

# Our Old Friend, Bear

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Circle all the past-tense verbs in each sentence.

Bear struggled to his feet and wagged his tail as he looked up at Matthew with his big brown eyes.

As Mum turned to look at Matthew, her eyes filled with tears.

Matthew put his arms around Mum as she talked.

Bear ambled along beside them.

Henry had brought his football.

2. Write the base of each word.

followed \_\_\_\_\_

rubbed \_\_\_\_\_

stroked \_\_\_\_\_

said \_\_\_\_\_

came \_\_\_\_\_

cried \_\_\_\_\_

stirred \_\_\_\_\_

struggled \_\_\_\_\_



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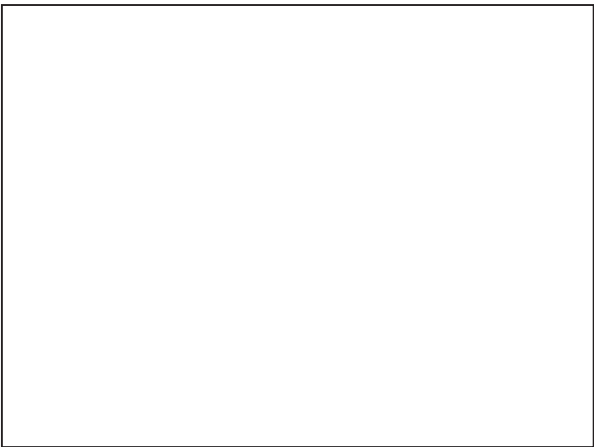
3. Write three words to describe each character. Draw a matching picture.

Matthew

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\_\_\_\_\_

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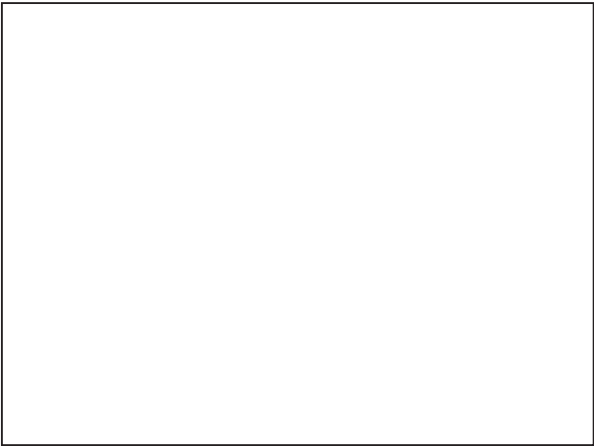


Bear

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4. Circle the two words you think best describe Mum. Use events from the story to explain your choices.

funny      kind      loving      noisy      busy

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