



Informative/Explanatory Writing Skills

Today's Standard

6.W.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.

Cues	Notes
What is informative/explanatory writing?	Informative/explanatory writing aims to explain a topic clearly and logically.
Why is structure important in writing?	Structure ensures the text is organized and easy to follow.
How do you select relevant content?	Selecting relevant content keeps the writing focused and coherent.
What are common misconceptions?	Common misconceptions include thinking structure isn't important and overloading with information.
How can graphic organizers help?	Graphic organizers help plan and structure writing effectively.

Summary

Informative/explanatory writing involves clearly explaining a topic with a well-organized structure and relevant content. Avoiding common misconceptions and using tools like graphic organizers can help achieve this.