

Finding Evidence

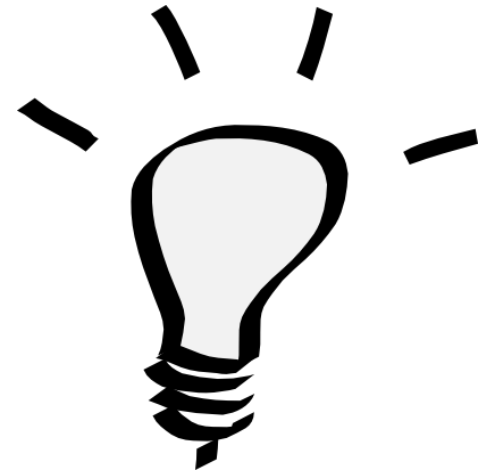


What evidence supports the ideas of this text?

What did you infer from the text?

Which quotes accurately support your explanation or inference?

Big Ideas

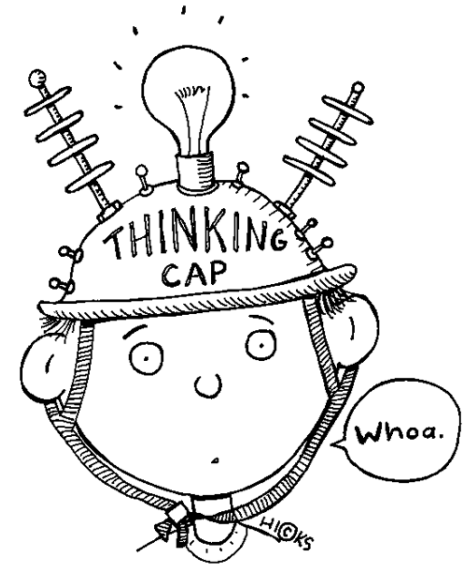


What are the main ideas of this text?

Which details support the main ideas?

Summarize the text in your own words.

Analyze



What are the important facts in this text?

Explain the relationship between the individuals, events, or ideas in the text.

Word Choice

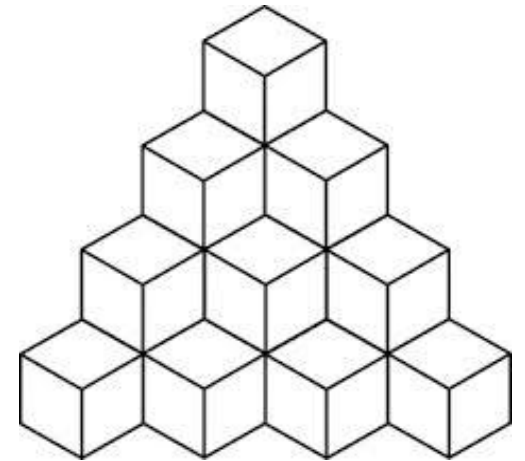


What does _____ mean based on the other words in the sentence?

What are the most important words to talk about in this text?

How do these words help you understand something important about the ideas in the text?

Text Structure



How do the different sections of this text fit together to create the overall structure of the text?

How has the author organized this text: chronological order, cause/effect, problem/solution, compare/contrast?

Point of View/Purpose



Do you think the author is trying to convince you of something? Has the author made a strong claim or argument?

What makes you say this?

Why did the author write about this topic?

Integrate Diverse Media



How does the video, interview, music, or other media source add to or change your understanding of the topic?

How does this media source help support an author's claim or argument?



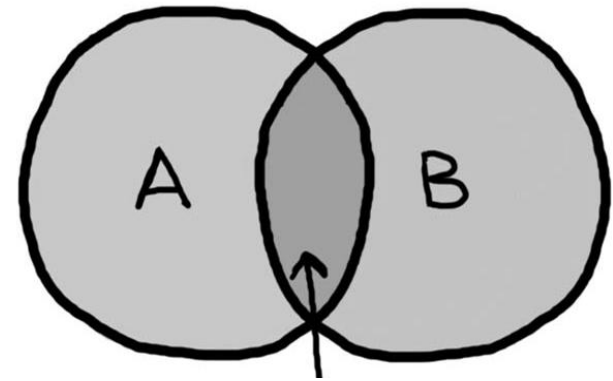
Evaluate

What points is the author trying to make in this part of the text?

Which reasons and evidence support each point?

Did the author include sufficient evidence to make his/her case?

Compare/ Contrast



Think about the information you learned about this topic from multiple sources.

Use the information you have learned to write or speak knowledgeably about the topic.