

Reading Non-Fiction 3





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College and Career Readiness Standards for Reading:

1. Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.
2. Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.
3. Analyze how and why individuals, events and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.
4. Interpret words and phrases as they are used in a text, including determining technical, connotative, and figurative meanings, and analyze how specific word choices shape meaning or tone.





Fiction means something that is made up or invented. **Non-fiction** means something that is true, or not made up.

Non-fiction texts are everywhere. Non-fiction texts may be news articles, books about history or science, cooking recipes or biographies!

Can you think of other non-fiction texts?

It is important to be able to read non-fiction texts just as carefully as you read stories and poems in your English class.



George Washington Carver



Thinking like a journalist





Based on your summary, what is the main idea?



Cause and effect



