She gave it a toss to Kim. Kim got it and ran.
 _____ ran to tag her. Kim went by the net and hid. _____ saw her
 and ran up. She got Kim on the arm. "Got you!" _____ said. Kim sat on
 the mat. "You are too fast," Kim said. _____ sat by her.



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_____ had a bat. He went to the lot and hit a ball. It went far. His dog ran to get it. The dog got the ball in his jaw and ran back. _____ took the ball and hit it again. The dog ran and got it. "Good dog!" _____ said. He gave the dog a pat on the back.

Story 11 / 12

_____ and her pal Jan ran to the lot. _____ got the ball and gave it a kick. It went up and over the net. Jan ran to get it. She gave it a kick back. _____ ran and got it. "Good kick!" Jan said. _____ sat on the mat. The sun was hot. Jan got her a cup.

Story 12 / 12

_____ had a bat. She went to the lot with her pal Kim. Kim had a ball. She gave it a toss. _____ hit the ball with the bat. It went far. Kim ran to get it. "That was a big hit!" Kim said. _____ hit it one more time. It went over the net. _____ let out a yell.

