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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?
   They are tired of playing.
   It is cold and there is little food.
   They like the snow.

3. We wash our hands before we eat. Washing gets rid of germs that can make us sick. Why do we wash our hands?
   To make them cold. To make them bigger. To get rid of germs.

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

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 hold their food.
   To keep the rain off the tree.

6. Leaves fall in the fall. The tree gets less sunlight, so the leaves dry up and drop. Why do leaves fall?
   The tree gets less sunlight.
   The wind is blowing.
   The leaves are too heavy.

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