Support an Opinion

Grade 3 Writing Worksheet

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   The recycling truck is green and white.
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   Game night would be on a Friday.
   Board games come in boxes of different sizes.
   The gym has a shiny wooden floor.

4. Opinion: "Our town should build a new library." Which reason gives the most specific support?
   The old library is so small that people wait for seats.
   Lots of people like libraries a lot.
   A new library would be nice for everyone.
   Libraries are really, really great.

5. Should your class have a job chart? Write your opinion and two different reasons for it.

Opinion _____

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Reason 1 _____

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Reason 2 _____

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