

Basketball Word Search

Find all 10 hidden basketball.

Difficulty **Easy** ■■■■■

Estimated time ⌚ 2-5 min

Recommended age 5-8 years

Designed for beginning readers.

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Q	W	F	O	Z	R	E	B	O	U	N	D
Z	H	E	D	Z	U	L	T	K	R	Z	B
S	I	D	U	N	K	Z	E	J	Z	F	C
O	S	L	A	Y	U	P	S	A	T	A	O
F	T	D	E	F	E	N	S	E	I	K	U
F	L	Q	T	L	J	V	U	L	M	F	R
E	E	A	T	X	G	B	I	D	E	K	T
N	J	X	V	H	O	O	P	E	O	X	P
S	S	D	R	I	B	B	L	E	U	L	D
E	N	D	C	U	J	O	F	L	T	N	P

WORDS TO FIND

COURT

DEFENSE

DRIBBLE

DUNK

HOOP

LAYUP

OFFENSE

REBOUND

TIMEOUT

WHISTLE

Basketball — Answer Key

Q	W	F	O	Z	R	E	B	O	U	N	D
Z	H	E	D	Z	U	L	T	K	R	Z	B
S	I	D	U	N	K	Z	E	J	Z	F	C
O	S	L	A	Y	U	P	S	A	T	A	O
F	T	D	E	F	E	N	S	E	I	K	U
F	L	Q	T	L	J	V	U	L	M	F	R
E	E	A	T	X	G	B	I	D	E	K	T
N	J	X	V	H	O	O	P	E	O	X	P
S	S	D	R	I	B	B	L	E	U	L	D
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Did you know?

- Basketball was invented in 1891 by Dr. James Naismith, originally using peach baskets as the goals.
- A standard basketball hoop is set at exactly 10 feet high, a height that has stayed consistent since the sport's early days.
- The three-point line, now a major part of modern basketball strategy, wasn't introduced to the NBA until the 1979-80 season.
- Basketball is played and watched in nearly every country in the world, making it one of the most globally popular team sports.

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