Find Reasons in a Text

Grade 1 Reading Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

Read the text. Circle the reason.

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   To keep warm. To look tall. To keep cool.

2. Bears sleep in winter. It is cold and there is little food. So they sleep in a den until spring. Why do bears sleep in winter?

   It is cold and there is little food.

   They like the snow.

   They are tired of playing.

3. Leaves fall in the fall. The tree gets less sunlight, so the leaves dry up and drop. Why do leaves fall?

   The leaves are too heavy.

   The wind is blowing.

   The tree gets less sunlight.

4. Birds build nests. A nest keeps the eggs safe and warm until the chicks hatch. Why do birds build nests?

   To hold their food.

   To keep the rain off the tree.

   To keep the eggs safe and warm.

5. Fish have gills. Gills take air from the water, so fish can breathe under water. Why do fish have gills?

   To breathe under water. To catch food. To help them fly.

6. Frogs have long, sticky tongues. A frog flicks its tongue out to catch flies to eat. Why do frogs have sticky tongues?

   To dig holes. To catch flies. To sing songs.

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