State an Opinion

Grade 3 Writing Worksheet - Challenge Me

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   The fountain was built last year.
   The park has one water fountain near the gate.
   The park should add another water fountain.
   Where is the park's water fountain?

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   School starts at 8:15 each morning.
   The first bell rings five minutes before class.
   The handbook says students should arrive by 8:00.
   Our school should start thirty minutes later.

3. Which claim is clear enough to begin an opinion piece about music?
   Our school should offer music lessons after school.
   Music is something people have feelings about.
   There is a lot to say about music lessons.
   Everyone has different thoughts on music.

4. Which sentence about the planets is a fact?
   Kids should learn every planet's name.
   Mars would be the most exciting place to visit.
   Saturn's rings make it the prettiest planet.
   Jupiter is the largest planet in our solar system.

5. Should your town build a skate park? Write a clear claim. Then write one fact and one opinion about skate parks.

Claim _____

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Fact _____

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Opinion _____

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the claim takes one side; the fact can be checked; the opinion is a judgement.