



Historical and Technical Texts Analysis

Today's Standard

4.RI.3 - Explain events, procedures, ideas, or concepts in a historical, scientific, or technical text, including what happened and why, based on specific information in the text.

Cues	Notes
Main Idea	Main ideas provide the central message of the text.
Supporting Details	Supporting details enhance understanding and provide evidence.
Cause and Effect	Cause and effect relationships explain why events happen.
Text Structure	Different texts have unique structures and features.
Key Concepts	Key concepts help in understanding the overall theme of the text.

Summary

Understanding and explaining events, procedures, ideas, or concepts in informational texts involves identifying main ideas, supporting details, and cause-and-effect relationships, while recognizing unique text structures.