

# Welcome to Amplify Science!

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# Amplify Science

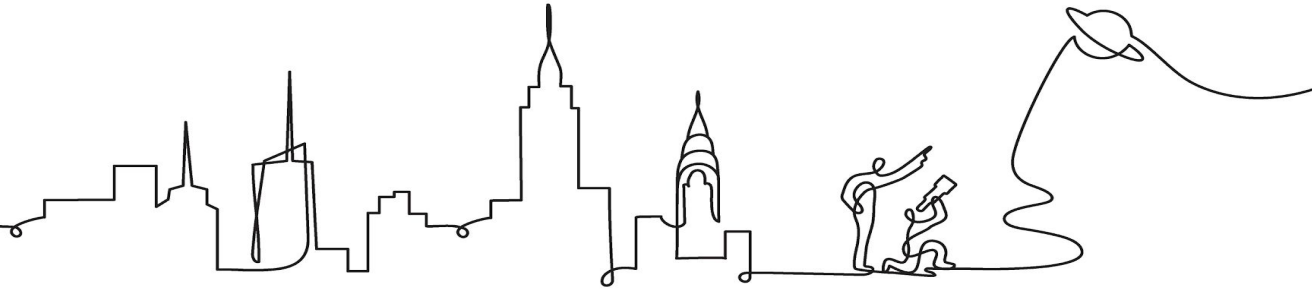
New York City

## Accessing Complex Texts

### Grade 6

Date xx

Presented by xx



# Anticipatory Activity

On the Jamboard, please post your responses to:

- **Question 1:** How do scientists use text ?
- **Question 2:** How do students use text in your science classroom?



# Overarching goals

By the end of this workshop, you will be able to:

- Identify the different roles that text can play in figuring out science concepts.
- Describe how the Amplify Science approach to reading supports students in making sense of science ideas.
- Be ready to teach specific reading strategies for diverse learners.

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# Use two windows for today's webinar

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**Window #2** (right): An Amplify Science curriculum page titled "Lesson 1.2: Using Fossils to Understand Earth". The URL is [apps.learning.amplify.com/curriculu...](https://apps.learning.amplify.com/curriculu...). The page features a large illustration of a blue dinosaur in a prehistoric landscape. Below the illustration, there are sections for "Lesson Brief (4 Activities)", "WARM-UP Warm-Up", "TEACHER-LED DISCUSSION Why Geologists Value Fossils", and "TEACHER-LED DISCUSSION Introducing Mesos". There are also buttons for "RESET LESSON" and "GENERATE PRINTABLE LESSON".



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# Norms: Establishing a culture of learners

- **Take risks:** Ask any questions, provide any answers.
- **Participate:** Share your thinking, participate in discussion and reflection.
- **Be fully present:** Unplug and immerse yourself in the moment.
- **Physical needs:** Stand up, get water, take breaks.



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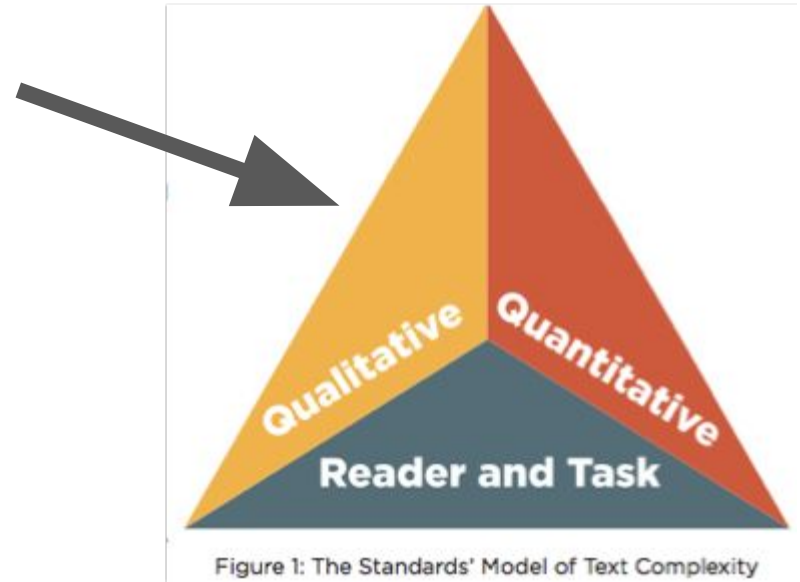
# What is text complexity?



Figure 1: The Standards' Model of Text Complexity

# Qualitative Measures

- Knowledge demands
- Text structure (including visual representations)



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## Lipase-Catalyzed Production of Biodiesel<sup>1</sup>

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**ABSTRACT:** Lipases were screened for their ability to transesterify triglycerides with short-chain alcohols to alkyl esters. The lipase from *Mucor miehei* was most efficient for converting triglycerides to their alkyl esters with primary alcohols, whereas the lipase from *Candida antarctica* was most efficient for transesterifying triglycerides with secondary alcohols to give branched alkyl esters. Conditions were established for converting tallow to short-chain alkyl esters at more than 90% conversion. These same conditions also proved effective for transesterifying vegetable oils and high fatty acid-containing feedstocks to their respective alkyl ester derivatives. *JAOCs* 73, 1191–1195 (1996).

**KEY WORDS:** Alcoholysis, alkyl esters, biodiesel, grease, lipase, rapeseed, soy oil, tallow.

There have been a considerable number of studies that report transesterification and interesterification reactions by using lipases with and without organic solvents (1–6). Recently, research has centered on the use of lipases to transesterify higher-molecular weight fatty acids to alkyl esters. Lipase-catalyzed alcoholyses of sunflower oil (7), rapeseed oil (8), soybean oil, and beef tallow (9) have been reported. The alcoholysis reactions generally involve primary alcohols with a few scattered reports on transesterifications with secondary alco-

ture properties. Another way of improving cold-temperature properties of tallow esters would be to substitute methanol with branched higher-molecular weight alcohols.

Though efficient in terms of reaction yield and time, the chemical approach to synthesizing alkyl esters (18–20) from triglycerides has drawbacks, such as difficulties in the recovery of glycerol, the need for removal of salt residue, and the energy-intensive nature of the process. On the other hand, biocatalysts allow for synthesis of specific alkyl esters, easy recovery of glycerol, and transesterification of glycerides with high free fatty acid (FFA) content. This technology could be extended to transesterification of greases, which are even less expensive than soybean oil and tallow. This process can further be used to synthesize other value-added products, including biodegradable lubricants and additives for fuel and lubricants. Lipase can also be used to introduce other functionalities into alkyl esters that may further improve the cold-temperature properties of the resulting biodiesel. In this paper, we report the lipase-catalyzed synthesis of normal and branched-chain alkyl esters of agriculturally derived triglycerides (TG): vegetable oils, tallow, and restaurant grease.

### MATERIALS AND METHODS

*Materials.* Tallow was obtained from Chemol Corp. (Greens-

# Qualitative Measures

Text structure (including visual representations)

Paragraphs with informational text

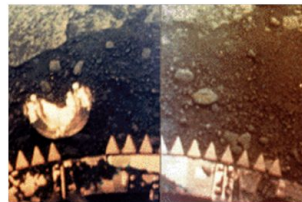
## Investigating Landforms on Venus

Imagine traveling in a spaceship toward the surface of the planet Venus. At first, everything is hidden by thick clouds, but as you get closer, you can see the rocky surface below. As you fly over the surface, you notice strange landforms scattered around. They are raised domes with cracks reaching outward in all directions. These are called novae (NO-vay).

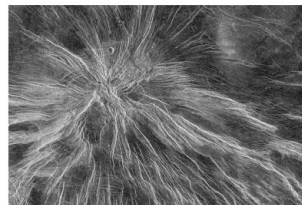
Why do we see novae on Venus but not on Earth? Planetary geologist Taras Gerya (TAR-as GARE-ya) wondered whether two important differences between the two planets might help answer that question. First, Venus's atmosphere is much thicker than Earth's. Its thick atmosphere traps heat from the sun, making Venus much hotter than Earth. The average surface temperature of Earth is a comfortable 14°C (57°F), while the average surface temperature of Venus is a scorching 462°C (864°F)! Second, Gerya thought that possible differences between the geospheres of Earth and Venus might affect how novae are formed. He didn't know for sure, but he thought that the top rock layer on Venus might be the top layer of Earth's crust. It might allow melted rock called magma to flow toward the surface more easily, and then cool and crack to form novae that face upward to form the novae.

To test his ideas about how novae are formed, Gerya built a computer model of Venus. But how? Venus is millions of years old, and the novae there were formed millions of years ago. To test his ideas, Gerya made a computer model of Venus.

Scientists like Gerya get evidence about things that are difficult or



This photo, taken by a spacecraft called Venera, shows the rocky surface of Venus. The triangles in the photo are part of the spacecraft.



Novae are dome-shaped landforms on Venus. They are easy to see from above because they have cracks reaching out from their centers in all directions. The word novae is the plural form of the word nova.



