

# Who Owns the Problem?

Activity F

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Section 5:3

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_\_\_

For each of the following situations, identify who owns the problem. Then describe the steps the people involved could take to resolve their conflict.

1. Jenna and Katie share a bedroom. Jenna leaves her clothes on the floor and only picks them up when it's time to do laundry. Katie does not like the mess when her friends come over. \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Frank's neighbor parks his car so it blocks Frank's driveway. As a result, Frank can't back his own car out to go to school in the morning. \_\_\_\_\_

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3. The English teacher assigns a group debate. However, two of your team members do not do their share of preparation. They are not ready to debate on your assigned day. \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Kari makes plans to drive her friends to a movie Friday night. When she asks her dad for the car, however, she learns that he will need it since he is working late. \_\_\_\_\_

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