

<p>Words and phrases in context, Clarification...</p> <p>What does the word/phrase ... mean in this passage?</p> <p>What does the phrase ... refer to in the following sentence?</p> <p>Which two words from the passage have about the same meaning?</p> <p>Which word has the OPPOSITE meaning of the word...?</p> <p>Which pair of words from the passage are most OPPOSITE in meaning?</p> <p>What information would you expect to find under the subheading ...?</p> <p>What does the word ... tell you about ...?</p> <p>*Why does the author refer to ... as ...? Support your answer with details and information from the text.</p> <p>In this sentence from the article, which word means almost the same as ...?</p> <p>Read this sentence from the passage. What does the word ... mean?</p> <p>Which word describes BOTH the... and the ...?</p> <p>Which words from the story create a ... mood?</p> <p>Which word BEST describes...?</p> <p>By using the word... rather than said, the author shows that... is...</p>	<p>Main idea, plot, summarization, author's purpose...</p> <p>What is the main idea of ...?</p> <p>Why did the author entitle this text ...?</p> <p>What is the main idea of paragraph ...?</p> <p>*How does the article express the idea that ...? Support your answer with details and information from the text.</p> <p>What details in the text support the idea that ...?</p> <p>How do ... and ... suggest the central idea that ...?</p> <p>Which title would be MOST appropriate for this passage?</p> <p>What is one possible reason that ...</p> <p>*How does the writer use ... to develop this text? Use details and information from the text to support your answer.</p> <p>Why does the author recommend ...?</p> <p>Retell a portion of this story/text.</p> <p>Which sentence gives the best summary?</p> <p>The details in the last paragraph tell...</p> <p>This story was written to...</p> <p>What conclusion can be drawn about ...?</p> <p>What idea is developed in this poem?</p>
<p>Author's purpose and/or point of view...</p> <p>What was MOST LIKELY the author's purpose for ...?</p> <p>What tone/mood is created when the author says ...? Based on the tone of the story, for what purpose would the story MOST LIKELY be told?</p> <p>*What does the author think about ...? Support your answer with details and information from the text.</p> <p>Why did the author arrange the lines of the poem so that ... was mentioned before ...?</p> <p>What is the purpose of paragraph ...?</p> <p>Why did the author include ...?</p> <p>*What is MOST LIKELY the author's point of view in this article? Support your answer with details and information from the text.</p> <p>Why does the author use in paragraph ...?</p> <p>Why did the author begin with ...?</p> <p>With which statement would the author MOST LIKELY agree?</p> <p>What does the author mean when s/he writes ...?</p> <p>The author would most likely want to read which of the following stories/articles?</p>	<p>Comparisons, Cause and Effect relationships...</p> <p>How are ... and ... ALIKE? How do ... and ... DIFFER?</p> <p>What information is included in the maps but excluded from the text of the article?</p> <p>*In what ways are ... and ... alike? Use details from the text to support your answer.</p> <p>What were the differences between ... and ...?</p> <p>What caused ... to ...?</p> <p>Why did ... happen to ...?</p> <p>What was the effect of ...?</p> <p>*Describe how the ... reacted to ... Use details and information from the passage to support your answers.</p> <p>According to the article, which statement BEST describes the reasons for ...?</p> <p>What caused ... to ...? What effect did ... have on ...?</p> <p>What are the events that caused ... to happen?</p> <p>What might happen if ...?</p> <p>Which comparison can be made between the main character in "... " and the main character in "... "?</p>

Character development, elements of plot, conflicts/resolutions, setting...

How is the setting of this story important to the plot?

*What was the (weather) like at the time of ... and why did it make ... difficult? Include details from the article to support your answer.

What problem (conflict) do the characters in this story face? How is the issue resolved?

Which of the following BEST describes where the story took place?

What was the MAIN problem that faced?

*What did ... 's behavior reveal about his personality and values at the beginning, middle, and end of the story? Use details and information from the story to support your answer.

*Do you think would make a good? Support your answer with details and information from the passage.

What did ...'s reaction toward the ... show about his personality?

Which of the following pairs of words BEST describes ...?

*Who was most to blame for the conflict in the story? Use details and information from the passage to support your answer.

*What chain of events made ... decide to ...? Use details and information from the passage to support your answer.

How does the poet use (metaphor, simile, rhyme, alliteration, personification, etc.) in this poem to ...?

How does ...'s character change from the beginning to the end of the text?

