

Informational Text Features

Feature	Helps the Reader	Found in (Book & Page Number)	How it helps you understand your text (Be specific)
Bold Print	By signaling the word is important and/or is in the glossary		
Captions	By explaining a picture or photograph		
Charts	Summarize or compare information		
Diagrams	Understand a more detailed or simple view of information		
Graphs	Understand the connection between ideas		
Headings	Identify the topic of a section		
Photographs	Understand exactly what something looks like		
Subheadings	Identify when new information is introduced		
Table of Contents	Identify the topics in a text and the order they are presented		
Titles	Locate topics in a text and get an overview of the content		