

Cornell Notes

Understanding Text Vocabulary

Today's Standard

2.RI.4 - Determine the meaning of words and phrases in a text relevant to a grade 2 topic or subject area.

Cues	Notes
What are context clues?	Context clues are hints in the text that help us understand the meaning of unfamiliar words.
How can we determine the	
meaning of a word?	We can look at the words and sentences around the unfamiliar word to guess its meaning.
Why is it important to	
understand word meanings in a text?	Understanding word meanings helps us comprehend the text better and learn new information.
What should we do if we encounter an unfamiliar word?	Use context clues first, then check a dictionary if needed.
	Yes, words can have different meanings depending on the context.
Can words have multiple meanings?	

Summary

To understand a text, use context clues to determine the meaning of unfamiliar words. This helps improve reading comprehension and learning.