ISTEP

Social Studies
Grade 5

Oakdale School

Practice Set 1
Read this information.

There is a street near Oakdale School that does not have a crosswalk. Some students from the school and their parents are concerned about safety while crossing the street. A meeting is held to discuss what to do. Some of the people write letters to the city council to ask for a crosswalk. The local newspaper also publishes letters from parents that explain the problem and ask for support. Later, a group of concerned citizens gathers in front of City Hall to show support for a crosswalk. The citizens carry signs that say “We Need a Crosswalk” and “Safety First.”

Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) Freedom of speech

2) Freedom of press

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

They need a crosswalk for safety so they write letters, publish newspaper ads about and hold signs.

2 pts
The response contains two correct rights stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group (Freedom of speech; freedom of press) (rubric bullets 2 and 4), and one correct way the members of the group are being good citizens (need a crosswalk for safety so they write letters...).
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Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) The members of the group had the right to speak their mind.
2) They also had the right to disagree with authority and stand up for what they think is right.

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens. The members want the other citizens of the town to be safe.

2 pts
The response contains two correct rights stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group (right to speak their mind; right to disagree with authority and stand up for what they think is right) (rubric bullets 2 and 5), and one correct way the members of the group are being good citizens (want the other citizens of the town to be safe).
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There is a street near Oakdale School that does not have a crosswalk. Some students from the school and their parents are concerned about safety while crossing the street. A meeting is held to discuss what to do. Some of the people write letters to the city council to ask for a crosswalk. The local newspaper also publishes letters from parents that explain the problem and ask for support. Later, a group of concerned citizens gathers in front of City Hall to show support for a crosswalk. The citizens carry signs that say "We Need a Crosswalk" and "Safety First."

Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) The citizens protested.

2) Plus, they used freedom of the press

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

They are helping support their community.

2 pts

The response contains two correct rights stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group (citizens protested; freedom of the press) (rubric bullets 5 and 4), and one correct way the members of the group are being good citizens (helping support their community).
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There is a street near Oakdale School that does not have a crosswalk. Some students from the school and their parents are concerned about safety while crossing the street. A meeting is held to discuss what to do. Some of the people write letters to the city council to ask for a crosswalk. The local newspaper also publishes letters from parents that explain the problem and ask for support. Later, a group of concerned citizens gathers in front of City Hall to show support for a crosswalk. The citizens carry signs that say “We Need a Crosswalk” and “Safety First.”

Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) **They used signs.**

2) **They also had a meeting.**

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

**They are not using weapons.**

1 pt

The response contains no correct rights stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group. Simply having a meeting is not clear enough to receive credit as rubric bullet point 1 and as a right in part 1 of the response. The act of making signs is not clear enough to be given credit as the right of free speech. A response must contain two correct rights to receive credit for the first portion of the response.

The response contains one correct way the members of the group are being good citizens (They are not using weapons).
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Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) One right is freedom.

2) Another right is safety.

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

One way is they want safety.
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Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) One right in the Bill of Rights is the freedom of speech.
2) Another right in the Bill of Rights is the freedom of religion.

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

One way they are being good citizens is they are trying to make the community safer.

1 pt

The response contains one correct right stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group (freedom of speech) (rubric bullet 2), and one incorrect right (freedom of religion). A response must contain two correct rights to receive credit for the first portion of the response.

The response contains one correct way the members of the group are being good citizens (trying to make the community safer).
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1) Safety First

2) We Need a Crosswalk

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

They are wanting their kids to be safe.
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Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) They used signs to “say we need sidewalks and safety first.”
2) They wrote letter to the city hall and school council

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

They read the letters!

0 pts
The response contains no correct rights stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group (used signs to “say we need widewalks”; wrote letter to the city hall and school council). Using the signs is not clearly freedom of speech and writing the letters is not clearly petitioning the government. A response must contain two correct rights to receive credit for the first portion of the response.

The response contains no correct ways the members of the group are being good citizens (They read the Letters!).
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1) \( \frac{3}{4} \) have to agree on the bill.

2) The bill has to have a reason.

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

It reduces death.

0 pts

The response contains no correct rights stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group (\(3/4 \) have to agree on the bill; bill has to have a reason). A response must contain two correct rights to receive credit for the first portion of the response.

The response contains no correct ways the members of the group are being good citizens (It reduces death). This is not clear enough to be considered making the community safer.
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Individual rights of citizens are guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. Name TWO rights included in the Bill of Rights that the members of the group used.

1) to Support the Citizens

2) and Safe Citizens

Describe ONE way the members of the group are being good citizens.

by being safe

0 pts

The response contains no correct rights stated in the Bill of Rights used by the members of the group (to support the citizens; and safe citizens). A response must contain two correct rights to receive credit for the first portion of the response.

The response contains no correct ways the members of the group are being good citizens (by being safe). This is not clear enough to be considered making the community safer.