

Reading 2-5: Word Meaning: Word Origins, Word Relationships, and Semantics

Use Context Clues

Context Clues: Unknown and Multiple-Meaning Words

Students

Learning Continuum Statements:

Students:

RIT 141-150:

- Determines which homophone completes a sentence
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the K-1 grade band

Students:

RIT 151-160:

- Determines which homophone completes a sentence
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the K-1 grade band

Students:

RIT 161-170:

- Determines which homophone completes a sentence
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 2-5 grade band fits a given context
- Uses context clues to define homophones
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 2-5 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the K-1 grade band

Students:

RIT 171-180:

- Determines which homophone completes a sentence
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 2-5 grade band fits a given context
- Identifies words or phrases that provide sentence-level context for a word
- Uses context to determine the meaning of a phrase
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 2-5 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words or phrases that convey a specific emotion

Students:

RIT 181-190:

- Determines which homophone completes a sentence
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 2-5 grade band fits a given context
- Identifies words or phrases that provide sentence-level context for a word
- Uses context in a grade 03 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 03 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 03 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context to determine the meaning of a phrase
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 2-5 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words or phrases that convey a specific action
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words or phrases that convey a specific emotion
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words or phrases that show a spatial relationship

Students:**RIT 191-200:**

- Determines which homophone completes a sentence
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 2-5 grade band fits a given context
- Identifies words or phrases in context that introduce or signal an example
- Identifies words or phrases that provide sentence-level context for a word
- Uses context in a grade 03 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 03 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 03 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 04 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 04 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 04 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context to confirm initial understanding of words or phrases
- Uses context to determine the meaning of a phrase
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 2-5 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words or phrases that show a compare or contrast relationship

Students:**RIT 201-210:**

- Determines which homophone completes a sentence
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 2-5 grade band fits a given context
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 6-8 grade band fits a given context
- Identifies words or phrases in context that introduce or signal an example
- Identifies words or phrases in context that signal a definition
- Identifies words or phrases that provide paragraph-level context for a word
- Identifies words or phrases that provide sentence-level context for a word
- Uses a dictionary definition to confirm initial understanding of word meaning
- Uses context in a grade 03 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 04 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 04 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 04 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 05 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 05 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 05 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 06 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 06 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 06 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 07 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 07 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 07 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context to confirm initial understanding of words or phrases
- Uses context to determine the meaning of a phrase
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 2-5 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 6-8 grade band

Students:**RIT 211-220:**

- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 2-5 grade band fits a given context
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 6-8 grade band fits a given context
- Identifies words or phrases in context that introduce or signal an example
- Identifies words or phrases in context that signal a definition
- Identifies words or phrases that provide paragraph-level context for a word
- Identifies words or phrases that provide sentence-level context for a word
- Uses a dictionary definition to confirm initial understanding of word meaning
- Uses context in a grade 05 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 05 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 05 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 06 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 06 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 06 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 07 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 07 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 08 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 08 vocabulary
- Uses context to confirm initial understanding of words or phrases
- Uses context to determine the meaning of a phrase
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 2-5 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 6-8 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 9-12 grade band

Students:**RIT 221-230:**

- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 6-8 grade band fits a given context
- Determines which meaning of a multiple-meaning word in the 9-12 grade band fits a given context
- Identifies words or phrases that provide paragraph-level context for a word
- Uses a dictionary definition to confirm initial understanding of word meaning
- Uses context in a grade 06 passage to determine the meaning of above grade 06 vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 06 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context in a grade 08 passage to determine the meaning of multiple-meaning vocabulary
- Uses context to confirm initial understanding of words or phrases
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 6-8 grade band
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 9-12 grade band

Students:**RIT 231-240:**

- Uses a dictionary definition to confirm initial understanding of word meaning
- Uses context to confirm initial understanding of words or phrases
- Uses context to determine the meaning of words in the 9-12 grade band

Students:**RIT 241-250:**

- Uses context to confirm initial understanding of words or phrases

