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The Septem**Bear** issue just printed. Use **Bear Essential News** to complete these activities!

News Highlights & In the Spotlight (page 5)

News stories are supposed to cover the 5W's & H—the Who, What, Why, Where, When and How of the story. But certain facts may play a more important role than others. Pick one of the News Highlights stories to read, and figure out the most important fact to tell whether it's a Who, What, Why, Where, When or How story.



Headline of News Highlights story:

I think this is a _____ story.

In the Spotlight covers a small and very old meteorite that slammed through a house in Georgia. Scientists from ASU and the University of Georgia are studying this space fragment. When it comes to meteorites, what's the most spectacular fact to you?

Main Feature: Clubs Kids Will Love!

1. It's the beginning of the new school year, and many clubs are welcoming new members! What kinds of clubs interest you? Why?

2. What good things can being part of a club do for you?



Boomer Bear's Field Trips & Family Outings for 2025–26

From the listings "Field Trips & Family Outings," pick your most liked and least liked field trips, and explain why or why not you want to go!



Most liked: _____

Why? _____

Least liked: _____

Why? _____



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SEPTEMBER WORKSHEETS

VOCABULARY

Power Word Missing Letters & Mystery Message!

Below are this month's **Power Words**, which appear capitalized and in bold face in this month's News Highlights, In Our Neighborhood and the main feature, "Clubs Kids Will Love." Figure out the missing letters in each word and write them in order left to right, in the spaces at the bottom to figure out this month's mystery word!

IE **Y**

adj.—looking like or resembling fire

CAMARADER

n.—trust and friendship built by spending time together

HO **E**

v.—to sharpen

EMIGRATE

v.—to leave one's country in order to live elsewhere

RE **TRICT**

v.—to limit or control

Some kids say this is the best part of being back at school:

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