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Match The Question

Directions: Read the passage below. Review the **sample answers** that follow. Match each answer with the type of question it would respond to:

- **Literal Question** - based directly on details in the text.
- **Inferential Question** - based on clues, reasoning, or interpretation.
- **Evaluative Question** - based on judgment, opinion, or personal connection.

Write *Literal*, *Inferential*, or *Evaluative* next to each sample answer.

During the spring festival, the town square was filled with colorful lanterns, music, and food stalls. Children ran around with painted masks, while families sampled dumplings and sweet rice cakes. A stage had been set up where dancers performed in traditional costumes. Mei, visiting with her parents, was fascinated by the way the costumes shimmered under the lights.

Later, her grandmother explained that the festival was held each year to celebrate the arrival of spring and to bring the community together. As Mei listened, she realized the event wasn't just fun; it carried history and meaning. Walking home, she thought about how traditions keep people connected across generations.

Sample Answers (to be matched)

1. "The festival was held to celebrate the arrival of spring and bring the community together." → _____
2. "Mei probably felt proud of her community and curious about the traditions after hearing her grandmother's explanation." → _____
3. "I think festivals are important because they give people a sense of belonging and preserve cultural traditions." → _____
4. "Children wore painted masks, and dancers performed in traditional costumes." → _____
5. "If the festival didn't happen every year, some traditions might eventually be forgotten." → _____

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