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Grateful Garden Harvest Answer Key

The following answers are the most logical fits based on the Word Bank, though some variation is acceptable for younger learners.

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| 1. Family | 4. Teacher |
| 2. Play | 5. Snacks |
| 3. Home | 6. Friends |

Teacher Guide

Purpose: This activity helps students in Grade 1 and Grade 2 practice sentence completion and vocabulary related to the theme of gratitude. It encourages reflection on social and emotional well-being.

Engagement Tips

- **The Gratitude Circle:** Before starting the worksheet, have students sit in a circle and share one thing they are thankful for using the phrase "I am thankful for..."
- **Visual Aids:** Draw a large "Gratitude Tree" on the whiteboard. As students finish their worksheets, they can write one of their words on a paper leaf to tape onto the tree.

Differentiation

- **For Struggling Learners:** Provide a "stamping" or "cut and paste" option where students can physically move word tiles into the blanks rather than writing them.
- **For Advanced Learners:** Ask students to choose one completed sentence and write a second sentence explaining "Why" they are thankful for that specific thing.

Extension Ideas

- **Illustration:** On the back of the paper, have students draw a picture of the sentence they liked most.
- **Letter Writing:** Encourage students to take one of their sentences (e.g., about their teacher or family) and turn it into a small "Thank You" note to give to that person.