Rules and Laws

Grade 1 Social Studies Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

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   law rule

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   Sam races a friend by the pool.

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law rule

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So you can leave early. So you can talk next. So the teacher can rest.

So you can learn.

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

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

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