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Story vs. Information Books

Today's Standard

1.RL.5 - Explain major differences between books that tell stories and books that give information, drawing on a wide reading of a range of text types.

Cues	Notes
What are the differences between storybooks and informational books?	Storybooks often have characters, a plot, and a setting, while informational books provide facts and information on a topic.
Why is it important to understand different text	Understanding different text types helps with comprehension and choosing the right book for a specific purpose.
types?	Illustrations in informational texts can include diagrams, charts, and labeled pictures that help explain the content.
How can illustrations be used in informational texts?	

Summary

Understanding the differences between storybooks and informational books is essential for developing reading comprehension and critical thinking skills. Storybooks tell a narrative, while informational books provide factual information. Both types of books can include illustrations that serve different purposes.