

Cornell Mote

Analyzing Adaptations

Today's Standard

8.RL.7 - Analyze the extent to which a filmed or live production of a story or drama stays faithful to or departs from the text or script, evaluating the choices made by the director or actors.

Cues	Notes
What is 8.RL.7?	8.RL.7 involves analyzing how closely a film or live production follows the original text.
Why analyze adaptations?	
	Analyzing adaptations helps understand different interpretations and
What are common misconceptions?	artistic choices.
	Misconceptions include believing all adaptations must be faithful or that
How can adaptations differ?	deviations are failures.
What skills are developed?	Adaptations can differ due to artistic vision, medium constraints, or audience considerations.
	Skills developed include critical thinking, media literacy, and literary analysis.

Summary

8.RL.7 focuses on analyzing the fidelity of adaptations to their original texts, understanding artistic choices, and developing critical analysis skills.