



Main Idea & Supporting Details

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 1

Part A: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. A supporting _____ gives more information.
2. The main _____ is what a story is mostly about.
3. We use details to _____ the main idea.
4. A _____ about dogs might say they are loyal.
5. The big _____ of a story is its main idea.
6. Clues in the text help us find the _____ idea.
7. Each detail connects back to the _____.
8. Details can be _____ from a passage.
9. A paragraph has one main _____ and many details.

Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each item to its correct answer.

The zoo has many animals.	→ _____	A main idea about the zoo
We play at recess.	→ _____	A main idea about school
Books help us learn.	→ _____	A main idea about reading
Winter is very cold.	→ _____	A main idea about seasons

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