

Name: _____ Date _____

Carl the Complainer

PART A

Directions: Read each question below and write each answer in a complete sentence. Do not begin your sentence with BECAUSE or AND.

1. What is the genre of this story? _____

2. Who is the author? _____

3. Why is Carl called the Complainer? _____

4. What is a petition? _____

5. Where were the first petitions ever found? _____

6. What did Americans sign a petition for in the 1830's?

7. What did the kids make a petition for? _____

8. How did the kids get the people to sign their petition? _____

PART B

Directions: Fill in the sentences below with the correct word. Each word will only be used once.

annoy	shrugged	signature	complain	mumbled
P.M.	unclear	replant	preschool	disappearing

1. The little kids learned the ABC's at _____ .
2. The grouchy old man _____ that he didn't want to answer the door.
3. Please don't _____ others by talking too much.
4. We had to _____ the cactus.
5. He did not know the answer, so he _____ his shoulders.
6. I wish there were something we could do besides _____ about what we didn't like.
7. At 2:30 _____ school is dismissed.
8. The magician performed a _____ act.
9. Write your name where is says _____.
10. It was _____ whether we needed to renew our books .