



Bayview High

Crossing the Line Chapter 15: Switching Gears

Working with Words—Correct Word Usage: Homonyms

Their is an adjective that shows possession.

They're is a contraction meaning they are.

There is an adverb that means a place.

Complete each sentence with *their*, *they're* or *there*.

1. The coach told the team to stop _____ showboating.
2. The Bayview players know _____ plan was working.
3. _____ not going to fight again.
4. The players signed _____ sticks and gave them to the fans.
5. _____ were so many fans that the arena was full.
6. When Jack got to the dressing room the team was celebrating _____ win.

Write sentences using each word:

1. they're

2. there

3. their
