Find the Main Idea

Baseball Tryouts

Bradley had always wanted to try out for the baseball team. This year he was finally old enough. His mom bought him a shiny new baseball mitt and he practiced every day after school. On the day of tryouts he was very nervous but he stepped up to the plate and did his very best. He caught every pitch! He did it! Bradley had made the team!

What is the main idea? Circle the correct answer.

A. Bradley had always wanted to play baseball.
B. Bradley worked hard and made the team.
C. Bradley got a new baseball mitt.
D. Bradley practiced every day after school.

Write two details in the story in the boxes.
Answers will vary.

Bradley caught every pitch.
Bradley got a new baseball mitt.