

Grade: 8		Mastery Check	
Benchmark#: 8.1.4.10			
State Language: Identifies the topic, main idea (s), supporting details, and theme(s) in text across the content areas and from a variety of sources in appropriate level text.		Student Friendly Language: Identify the main idea, supporting details, topic and theme in a passage.	
Concept (Students will know):	Skills (Students will do):	Topics:	DOK Level:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Main idea(s) • Supporting details • Topic • Theme(s) 	Identify		1
Big Ideas:			
Identifying the main idea, topic, and theme helps the student answer the questions:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who? • What? • Where? • Why? • When? • How? 			
When reading appropriate leveled text.			
Students need to understand theme in order to understand genre and main idea(s) they are reading.			
Essential Questions:			
What is the theme of a passage? If there's more than one theme, which are major and minor?			
What is the main idea of a passage?			
What is the topic?			
What details in the passage support the main idea?			
Which details <i>best</i> support the main idea of the passage?			
Core Materials		Supplemental Materials:	

