Characters, Setting, and Events

Grade 2 Reading Worksheet - Building Confidence

Name _____ Date _____

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Then a strong gust of wind pushed it sideways. The kite crashed into the top of a tall tree and stuck there. Hana's lip trembled. "My new kite!" she cried.

Grandpa came over and looked up. "Pulling hard might rip it," he said. "Let's think first."

Hana walked all the way around the tree. On the far side, the branches were thinner. She stood there and gave the string small, gentle tugs. Slowly, the kite slid between two branches. It floated down with only one small tear.

Grandpa pulled tape from his pocket, and they patched the tear together. Hana grinned. "Next time, I will fly it far from the trees," she said.

1. What was Hana's big problem?
   - Her kite string broke in two.
   - Her kite got stuck in a tree.
   - Grandpa lost the tape for the kite.

2. How did Hana feel when the kite got stuck? Which clue shows it?
   - happy, because she grinned and clapped
   - sleepy, because she yawned and rubbed her eyes
   - upset, because her lip trembled

3. What did Hana do to get the kite down?
   - She climbed up the tall tree.
   - She gave the string small, gentle tugs.
   - She pulled the string as hard as she could.

4. What did Grandpa do when he saw the stuck kite?
   - He bought Hana a new kite.
   - He told Hana to think first.
   - He climbed the tree to get it.

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