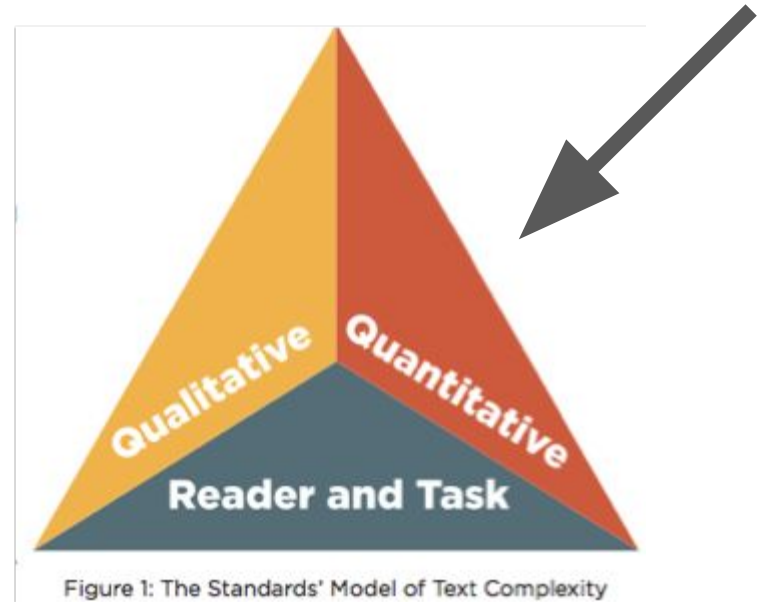
Geologist Taras Gerya built a computer model to test whether the high temperature surface and the planet's thin crust make it possible for novae to form there.

Pictures or diagrams that correspond with the text

Sections for different information. Does not need to be read from start to finish.

# Quantitative Measures

- Sentence length
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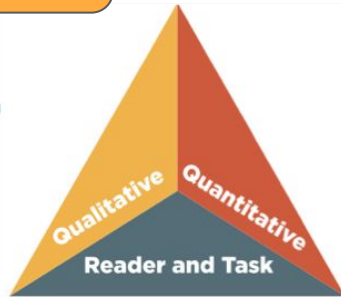


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# Key Takeaway

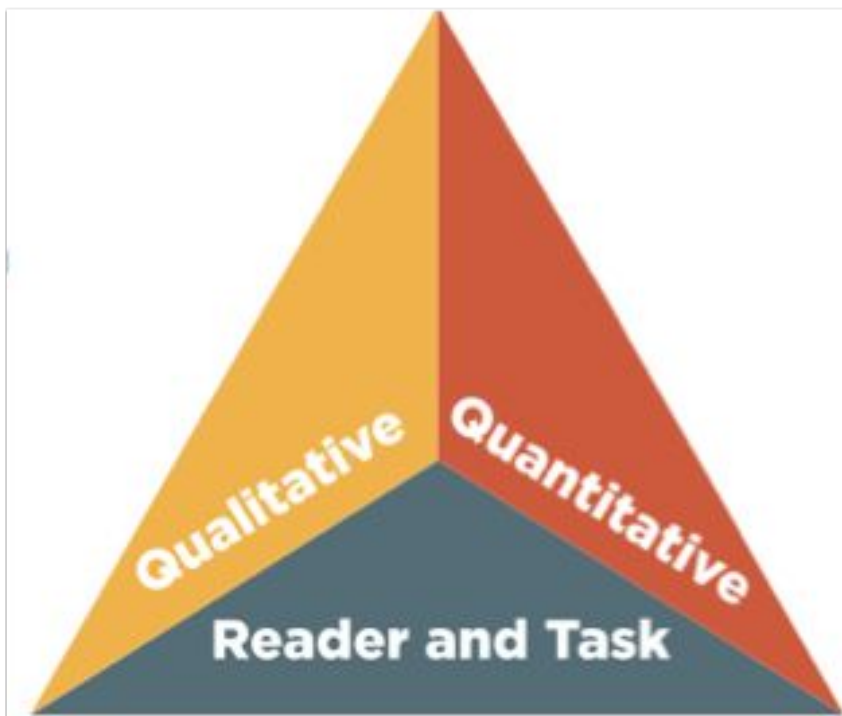
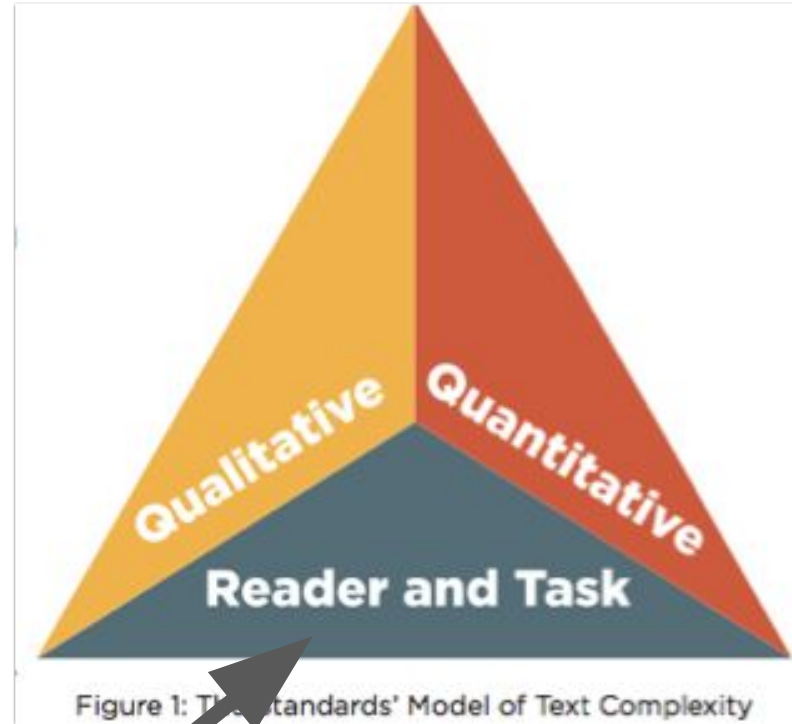
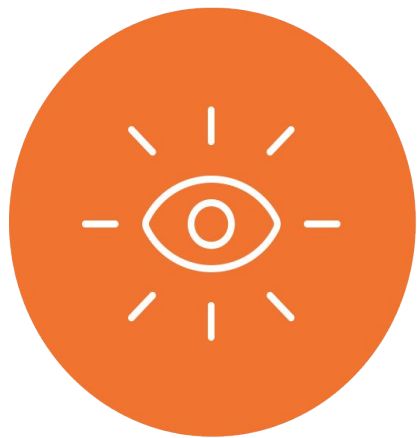


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# Reader and Task Measures

- Background, experience
- Purpose, assignment
- Motivation





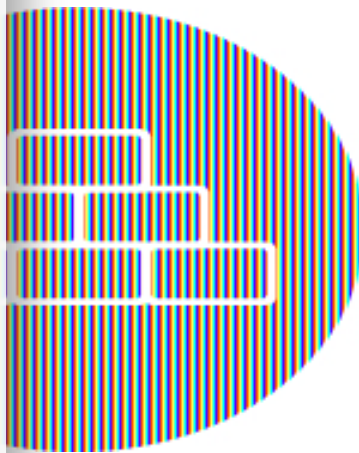
Introduce a **phenomenon** and a related problem



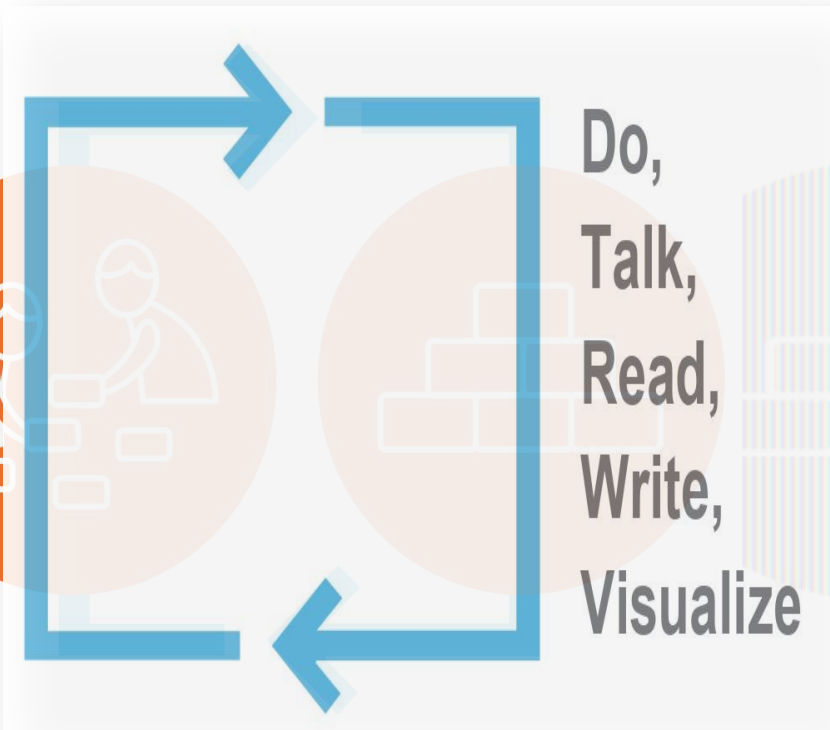
Collect **evidence** from multiple sources



