My Learning Goal

I can read informational text and use its features to understand more about a topic.

Spotlight on Genre

Informational Text

Informational text tells about real people, animals, places, or events. **Text features** and **graphics** can help you locate and gain information. These features include:

- photos
- subheadings
- maps
- diagrams
- labels
- glossary

Be a Fluent Reader Part of being a fluent reader is reading words correctly. Try this.

- Pick a paragraph that is not too easy or hard.
- Work with a partner. Take turns reading your paragraphs to each other.
- Did you read each word correctly? Use the context of the paragraph to confirm or correct your reading.
- Read your paragraphs until you both read all the words correctly, or with accuracy.

TEKS 2.4 Use appropriate fluency (rate, accuracy, and prosody) when reading grade-level text;
TEKS 2.9.D.ii Recognize characteristics and structures of informational text, including features and graphics to locate and gain information.