

Cornell Note

Author's Point of View Analysis

Today's Standard

8.RI.6 - Determine an author's point of view or purpose in a text and analyze how the author acknowledges and responds to conflicting evidence or viewpoints.

Cues	Notes
Author's point of view	The author's point of view is their perspective or opinion on the topic.
Purpose of the text	The purpose of the text is the reason why the author wrote it, such as to inform, persuade, or entertain.
Conflicting evidence	
Implicit clues	Conflicting evidence includes facts or opinions that challenge the author's viewpoint.
Tone and word choice	Implicit clues are hints in the text that suggest the author's point of view without stating it directly.
	Tone and word choice can reveal the author's attitude and perspective.

Summary

Understanding an author's point of view and purpose involves analyzing implicit clues, tone, and how they handle conflicting evidence. This skill is essential for critical reading and evaluating arguments.