



State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR®) Alternate 2  
Performance Level Descriptors  
Grade 7 Reading Language Arts

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When reading texts of increasing complexity, students achieving Accomplished Performance can

- x Use context to determine the meaning of unfamiliar words and multiple-meaning words
- x Make inferences and use text evidence to support understanding of informational and narrative text, with adult assistance
- x Discuss topics in informational texts and themes in narrative texts
- x Use coordinating conjunctions to form compound subjects, predicates, and sentences
- x Revise drafts by adding and deleting ideas to improve sentence structure and word choice

When reading texts of increasing complexity, students achieving Satisfactory Performance can

- x

