

Supporting details

Grade 3 Writing Worksheet

Circle the detail that best supports the main idea.

The **main idea** is the most important part of the message. **Supporting details** help explain, describe or prove the main idea.

Main Idea: Kids should have TVs in their bedrooms.

Supporting Details:

- Kids would have fewer fights with their siblings over what to watch if they each had their own TV in their bedroom.
- Televisions come in many sizes.
- The first television was invented in 1927.

Then write two more supporting details to support the main idea.

1.

2.





Answers

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Supporting details can vary.