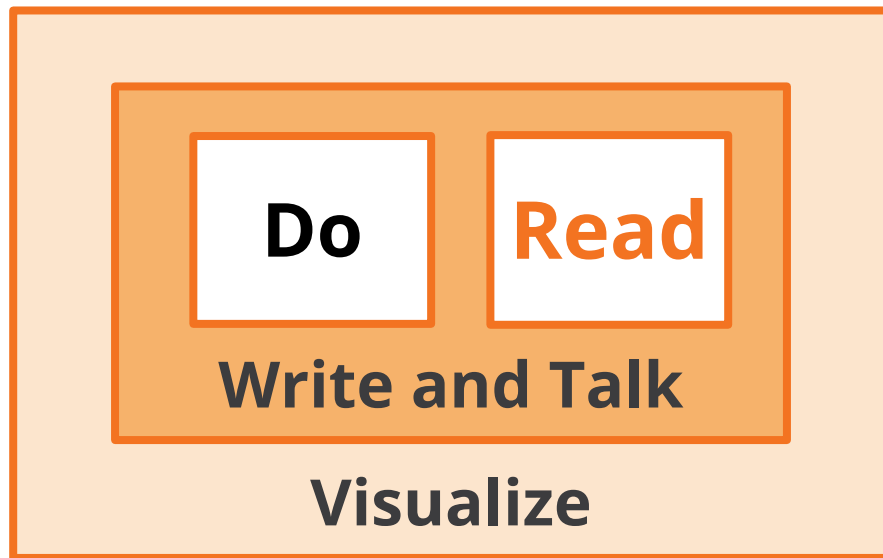
Build increasingly complex **explanations**



**Apply** knowledge to a different context

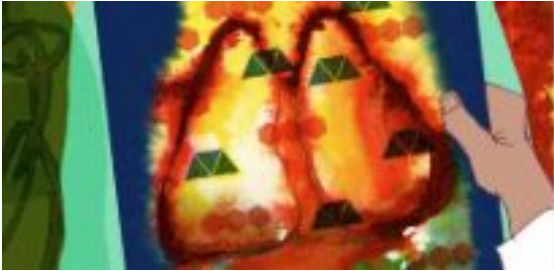


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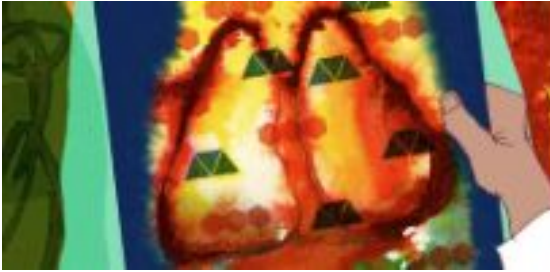


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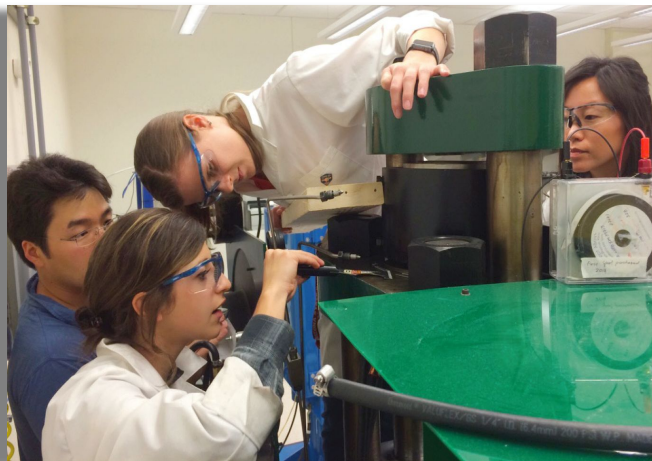
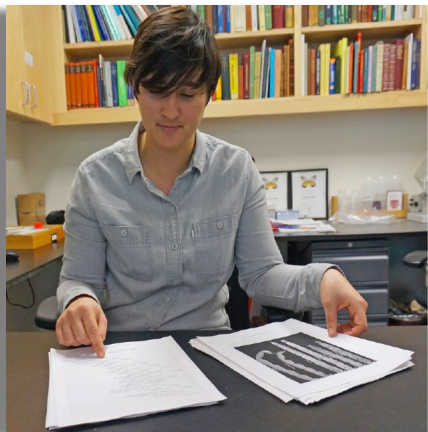
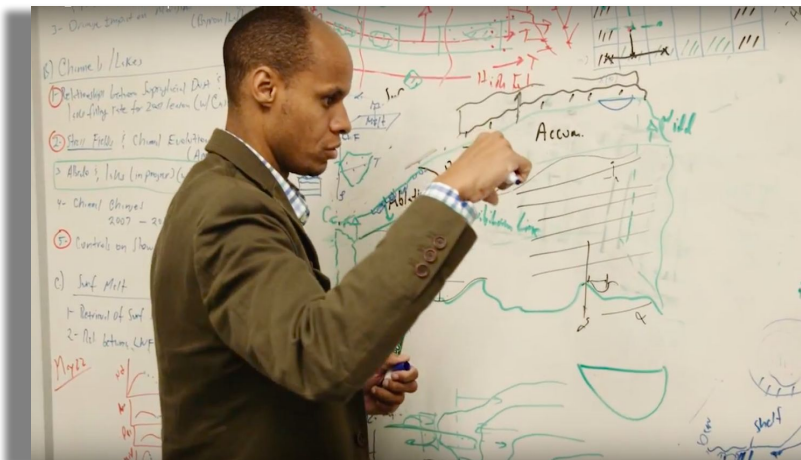
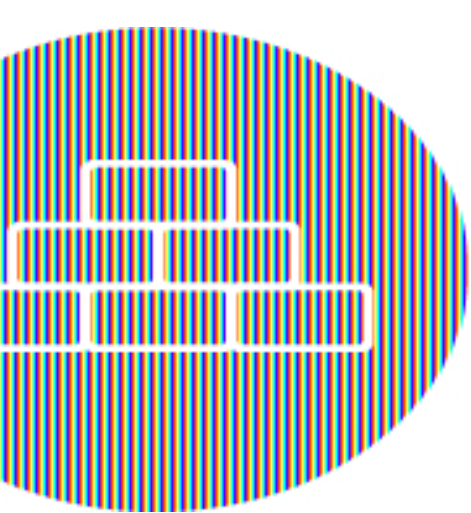
# Reading across Amplify Science units



Students encounter between 1-10 different complex texts in each unit.



In a course: average 5 texts x 9 units =  
minimum 40 opportunities to engage  
with complex texts in one school year





# Reading in Amplify Science

Students are apprenticed into reading like scientists—that is, reading actively, curiously, and critically, with a focus on making meaning and using the text as a source of evidence.



Science texts and data are often complex and research shows that annotation is an important way for a reader to stop and think carefully about what they are reading.

Let's see how this is done in Amplify Science...

# Sample annotation

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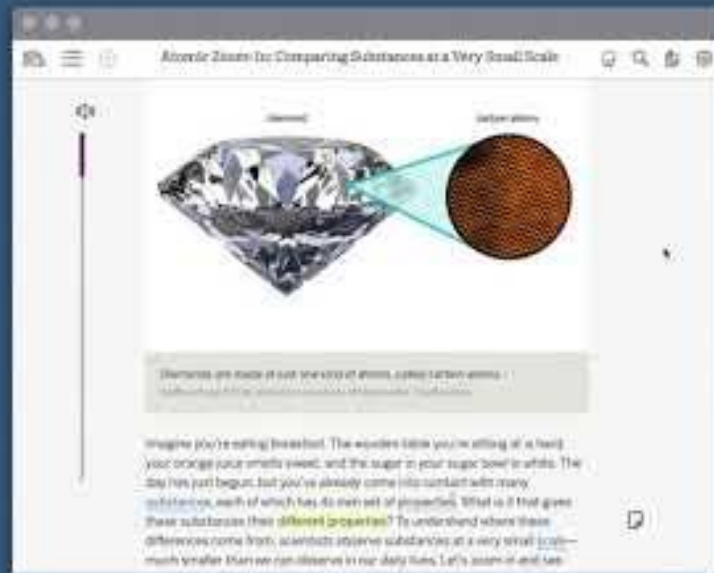


How did the shoes wash up at these different locations?



Currents must have carried the shoes!

You can also **add an annotation** to an **image** by **pressing anywhere** on the image. You will then be prompted to add a note.



Questions?





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# Thinking about the role of texts in your class

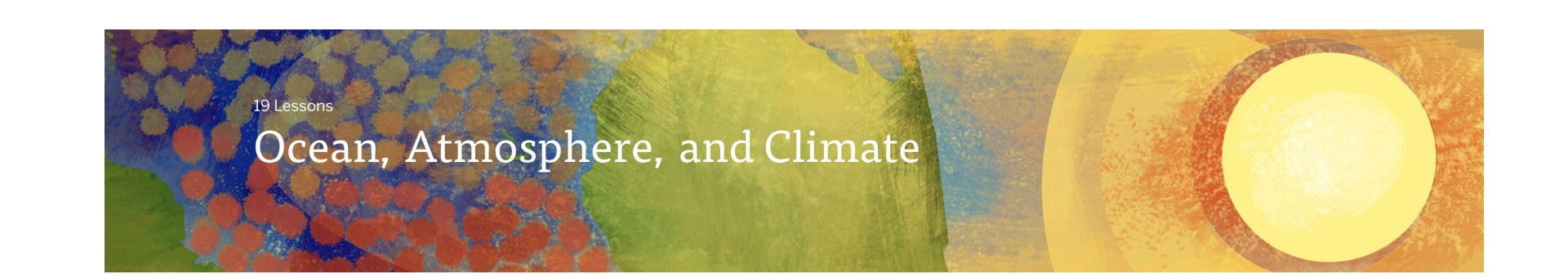
## Reflect-Type-Chat

- Reflect on the purpose for reading and how reading helped your students develop understanding.
- Consider the surrounding activities/lessons that complemented the reading, and how.



