Lesson 2 Write Reasons

Think about asking your teacher or your parent for something special, like an extra recess or dessert. Would you give reasons why you think you deserve the treat? Of course you would!

It is the same when you write an opinion. You must give good reasons why you think your opinion is true. Imagine you are writing a note to your parent asking for a later bedtime. Circle good reasons for your opinion.

I am sleepy.

I want to finish reading a good

book.

I do not have school in the morning.

I am not sleepy yet.

You let me stay up late last night.

I have to get up early in the morning.

Now, think about the book you wrote about on page 87. Why did you like it or not like it? Maybe you thought the story was exciting or dull. Maybe you liked the pictures or did not like the ending. It is up to you! Below, list three reasons for your opinion.

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