

Worksheet: Grade 8 Reading Information

This worksheet includes the criteria from the “Fully Meets Expectations” column of the Quick Scale. Teachers can use the third column to plan instruction or assignments, tailor or elaborate the criteria for specific activities or students, adapt the criteria for other grades/times of year, record observations, or give to students for self-evaluation.

<p><i>Snapshot</i> <i>Note: the snapshot can be used alone as a holistic scale for marking some assignments</i></p>	<p><i>Reads information with some complexity, specialized language and graphics. Work is accurate and complete, providing specific relevant details and examples as required.</i></p>
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Aspect	Fully Meets Expectations (Mar-Apr)	
<p><i>Strategies</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - comprehension strategies - word skills - prior knowledge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • adjusts reading strategies; may need specific direction for more challenging material • uses text features to preview, locate, understand information • uses a variety of strategies for new words 	
<p><i>Comprehension</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - main ideas - details - note-making - inferences 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • accurately restates main ideas in own words; may explain connections among them • locates specific, relevant details as needed • makes accurate, detailed notes using logical categories or headings • makes and supports some general inferences or interpretations 	
<p><i>Analysis</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - connection to prior knowledge - evaluation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • makes some logical connections between new information and prior knowledge and beliefs • offers simple judgments or evaluations and offers some reasons 	