# Exemplar instructional sequence





19 Lessons

## Ocean, Atmosphere, and Climate

### **During El Niño years, why is Christchurch, New Zealand's air temperature cooler than usual?**

Students act as student climatologists helping a group of farmers near Christchurch, New Zealand figure out the cause of significantly colder air temperatures in New Zealand during the El Niño climate event. To solve the puzzle, students investigate what causes regional climates. They learn about energy from the sun and energy transfer between Earth's surface and atmosphere, ocean currents, and prevailing winds.



**Ocean, Atmosphere, and Climate**  
**@Home Lesson 4**

## Claims

**Christchurch, New Zealand's air temperature is cooler than usual during El Niño years because . . .**

**Claim 1:** The amount of incoming energy from the sun changes.

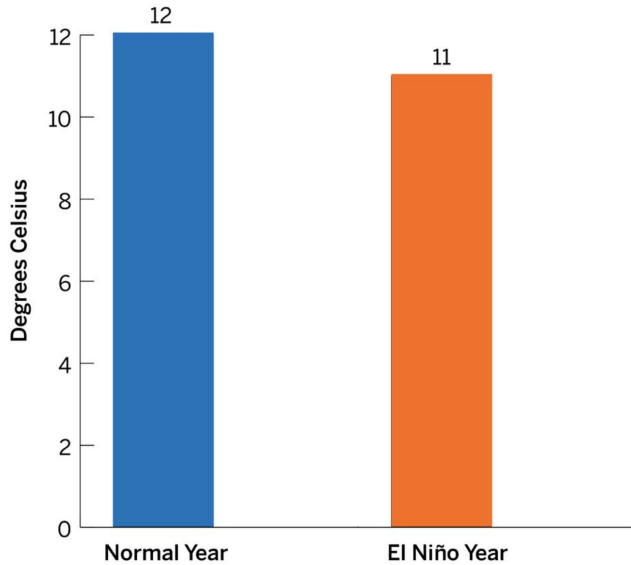
**Claim 2:** Something about the surface changes.

**Claim 3:** Something about the air changes.

Here are the three claims about why Christchurch's air temperature changes during an El Niño year.

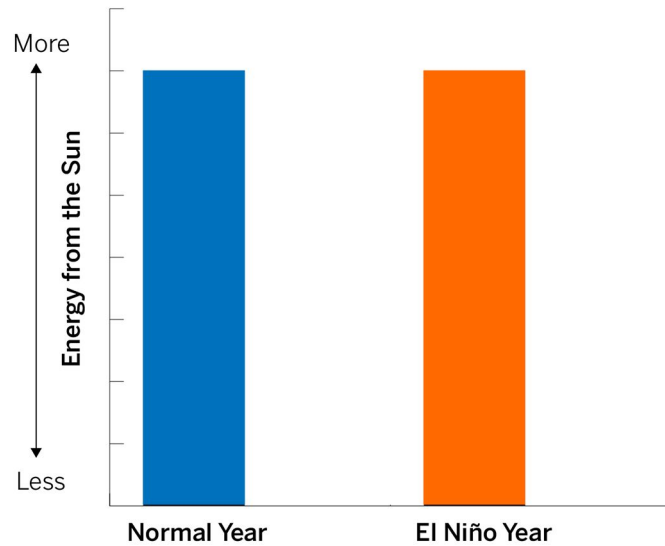
Let's look at some data and see if we can support or eliminate any of the claims.

### Average Air Temperature: Christchurch, New Zealand



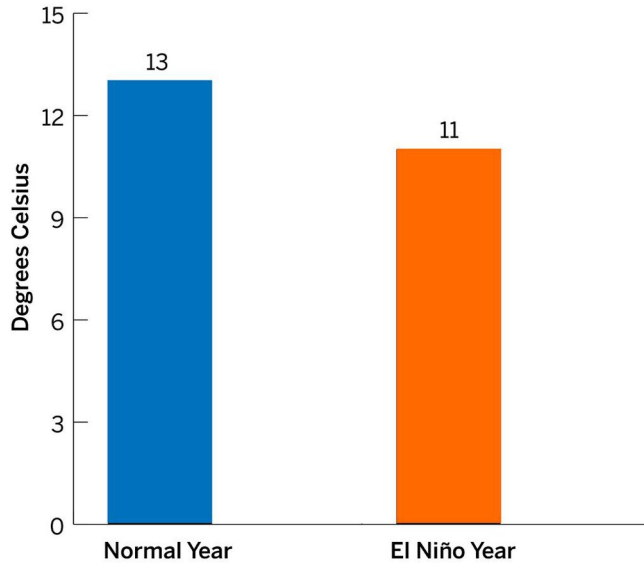
We know that the air temperature in New Zealand is **cooler** during El Niño years.

### Energy from the Sun at Christchurch, New Zealand



This graphs show that energy from the sun stays the same during an El Niño year.

### Average Ocean Surface Temperature Near Christchurch, New Zealand



This graphs show that ocean surface temperature decreases during an El Niño year.

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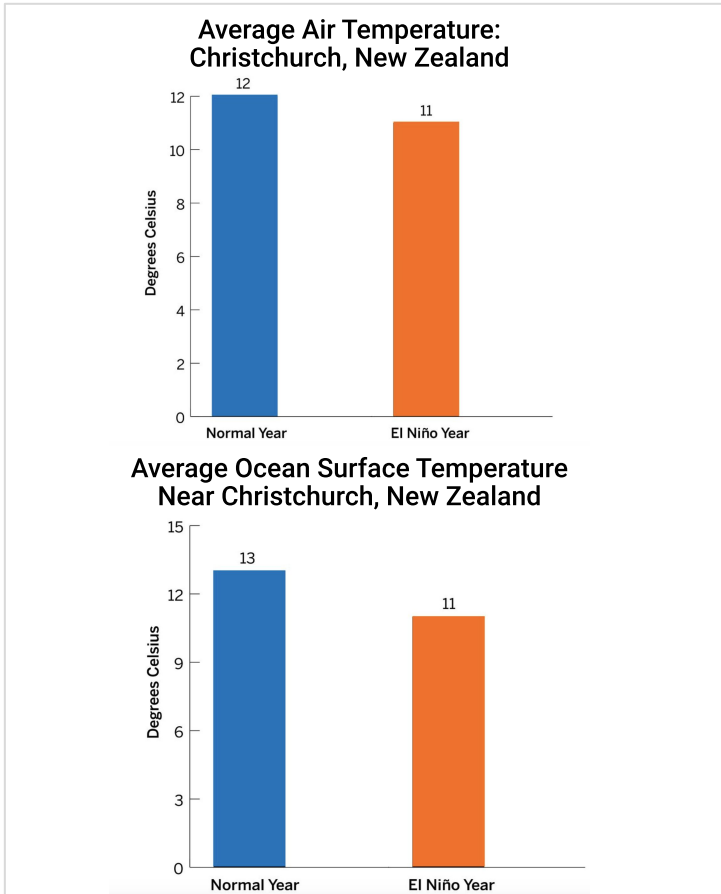
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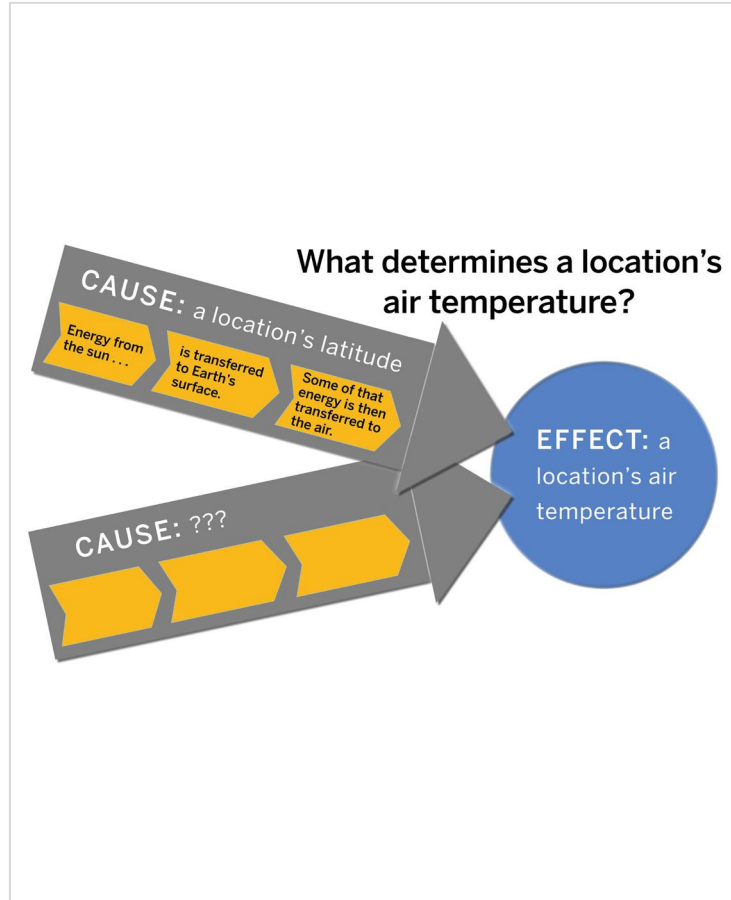
The Energy from the Sun graph shows **no change** in incoming energy from the sun, so it goes against **Claim 1**. We can eliminate that claim.



