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Reading Vocabulary 08/21-08/25

1. Theme- a stories underlying message, or 'big idea
2. Infer- deduce or conclude (information) from evidence and reasoning rather than from explicit statements
3. Evidence- facts or information from the text that you can use to illustrate your ideas and support your arguments
4. Justify-show or prove to be right or reasonable
5. Summarize- give a brief statement of the main points of (something)
6. Supporting Details- sentences that support the main idea
7. Convey -make (an idea, impression, or feeling) known or understandable to someone
8. Compare- to say/show how two or more things or ideas are alike
9. Contrast- to say/show how two or more things or ideas are different
10. Historical Fiction- movies and novels in which a story is made up but is set in the past and sometimes borrows true characteristics of the time period
11. Collaborative- produced by two or more parties working together