2 Complete the text with the past simple form of the verbs in the box.

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The Generous Footballer

French international footballer Olivier Kapo [1]_____ to the UK to play for Birmingham City in 2007. At the same time, a local boy called James McPike [2]_____ work at the football club and one of his jobs [3]_____ cleaning Kapo's football boots. For a year, he [4]_____ them after every match. At the end of the year, he [5]_____ Kapo for a souvenir. He [6]_____ to keep the star's football boots. In fact, Kapo [7]_____ him a much better gift: his Mercedes sports car! James [8]_____ amazed.

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