But, both the air temperature and ocean temperature in Christchurch are **cooler** during **El Niño years**.

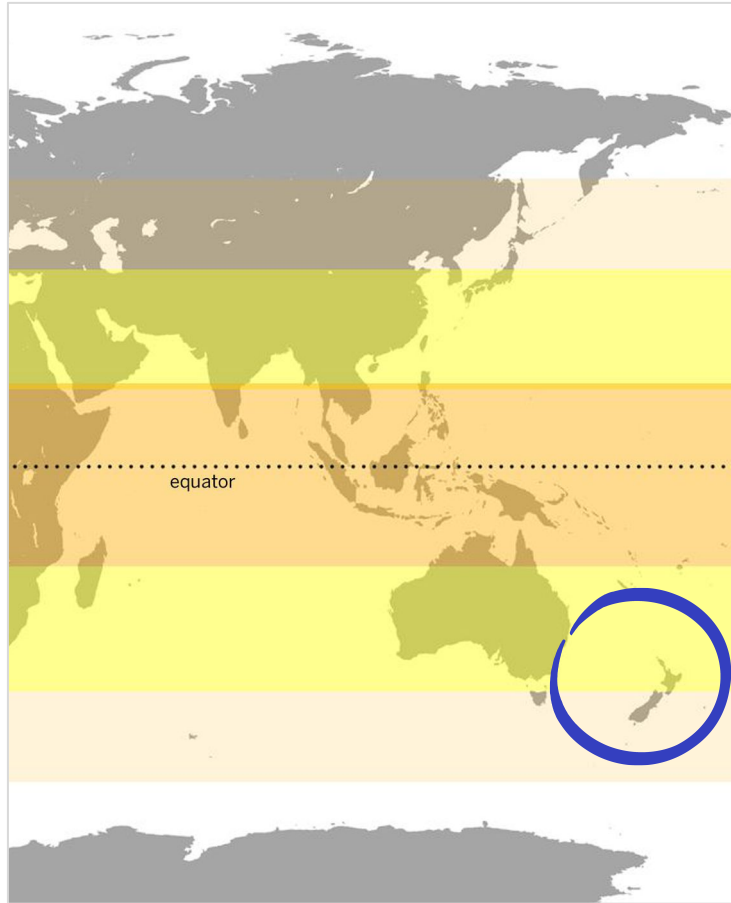
Since the latitude does not change we need to consider factors other than latitude to explain this.





We can think of air temperature as an **effect**.

It is the result of some **cause**, or causes, and we are trying to find out what those are.



We know that **latitude** affects a location's air temperature, but this does not explain why Christchurch is cooler during El Niño years—there must be **some other cause**.

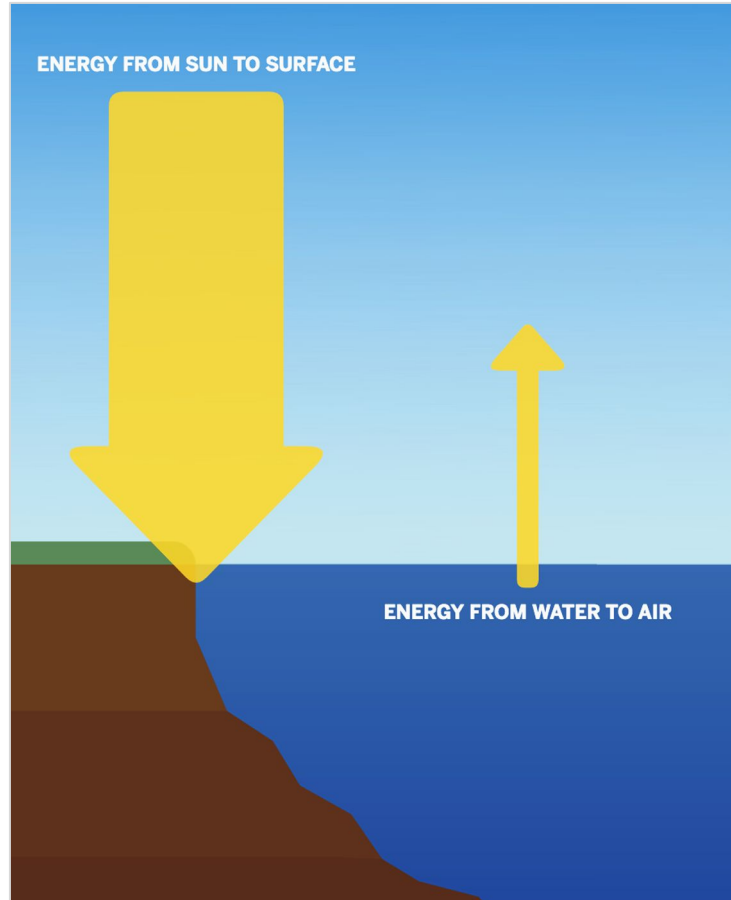
**This key concept will help us figure out what is happening during El Niño years:**

3. An effect may have more than one cause; these may be linked into a chain of causes and effects.

This is the next question we will investigate:

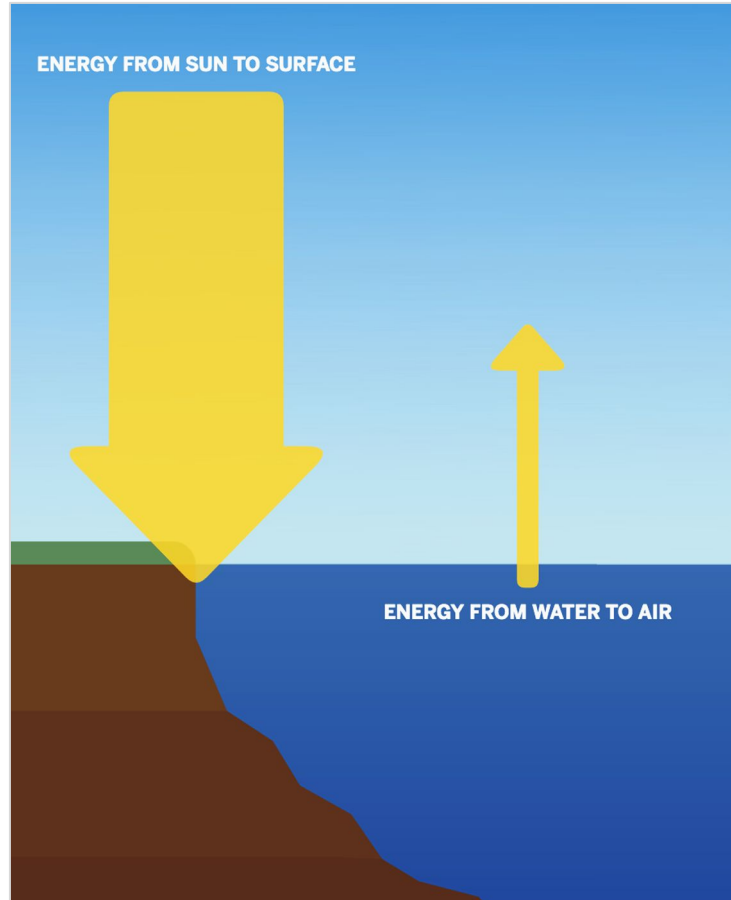
## Chapter 2 Question

Other than latitude, what else affects the air temperature of Christchurch?



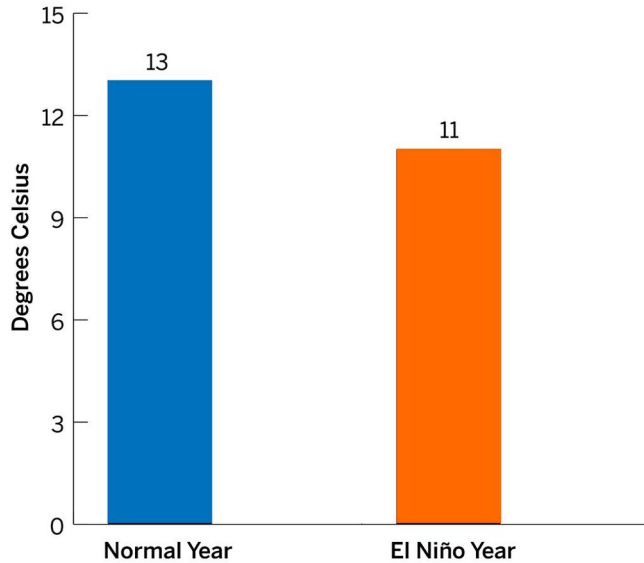
One way air gets energy is when energy is transferred from the ocean to the air.

Over the next few lessons, we will focus on **ocean temperature.**



We will work to figure out how **ocean temperature** might affect the **air temperature** of Christchurch during El Niño years.

