Support an Opinion

Grade 3 Writing Worksheet - Challenge Me

Name _____ Date _____

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Reason 1 _____

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Reason 2 _____

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Closing _____

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