

# Pack the Knapp



## Writing Prompts- Elementary School

Use the following ideas for classroom discussion or a writing assignment:

### Lesson in Losing

Each of the teams that played today hoped they would win.  
They knew that in the end one team would win and one team would lose.

Losing a game may not be easy. Learning how work through losses and disappointments is important for sports and school.

1. Think about a time when you lost a game or made a mistake. What happened? What important lessons did you learn?
2. What character traits do you need to overcome mistakes and losses?

### Managing Time

The athletes on both teams are also students. We call them “student athletes.” The student athletes missed classes to play the game. They will have to make up the work they missed.

1. Think of a tip you would give these student-athletes get their school work done during basketball season.
2. What does a student-athlete have to do to be a good student and a good basketball player?

