

Name \_\_\_\_\_



## Time Tale Sprint

**Directions:** Complete each mini-story by filling in the blanks with **for** or **during** so the story makes sense. Read each one carefully to decide if it shows *how long* something happened or *when* it happened.

1. The rain started early in the morning. \_\_\_\_\_ the storm, Leo built a fort inside his living room. He stayed there \_\_\_\_\_ two hours, reading comic books and eating snacks.
2. Our family went to the zoo last Sunday. \_\_\_\_\_ the afternoon, we saw lions, elephants, and penguins. We rested on a bench \_\_\_\_\_ thirty minutes before heading home.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ the school talent show, Nora played the violin beautifully. Everyone clapped \_\_\_\_\_ a full minute after she finished.
4. My cousin stayed with us \_\_\_\_\_ two weeks in the summer. \_\_\_\_\_ that time, we went swimming, built sandcastles, and watched fireworks at night.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ the movie, the lights flickered, but the audience stayed calm. We waited in our seats \_\_\_\_\_ ten minutes until everything worked again.