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Reason Connection Answer Key

1. C
2. A
3. B
4. D

Teacher's Guide

Purpose of the Skill

- Helps students understand how **reasons** and **examples** work together in expository writing.
- Strengthens the ability to identify evidence that directly supports an idea.
- Builds organization skills for future paragraph and essay writing.

Teaching Tips

- Review the meaning of **reason** vs **example** before starting.
- Ask students guiding questions such as: Which example proves the reason? Which detail fits best?
- Model one match aloud and explain why it works.

Extension Activities

- Students write a short paragraph using one reason and two examples from the activity.
- Have students create their own sets of reasons and examples for classmates to match.
- Connect the lesson to informational reading by identifying reasons and examples in a nonfiction text the class is studying.