Characters and Setting

Grade 1 Reading Worksheet - Challenge Me

Name _____ Date _____

Circle the answer.

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   her mother her sister her dog Tara

2. Where does this story happen?

   in the garden in a bus on the rug at the beach

3. What does Tara do in this story?

   builds a tall tower reads a book paints a wall draws a picture

4. Which word best describes Tara?

   bored patient careless grumpy

5. Which sentence is true about this story?

   Tara builds the tower outside.

   The tower falls over at the end.

   Tara picks the flat blocks first.

   Tara knocks the tower down on purpose.

6. Which sentence is also true about this story?

   The tower falls over at the end.

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7. Which sentence is NOT true about this story?

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8. When does this story happen?

a busy night a snowy morning bedtime a quiet afternoon

9. Which of these happens last?

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