To help you complete this worksheet, use the *Play Sports!* book.

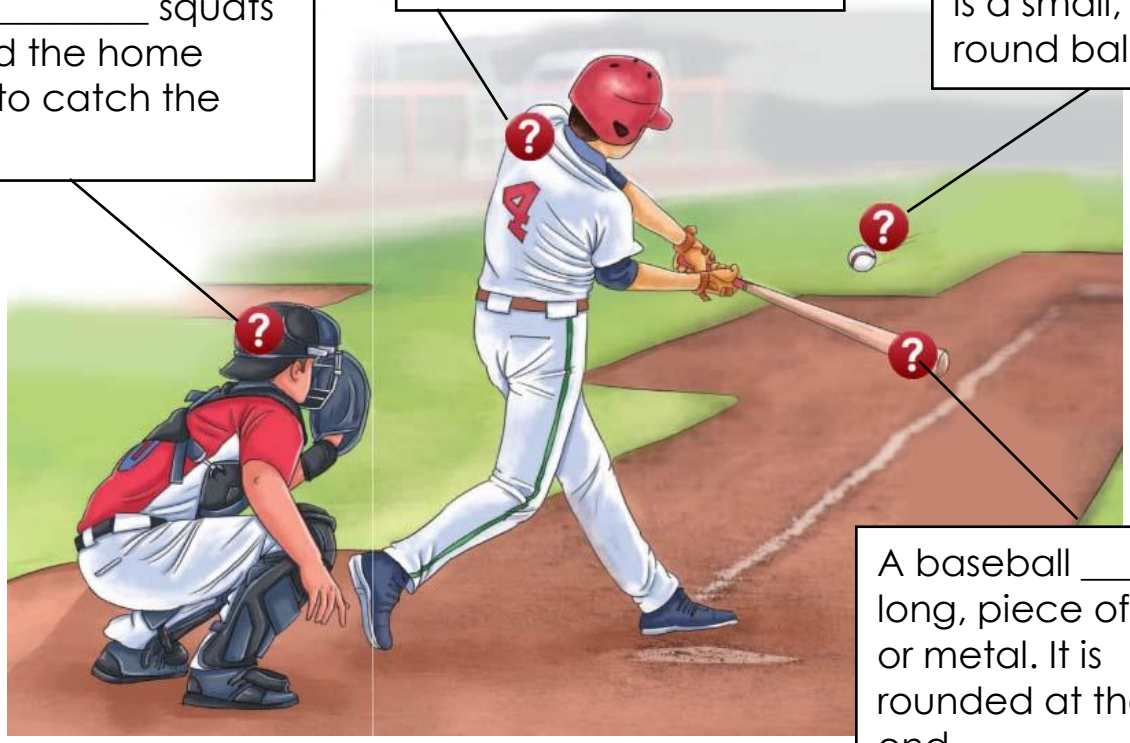
Baseball

Baseball is played with a _____ and a ball on a field. A player called the _____ throws the baseball, and the _____ tries to hit it. A batter who hits the ball tries to run to three _____ and then run to home plate. Players on the other team try to stop the base runner by throwing the ball to a _____ before the runner reaches it, or by catching the ball and touching the runner with it. If the runner touches all three bases and home plate without being stopped – called out – he or she scores a ____!

The _____ tries to hit the ball out of the reach of the other team's players in the field.

A _____ is a small, hard, round ball.

The _____ squats behind the home plate to catch the ball.



A baseball _____ is a long, piece of wood or metal. It is rounded at the top end.