

# Topic 2

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★ Read the story. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1–5. There is one example.



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faster worried quickly kick could

When Oliver and Robert were younger, they used to go to the same school. They  
..... good friends, and they both loved sports. Oliver was good at soccer.  
He could run (1) ..... than Robert and he could kick the ball harder, too.  
But Robert could play basketball better than Oliver. He (2) ..... shoot the  
ball into the hoop really well.  
Every year, there was a sports day at the school. Oliver was on the soccer team, and  
Robert was on the basketball team. But on one sports day, Oliver was sick so he couldn't  
play. He (3) ..... stay home. Robert was (4) ..... about  
Oliver. He knew he'd be unhappy about missing sports day. Then he had an idea.

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At the end of the sports day, Robert went to Oliver's house. Oliver was in bed. "I have something for you, Oliver," said Robert. He took out his (5)..... and showed Oliver a video of the soccer game. When it started, everyone on the team shouted, "Get well soon, Oliver!" And they all cheered.

"Thanks, Robert. I don't feel sad anymore!" said Oliver cheerfully.

**(6) Now choose the best name for the story.**

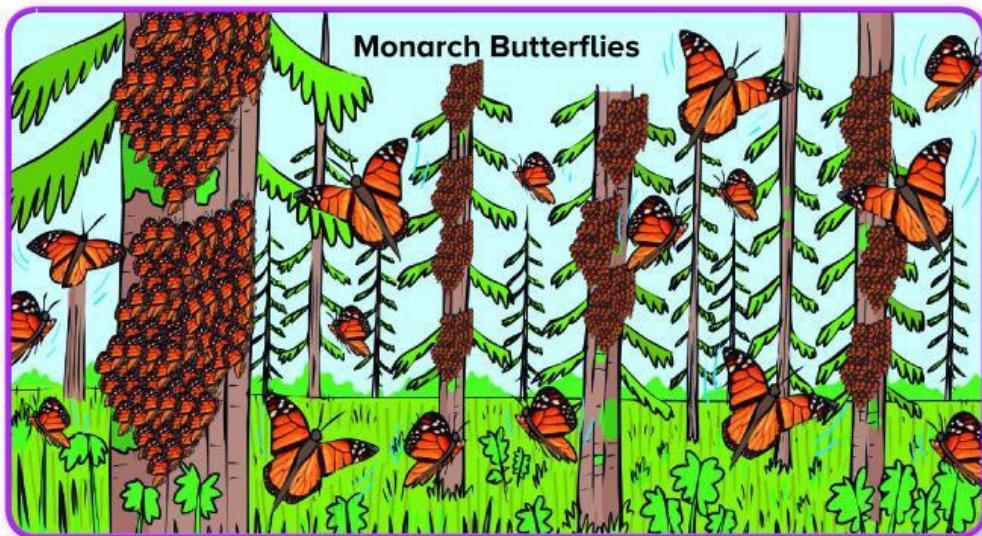
Mark (✓) one box.

Oliver loves soccer

A kind friend

The soccer team

★ Read the text. Choose the right words and write them on the lines.



Example Every year, millions of monarch butterflies fly ..... **from** .....  
eastern parts of the USA and Canada to the forests of central Mexico.

7 The journey ..... about 4,000 kilometers. The butterflies

8 ..... leave the Canadian forest during the winter because

9 there aren't ..... plants for them to eat and the weather  
is too cold. They start leaving in October, although they sometimes start

10 ..... if it's very cold.

11 When the butterflies ..... in Mexico, they spend the  
winter resting on trees in the cool Mexican mountains. The butterflies

12 go back to the same oyamel fir trees ..... year. In the  
spring, when the weather is warmer, the butterflies fly back to the USA and  
Canada again. Monarch butterflies are an important part of the ecosystem

13 ..... they are good for plants and flowers, and their

14 caterpillars provide food ..... birds.

15 There ..... more oyamel fir trees, but today some people

16 are cutting down the trees ..... roads, houses and farms.

We need to protect the oyamel fir trees for the monarch butterflies.

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Example	under	<u>from</u>	off
7	has been	was	is
8	could	mustn't	have to
9	much	enough	too
10	earlier	more early	the earliest
11	arrived	used to arrive	arrive
12	every	all	other
13	but	that	because
14	for	of	with
15	had to be	used to be	mustn't be
16	to build	building	build