



Backers Lessons

Discussion Questions by Grade Level

Braxtyn & Brysen and the Backers Football Team

Kindergarten (Ages 5–6): Kindness & Teamwork

- Who helped others in the story?
- How can you help a friend?
- Can anyone be a helper?
- How should we treat our teammates?
- Draw a picture of yourself being a good teammate.

First Grade (Ages 6–7): Cooperation & Inclusion

- Who showed leadership in the story?
- What does a leader do to help others?
- What does it mean to play fair?
- How should we act when we win or lose?
- Take turns being the team leader during an activity.

Second Grade (Ages 7–8): Responsibility & Encouragement

- How did Brysen help the team grow?
- How can leaders make everyone feel included?
- Why is respect important in sports and life?
- What lesson did you learn from the story?
- Write one way you can be a Backers teammate at school or home.

Third Grade (Advanced): Character & Leadership

- What makes someone a good leader on and off the field?
- How do your actions affect the whole team?
- What does 'Backers Together, Backers Strong', Everyone here belongs, mean to you?
- Create a team motto or cheer that shows teamwork.