

**Main Idea, Gives Supporting Details and Inferences Rubric**

Category	4	3	2	1
Identifies Main Ideas in Reading	Attempts to identify the main idea(s); however, the main idea may be stated incorrectly or may be missing	Identifies the main idea(s), and includes some supporting details.	Identifies the main idea(s) correctly, and includes many supporting details.	Clearly and accurately identifies the main idea(s), and includes most of the relevant supporting details
Expresses Main Ideas and supporting details	May contain few, incorrect or irrelevant details	Much of the response is copied directly from the text. May contain major inaccuracies	Response is written mostly in the student's own words. May contain minor inaccuracies	Response is written in the student's own words.
Makes and supports inferences appropriately	Fails to make an inference, or makes an inference which is illogical or irrelevant	Makes a general inference about character(s) and/or event(s) with few/no supporting details or uses irrelevant details	Makes a general inference about character(s) and/or events(s) with some supporting details, or uses irrelevant details.	Makes logical and relevant inferences about character(s) and/or event(s). Details from the reading support the inferences made.

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