

Name _____ Date _____

1. What is the author's purpose for writing this book?
 - Ⓐ to inform
 - Ⓑ to entertain
 - Ⓒ to persuade
2. What is the main idea of this book?
 - Ⓐ Always wash your animals with soap.
 - Ⓑ Wash your hands after specific daily activities.
 - Ⓒ Remind an adult to help you wash your hands.
3. When are two times you should wash your hands?
 - Ⓐ after a bath and after you eat
 - Ⓑ before using the restroom and before you play in the mud
 - Ⓒ before you eat and after you dig
4. Why should you wash between your fingers?
 - Ⓐ because dirt and germs can hide there
 - Ⓑ so that you can tickle your fingers
 - Ⓒ because it is fun to wash your hands
5. Listen to this sentence: *The soap is **between** my fingers.* What does the word **between** mean?
 - Ⓐ to move one's hand gently over something
 - Ⓑ the bubbling effect the soap and water make
 - Ⓒ the space that separates two things
6. **Extended Response:** Have the student write or dictate why washing his or her hands throughout the day is important.

Instructions: Sit next to the student and read the first question as you run your finger under the words. Ask the student to wait to answer until you have read all the choices. Repeat them if necessary. Have the student choose the best answer. Repeat with the remaining questions.

Quick Check Answer Sheet

Wash Your Hands

Main Comprehension Skill: Author's Purpose

1. Ⓐ *Author's Purpose*
2. Ⓑ *Main Idea and Details*
3. Ⓒ *Main Idea and Details*
4. Ⓐ *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
5. Ⓒ *Vocabulary*
6. Answers will vary but should include that washing your hands keeps them clean, kills the germs, and helps keep you healthy.

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