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Grade 1 Reading Worksheet - Challenge Me

Name _____ Date _____

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

3. 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 are tired of playing.
   They like the snow.

4. 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 tree gets less sunlight.
   The wind is blowing.

5. Birds build nests. A nest keeps the eggs safe and warm until the chicks hatch. Why do birds build nests?
   To keep the eggs safe and warm.
   To keep the rain off the tree.
   To hold their food.

6. A road has a stop sign. The sign tells cars to stop so people can cross safely. Why is there a stop sign?
   So cars can go faster.
   So people can cross safely.
   So the road looks nice.

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