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Date _____

Public vs. Private Goods - Answer Key

Read each question and circle the correct answer.

1. What bookstore does the narrator visit?

A. Books at the Corner

C. Reading in Corners

☒ B. Corner Reads

2. What book does the narrator buy from the bookstore?

A. *Rooms and Secrets*

☒ C. *The Secret Room*

B. *The Room's Secret*

3. Why do the narrator and Grandma go to the library?

☒ A. To borrow a book

C. To give the library a book

B. To buy a book

4. True or False: Library books are a public good.

☒ A. True

B. False

5. Public goods are for { }.

☒ A. everyone

C. one person

B. no one

6. Private goods are for { }.

A. everyone

☒ C. one person or group

B. no one

7. True or False: A bottle of water is a public good.

A. True

☒ B. False

8. Which is a private good?

A. A city sidewalk

B. A highway

☒ C. Your neighbor's car

9. Which is a public good?

A. The driveway to a house

C. Vegetables in someone's garden

☒ B. A traffic light

10. True or False: Both public goods and private goods can involve waiting.

☒ A. True

B. False