Rights and Responsibilities

Grade 3 Social Studies Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

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   - Then you get to choose the lesson.
   - Then recess can start sooner.
   - Everyone shares the room and deserves to learn.
   - Then the teacher gives fewer tests.

2. Which action protects the right to use the library for everyone?
   - hiding books for yourself
   - writing notes in library books
   - handling books gently
   - keeping a book you really like

3. Kai has the right to play at the park. Which of these is his responsibility?
   - choosing his favorite slide
   - bringing a ball to the park
   - playing at the park after school
   - giving others a turn on the swings

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   - Others might lose their rights.
   - Everyone would get more rights.
   - The rules would get easier.
   - Nothing would change at all.

5. Which responsibility goes with the right to play at the public park?
   - use the park any day it is open
   - bring friends to the park
   - pick which games to play
   - follow the park's posted rules

6. At the library, which of these is a right, not a responsibility?

- using a quiet voice in the library
- paying for a lost book
- returning books by the due date
- reading any book on the shelves

7. Which pair puts a right first and its matching responsibility second?

- ride the school bus; stay seated while it moves
- ride the school bus; choose any seat you want
- ride the school bus; sing loudly with friends
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- So shops can put out more signs.
- So bikes can go faster on them.
- So neighbors can walk safely too.
- So the sidewalk stays new longer.

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- talking over everyone the whole time
- listening to a classmate's idea
- sharing her idea when called on
- raising her hand to speak

10. Which sentence is true?

- Children have no rights at school.
- Responsibilities help protect everyone's rights.
- Rights mean you can ignore the rules.
- Only adults have responsibilities.

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