

Unit 1: Analyzing Text Organization and Structure

4.0	Evaluate how the structure of a work contributes to the development of its themes.
3.5	In addition to score 3.0 performance, partial success at score 4.0 content
3.0	RI.7.5 - Explain how the structure of a nonfiction text contributes to its meaning. - Explain how the structure of a story contributes to its meaning. - Explain how the structure of a poem contributes to its meaning.
2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 content, and partial success at score 3.0 content
2.0	Vocabulary: text structure, plot structure, summarize, stanza - Identify different kinds of texts that generally use a particular text structure - Recognize words or phrases that signal the use of a particular text structure - Describe how the structure of a story is different than the structure of an informational text - Identify the different elements of plot structure - Describe how the structure of a poem is different than the structure of a story - Summarize what is stated in a line or stanza of a poem
1.5	Partial success at score 2.0 content, and major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 content
1.0	With help, partial success at score 2.0 content and score 3.0 content
0.5	With help, partial success at score 2.0 content but not at score 3.0 content