Rules and Laws

Grade 1 Social Studies Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

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   law rule

2. Why do we have this rule? “Stay in your seat.”



   So the bus goes faster.

   So the driver can chat.

   So you can see out the window.

   So you stay safe when the bus moves.

3. The rule is: “Walk on the wet floor.” Who follows it?

   Sam walks by the pool.

   Sam races a friend by the pool.

   Sam slides on the wet floor.

   Sam runs by the pool.

4. Where do you use this rule? “Take turns on the slide.”

   on the playground in class in the library in the cafeteria

5. Is this a rule or a law? “Buckle your seat belt in a car.”



   rule law

6. Why do we have this law? “Stop at a stop sign.”



So the road stays clean. So signs last longer. So cars use less gas.

So cars do not crash.

7. The law is: “Buckle your seat belt in a car.” Who follows it?



Tara rides with the belt off.

Tara unbuckles while the car moves.

Tara buckles her seat belt.

Tara sits on the belt.

8. Is this a rule or a law? “Use a quiet voice.”



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9. Why do we have this rule? “Listen when the teacher talks.”

So you can talk next. So you can learn. So you can leave early.

So the teacher can rest.

10. Where do you use this rule? “Stay in your seat.”

at the pool on the bus at the park on the playground

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