Build Complete Sentences

Grade 3 Writing Worksheet

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   near the tall pine trees
   with heavy backpacks
   tents and sleeping bags

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   The kids and their science fair projects.
   The kids at the big science fair.

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   My brother likes soccer. He plays every Saturday.
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   My brother likes soccer, he plays every Saturday.

4. Which is a complete sentence?
   Wrote down each result in her notebook.
   Because the test was finished.
   A careful scientist wrote down each result.
   A careful scientist in a white coat.

5. Write two complete sentences about a train. Then fix this fragment: "The little red wagon."

Sentence 1 _____

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Sentence 2 _____

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Fixed fragment _____

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Answer Key - Grade 3 Writing Worksheet

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two complete original sentences, and the fragment fixed with a predicate.