Comprehension

Expository Text Structure

Classic Classifying

Objective

The student will classify information in text.



Expository text

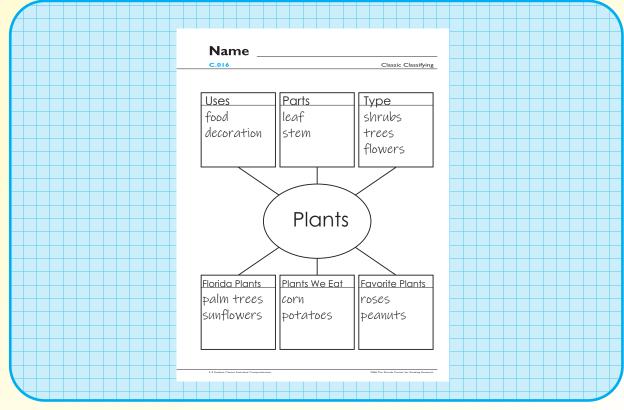
Choose text within students' instructional-independent reading level range.

- Student sheet Write the topic in the center of the organizer and the categories relating to the topic on the line in the squares around the circle and copy.
- Pencil

Activity

Students write words that relate to and describe a category.

- 1. Place text at the center. Provide the student with a student sheet.
- 2. The student reads the text.
- 3. Writes words that describe or relate to the categories in each box.
- 4. Writes main idea sentences based on information in boxes on the back of the student sheet.
- 5. Teacher evaluation



Extensions and Adaptations

- Generate topics, research, and write categories with descriptors relating to the topic.
- ▶ Use student sheet to classify narrative text.

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