*Why does ... avoid telling ... about ...? Support your answer with details and information from the poem.

What is the setting of this scene?

What problem did... face?

Read these sentences from the passage. What mood is created by these sentences?

Which of the following sentences tells something ... would have said?

What is it about the setting that causes ... to be ...?

Which sentence BEST shows that... began to ...?

In the end, the main character... because s/he wants others to think...

Checks validity and accuracy of information/ Strong and weak arguments/Author's point of view/opinion...

Which words or phrases express a judgment by the author?

Which quotation BEST supports the author's argument for ...?

How well does the author present his or her case?

Which part of the author's writing weakens her argument?

What fact from the article does the chart/graph support? How does the bar graph support the information in the article?

Why does the author begin the article with a quotation from ...? What does the author use to support his idea that ...?

According to the article, what is the weakest excuse for ...?

Which statement would ... MOST likely use as an excuse for ...?

Which statement provides the BEST evidence of ...?

*How does the author support his statement that ...? Support your answer with details and information from the text.

*Describe how ... demonstrated his sense of ... Use details and information from the text to support your answer.

*What facts does the author use to support his point that ...? Use details and information from the text and chart to support your answer.

For which research project could the information in this article BEST be used?

With which statement would the author MOST likely agree? Disagree?

*How did ... contribute to the development of ...? Support your answer with details and information from the passage.

What evidence does the author give to support his opinion that ...?

*How is ... different from ...? How does this comparison STRENGTHEN or WEAKEN the author's argument that ...? Support your answer using details and information from the article.

*Why is it so difficult for ... to support his findings? Use details and information from the article to support your answer.

Which pair of sentences best supports the idea that ...?

Which statement BEST describes the author's view on...?

What does the author use to support the information in the article?

A. Expert opinion B. findings from surveys C. scientific research D. personal experience

Which information from the article supports ...'s idea that ...?

**Locates, organizes and interprets/ Uses variety of reference/
Synthesizes and separates collected info...**

*What did all of the ... have in common? Support your answer with details and information from BOTH the (chart, graph, map) and the text.
*How did ... contribute to the formation of ...? Support your answer with details and information from the passage.
How does ... compare with ...?
What conclusion can be drawn from the ...?
What information is included in BOTH the article and the chart/graph/map?
Based on the information in the chart/graph/map, what can be stated about ...?
In what way is the information presented in the chart/graph/map different from that in the article?
What does the information in the article imply about ...?
*Look at the pictures of ... Why would ... need ...? Use details and information from BOTH the article and the chart/graph/map to support your answer.
*What plans would a person need to make to observe a ...? Use details and information from the article and map/chart/graph to support your answer.
What can be confirmed by BOTH the article and the chart/graph/map/picture?
*Identify the various factors that contributed to ... during ... Use details and information from BOTH articles to answer.
How could the information in both of these articles BEST be used?
*Explain why ...'s success as ... was somewhat surprising. Use details and information from the article.
Which comparison between ... and ... is BEST supported by the table?
*Using details and information from the article, summarize the main points of the text. For a complete and correct response, consider these points: its history, its interesting features, why it is a ...

Sequencing Moral/Lesson/Theme/Mood

What did... do RIGHT BEFORE he...?
In the beginning of the story, ... feels...
Which statement best describes the moral/lesson of the story?
What is the primary topic/essential message of the article/story?
What is the MAIN lesson that can be learned from this story?
What is the THEME of this story?
Which list shows the correct order of the...?
What is the moral of the fable/story?
What lesson can be learned from this poem?
Read these sentences from the passage. What mood is created by these sentences?
What theme is developed in both the previous passage "... " and "... " ?
How is the information in the section "... " arranged?

Base/Root Words

The word... is made up of the base word... **and the suffix...**
What does the suffix... in the word... mean?
What is another word that uses the prefix ... with the same meaning as in ...?
Read this sentence from the passage. Which word has the same base word as ...?
Read this sentence from the passage. What does the word... mean?

Text Features

The heading "... " tells readers...
Just from reading the title of the article, what do you know about...?
Under which heading would you MOST LIKELY find information on ...?
What is the purpose of the picture/map/chart in the passage?
According to the (maps, charts, diagrams), how was ... different from ...?
Which sentence from the passage BEST describes what is happening in the illustration?
What is the purpose of the chart in the section "... " ?
In the section "... ", what is the purpose of the italicized sentence at the beginning?