### Average Ocean Surface Temperature Near Christchurch, New Zealand



Remember, we saw that the ocean surface temperature near Christchurch is **cooler than normal** during El Niño years. So far, we don't have information about why that is.

Today, we will investigate this question:


**Investigation Question:**

Other than latitude, what else affects ocean surface temperature?



# Next you will read an article called “The Ocean in Motion.” Check with your teacher about how you will access articles in this @Home Unit.

The Ocean in Motion



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Surprising things sometimes wash up on shore, and this can happen all over the world. During a powerful storm in 1990, containers packed with 61,000 shoes fell off a cargo ship traveling across the Pacific Ocean and eventually washed up on beaches in Oregon, Hawaii, and Japan. These locations are hundreds or thousands of miles away from the place where the shoes were spilt. How did the shoes make their way to these locations?

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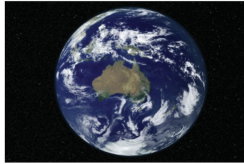


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Kiri Parata, the director of the New Zealand Farm Council, sent us the article, “The Ocean in Motion.” Reading this will help you determine what factors other than latitude might be affecting Christchurch’s air temperature.

Remember, in this class we use an **Active Reading** approach when we read. You will use this approach today when you read the article about the movement of the ocean.

Science reading can be especially complex. It is important to read science texts **actively**, so you really understand what you read. Active Reading helps you to pay attention and learn when you read.

The following slides show how a 6th grade student named **Reilly made annotations** on a digital version of the article, “The Ocean in Motion.”

You will see **what Reilly was thinking** about when reading. You will also see each **annotation** that they made. Making annotations is part of the Active Reading approach to reading science texts.

By looking at Reilly's annotations you will learn more about:

- how to **annotate** to show your thinking.
- some strategies you can use, such as asking questions, making connections, and identifying challenging words.

### Major Ocean Currents

moving from place to place, carrying objects and organisms wherever it goes. Ocean water doesn't just randomly flow in consistent patterns; a certain way of moving carries all the work of the ocean.

In addition, currents around the world carry energy from the surface of the ocean.

The current on this page is the Gulf Stream. At the equator, the water is warm. As the energy is carried north, the water cools and sinks.

The current of this is the North Pole. The water is cold, and the energy is carried south. The current carries the water from the north to the south, and the water is cold. The current carries the water from the north to the south, and the water is cold.



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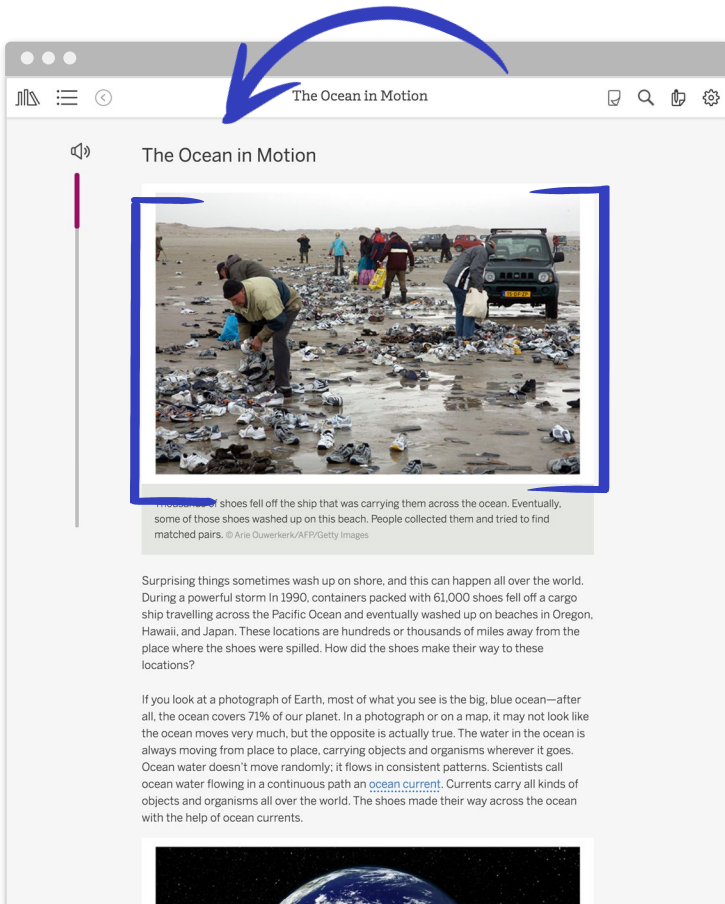
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You can **follow along** in your article as you see what Reilly did with their annotations on the next slides. You can also add your own annotations.



The Ocean in Motion

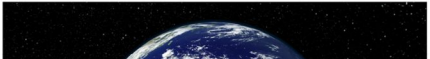
The Ocean in Motion



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First, Reilly read the **title** of the article: “The Ocean in Motion.”

Reilly also **examined the photo** of people picking up shoes on the beach.

Reilly thought, “The photo makes me think that the shoes were in the ocean and then **washed ashore**. But **why** would they be in the ocean in the first place, and **how** did they get to shore? The title of this article makes me think that the explanation for all these shoes on the beach must somehow be **connected to the ocean’s movement.**”



Reilly wanted to remember this important **connection and question**, so they made this annotation:

### The Ocean in Motion



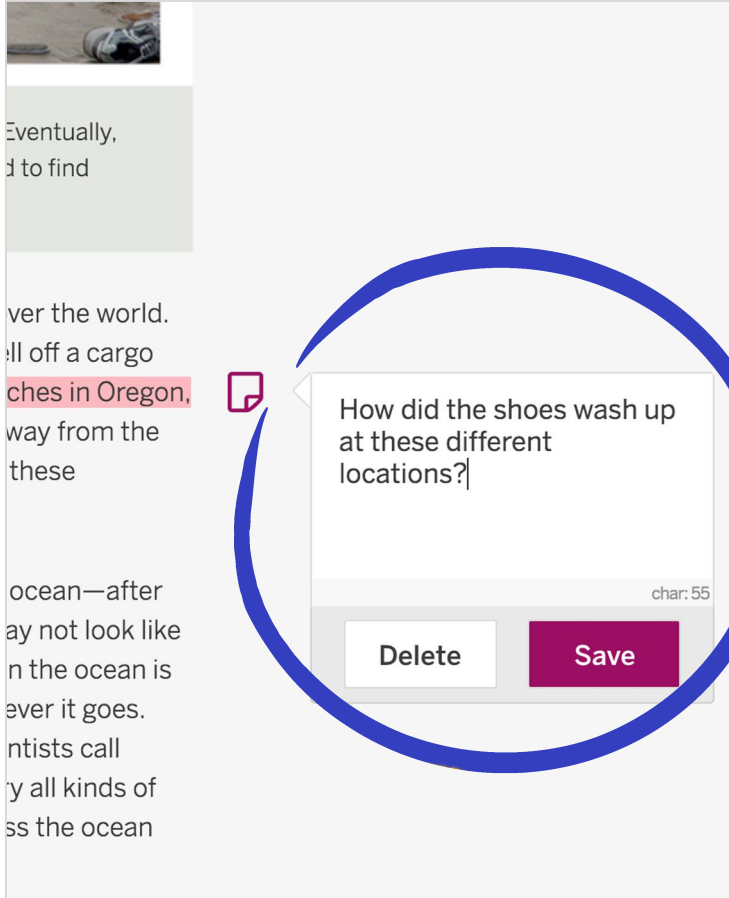
Are all these shoes on the beach connected to the way the ocean moves?

Next, Reilly read the **first paragraph**, then stopped to think about what they read.

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Reilly thought, “Thinking about this paragraph, I wonder how these shoes ended up in these places? I also find it interesting that these shoes washed up in three different places that are far apart.”

“I’ll write a question that will help me remember this and will remind me to come back here, if I find an answer later.”



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Reilly added this question  
near the first paragraph.

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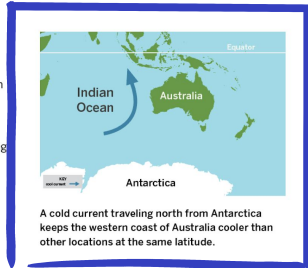
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In this article, the maps play a very important role in helping you understand the text.

As you read, make sure to **carefully examine** each map and **make annotations** to record your thinking.

# Active Reading Guidelines

1. Think carefully about what you read. Pay attention to your own understanding.
2. As you read, annotate the text to make a record of your thinking. Highlight challenging words and add notes to record questions and make connections to your own experience.
3. Examine all visual representations carefully. Consider how they go together with the text.
4. After you read, discuss what you have read with others to help you better understand the text.



How will you use these guidelines when you read today?

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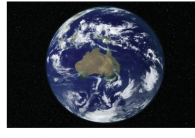
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# Go to the article, "The Ocean in Motion."



## Read and annotate the article.

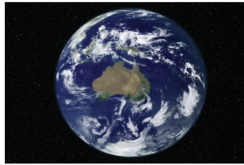


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Annotations help you **keep track of**, and **remember**, your thinking.

The next step in Active Reading is **discussing** your annotations. Check with your teacher about how to choose your partner for this activity.

