They Could Do Better

Read each story below. Choose your answers from the bubble-gum machine. Write them on the lines.

1. When no one was looking, James took a piece of bubble gum from the candy counter and chewed it. Then he left the store.

What was James doing? ______________________

What should he have done? ______________________

2. Dad’s boss, Mr. Hill, came for dinner. Zach burped during the meal. He laughed. His dad looked angry.

What did Zach do wrong? __________________________________________

What should he have done? __________________________________________

3. While Mom was gone, Ashley played with matches. When Mom came home, she sniffed the air and said, “Ashley, did you light some matches?” Ashley said, “No, Mom, I didn’t.”

What was Ashley doing? ____________________________________________

What should she have done? ________________________________________

4. Becky and Cindy saw a boy trip and fall down. Becky pointed at him and told Cindy to look. Then they laughed. The boy looked away sadly.

What did Becky and Cindy do? ______________________________________

What should they have done? ________________________________________

On a piece of paper, write the name of a person in your class who has good manners. Explain why you came to that conclusion.
Page 22
1. stealing; paid for it; 2. showed bad manners; said “Excuse me”; 3. lying; told the truth; 4. hurt his feelings; helped him