Beaver Source Search

Find information and match it to its source.

2.R.1.B "Locate information in reference texts, electronic resources, interviews, or provided sources."

NAME _____ DATE _____

1 READ AND MARK

Read it twice

YOUR JOB Underline the name of each source. Circle one fact you can find in each source so you can match information to its source.

Learning About Beavers

1. A wildlife guide says beavers have wide, flat tails. The guide explains that a beaver can slap its tail on water to warn other beavers about danger. The guide also shows a beaver's webbed back feet.

2. A park website has a photo of a beaver lodge. It says beavers pile sticks and mud to make the lodge. The entrance is under water, which helps keep some animals out.

3. Ms. Lee, a park ranger, was asked where beavers live. She said beavers need water and often live near ponds, streams, or rivers. She also said their dams can slow water and make ponds.

2 ANSWER WITH EVIDENCE

Use the passage

1. Which source tells what beavers use to make a lodge?

2. According to Ms. Lee, where do beavers often live?

3. Which source could tell you how beavers warn other beavers?

3 YOUR TURN

Your own words

Write a question about beavers that the passage can answer but the questions above did not ask. Name the source you would use, then write the answer you found.

ANSWER KEY

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PART 1 · READ AND MARK

Underline the name of each source. Circle one fact you can find in each source so you can match information to its source. Accept any marking that follows this job and points at the right text.

PART 2 · ANSWERS

#	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	Which source tells what beavers use to make a lodge?	**The park website.**
2	According to Ms. Lee, where do beavers often live?	**Near ponds, streams, or rivers.**
3	Which source could tell you how beavers warn other beavers?	**The wildlife guide.**

PART 3 · YOUR TURN (SAMPLE ANSWER)

What helps keep some animals out of a beaver lodge? I would use the park website. It says the entrance is under water.

Accept any new, answerable question based on an unused passage detail. The student should name the matching source and give an accurate answer from that source.