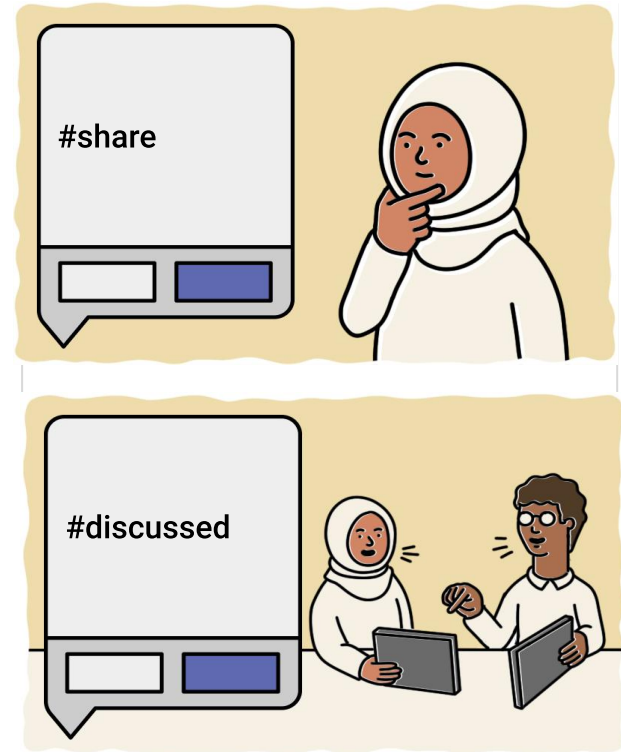


Before you discuss your annotations, review the instructions on the next slide, which explain how to discuss with your partner. Then, begin your discussion.



## Discussing Annotations

1. **Choose** several interesting questions, connections, or ideas to share with a partner. Tag each one with **#share**.
2. **Talk about** your chosen annotations with a partner. Tag each annotation with **#discussed** if you were able to resolve your questions, or if you discussed a connection or idea.





What **interesting** or **unanswered questions** do you still have about the article after talking about your annotations with a partner?

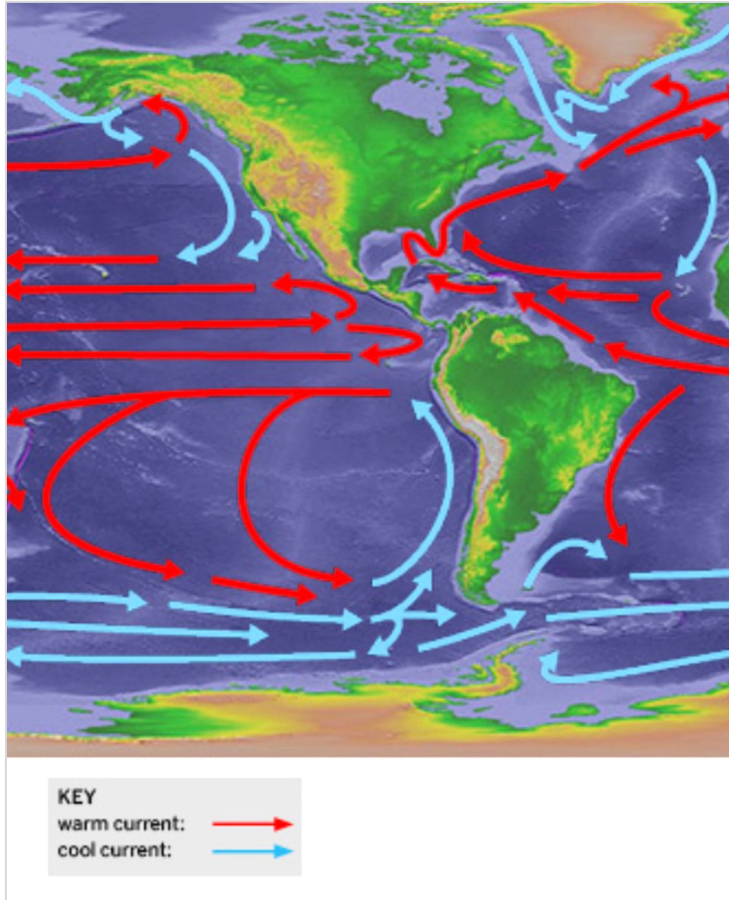
The habit of annotating does not develop overnight. It takes time. Sophisticated readers are always **practicing reading actively.**

The article introduced this term.



**ocean current**

**ocean water flowing in a continuous path**



In the article you read today, you saw this map that shows warm and cool ocean currents.

You will learn more about ocean currents in the next lesson.

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Remember, we've been investigating this question:

**Investigation Question:**

Other than latitude, what else affects ocean surface temperature?



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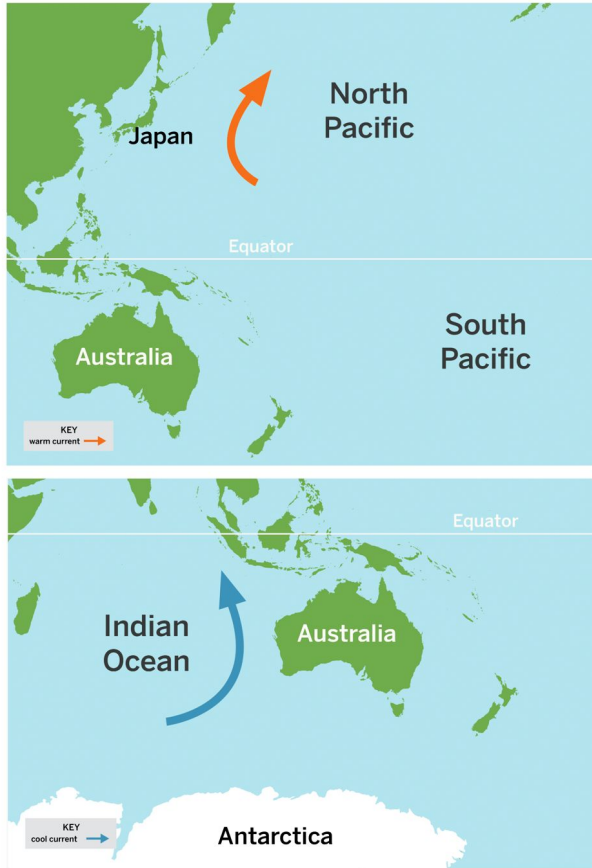
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Today, we will return to this article with a **new purpose**—understanding factors other than latitude that can affect **ocean surface temperature**.



As you reread today,  
you'll focus on the **maps**.

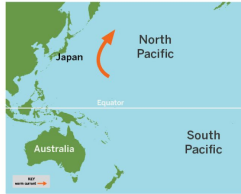
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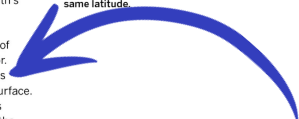
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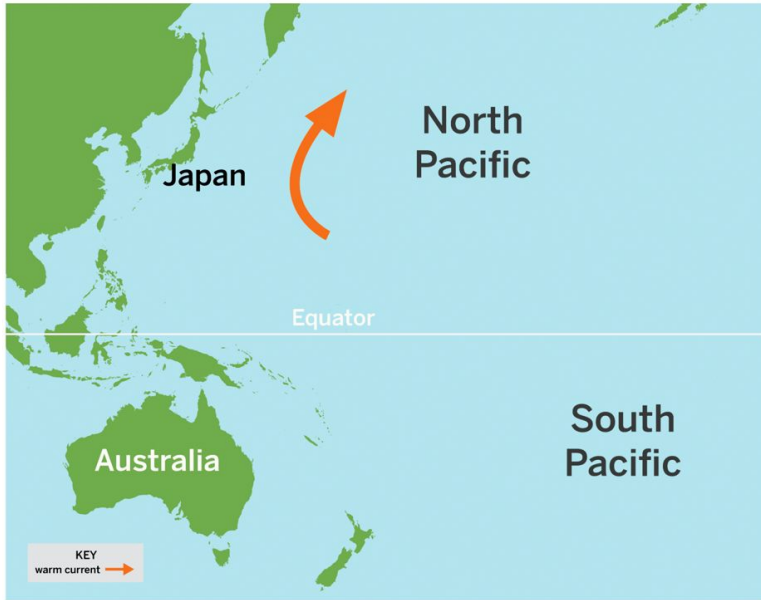
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You'll begin reading with **paragraph 4** and continue through **paragraph 6.**

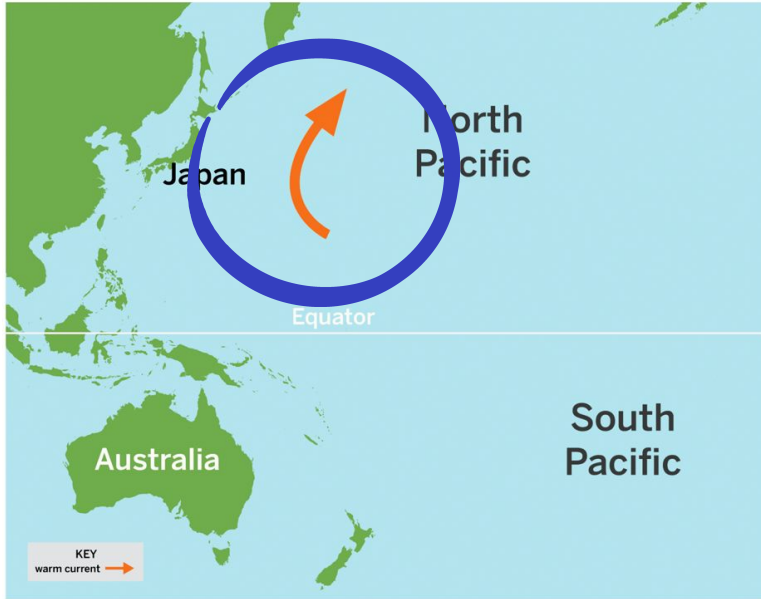
As you read, you will gather information to help answer our **Investigation Question:**

