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## Lesson Vs. Subject

**Directions:** Read the passage below carefully. After reading, review the list of statements. Decide whether each statement is a **Theme** (a lesson or message about life) or a **Topic** (a subject or focus of the passage).



### The Bridge of Planks

Every morning, villagers crossed a narrow wooden bridge to reach the market. When the bridge broke one day, everyone was afraid to try crossing.

Only Ravi, a quiet boy, suggested working together to build a new one. Some villagers doubted him, but others brought wood and rope to help. As they built side by side, laughter and teamwork filled the air.

The finished bridge was stronger than before because many hands had worked on it. From then on, the villagers remembered the power of unity and cooperation.

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. Cooperation and teamwork can solve big problems.

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. The villagers built a stronger bridge.

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. The wooden bridge in the village.

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. Unity makes communities stronger.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. Market day in the village.