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## Word Boost Exchange Answer Key

Sample improved version:

The **enormous** playground sat behind the school. A **towering** slide stood in the middle, and a **wide** set of swings moved in the **breezy** wind. Kids ran across the **grassy** field, shouting and laughing in a **lively**, **cheerful** crowd. Everything felt **colorful** and fun.

(Any student revision that replaces the repeated weak words with clear, specific alternatives from the word bank is acceptable.)

### Teacher's Guide

- Remind students that repeated words can make writing sound plain, and specific vocabulary adds clarity.
- Have students underline all repeated or weak terms before choosing word bank replacements.
- Encourage students to read their revised paragraph aloud to check fluency and tone.
- Offer sentence frames for support: The \_\_\_ playground..., A \_\_\_ slide..., Kids ran across the \_\_\_ field....
- For students who need extra help, allow them to choose just three replacements at first.
- For advanced students, have them add an extra descriptive sentence using at least one more word bank term.
- Extension idea: Let students create their own mini word bank to revise a passage written by a partner.