



Close Reading

Title:

The purpose of this text is to

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- Highlight the headings in yellow.
- Read the text.
- Think: What is this text mostly about?
- Discuss: Share your thoughts with your partner.

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- Read the text again.
- Underline the topic sentence in each paragraph in red pencil.
- Circle 3-5 key words in each paragraph.

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- Go back to the text again, looking for evidence that will help you answer the questions.
- Write the question number next to the **text evidence** you used to answer it. (Q1, Q2, Q3, etc.)

The main idea of this article is...

The key details are...