*Other than latitude, what else affects ocean surface temperature?*

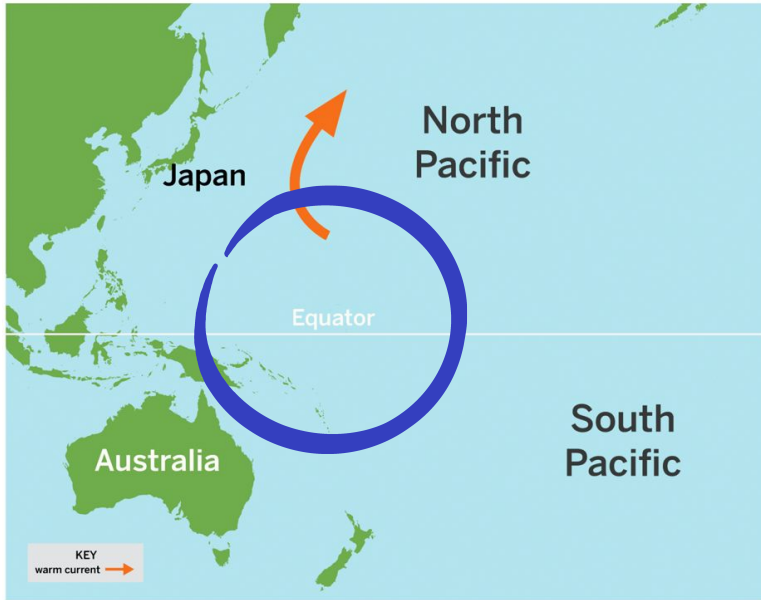
The next few slides show how Reilly annotated one of the **maps** in the article as they gathered information from the text.



Before rereading, Reilly thought, “I know we are trying to figure out what things **other than latitude** affect ocean surface temperature. I am going to use the map to help answer this question.”



Reilly first looked at the **arrow** on the map of the North Pacific currents and thought, “I know that arrows represent the **direction of currents**. Currents are ocean water that flows in a continuous path.”



“I see that the current shown here starts close to the **equator**. Locations near the equator have the **most incoming energy** from the sun. I am going to make an annotation near this map to remind me that this current carries energy from the equator.”



# Reilly added this annotation:

The map shows the Pacific Ocean with the equator line. An orange arrow indicates a warm current moving north from the equator towards Japan. The map is divided into the North Pacific and South Pacific regions. A key at the bottom left identifies the orange arrow as a 'warm current'. A text box at the bottom explains that this current keeps Japan warmer than other places at the same latitude.

1 Warm current carries energy from the equator.

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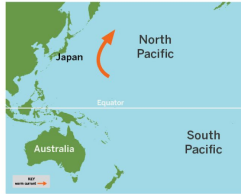
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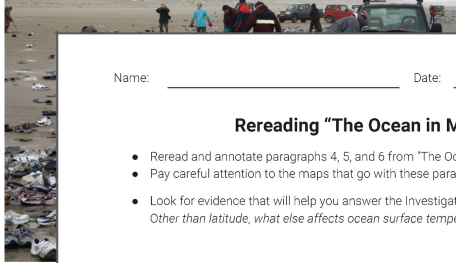
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Next, you will reread part of the article yourself. As you read and annotate, don't forget to go **back and forth** between the maps and the paragraphs that go with them.



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### Rereading “The Ocean in Motion”

- Reread and annotate paragraphs 4, 5, and 6 from “The Ocean in Motion.”
- Pay careful attention to the maps that go with these paragraphs.
- Look for evidence that will help you answer the Investigation Question:  
*Other than latitude, what else affects ocean surface temperature?*

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## The Ocean in Motion

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Find your copy of the “The Ocean in Motion” article from Lesson 4 and go to the Rereading of “The Ocean in Motion” activity.



Reread and **highlight** information that helps to answer the question, *Other than latitude, what else affects ocean surface temperature?*

“The Ocean in Motion” article, the Rereading of “The Ocean in Motion” page or [Lesson 2.2, Activity 2](#)



What evidence did you find in the article to help answer our question:

**Investigation Question:**

Other than latitude, what else affects ocean surface temperature?

The **key concept** on the next slide **summarizes important ideas** from “The Ocean in Motion” that help us to answer the question:

*Other than latitude, what else affects ocean surface temperature?*

## Key Concept

4. When an ocean current comes from the equator, it brings warmer-than-expected water to the places it passes.

When an ocean current comes from a pole, it brings colder-than-expected water to the places it passes.

In the next activity, we will again examine maps to collect data. You will need a partner for this activity.

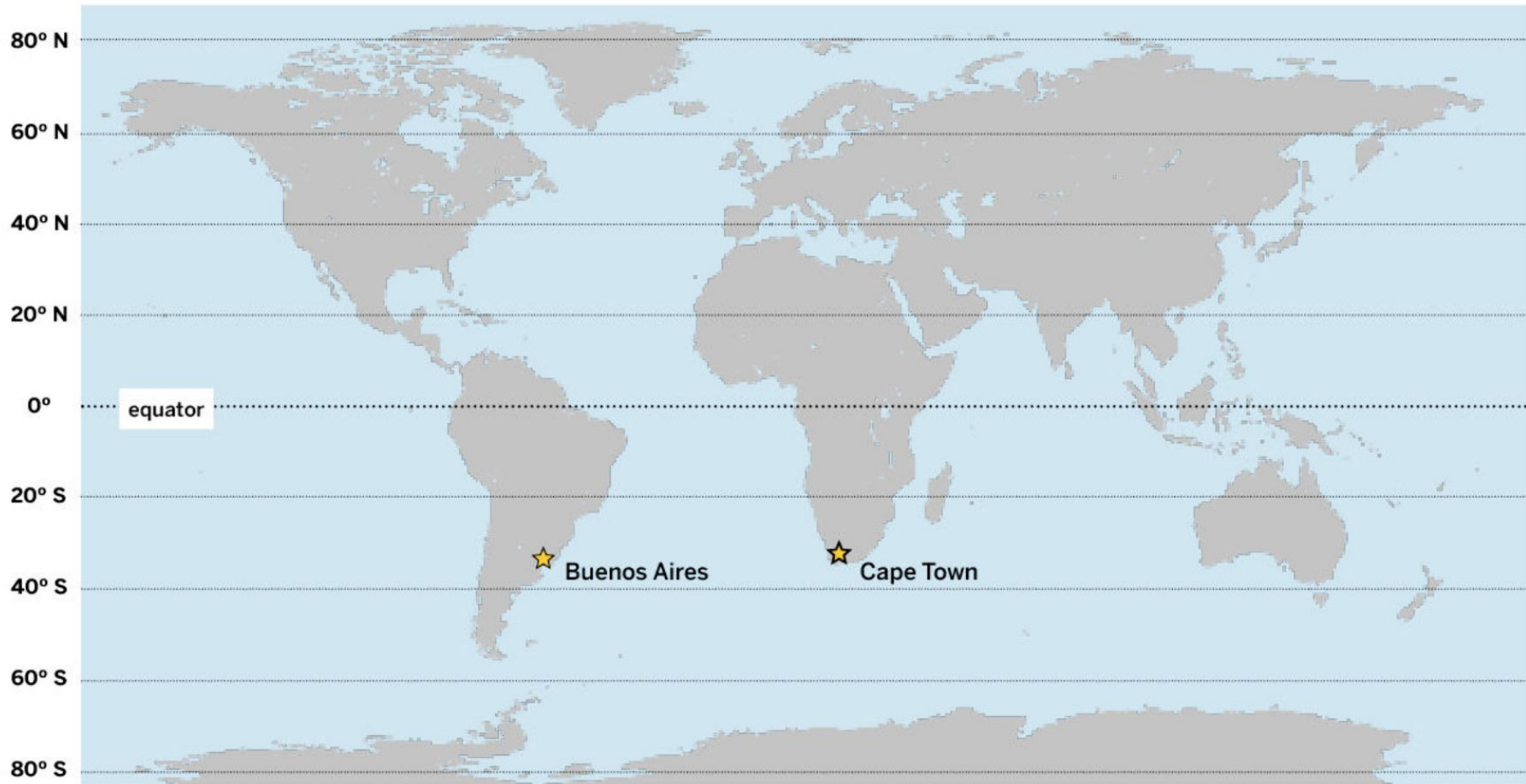
Your partner could be a classmate on the phone or someone at home with you.

**You will begin by looking carefully at the map on the next slide.**



**Do you think the ocean surface temperature near Buenos Aires is the same or different from the ocean surface temperature near Cape Town?**







We've determined that **currents** affect ocean surface temperature.

Let's take a closer look at the currents that pass near Buenos Aires and Cape Town.

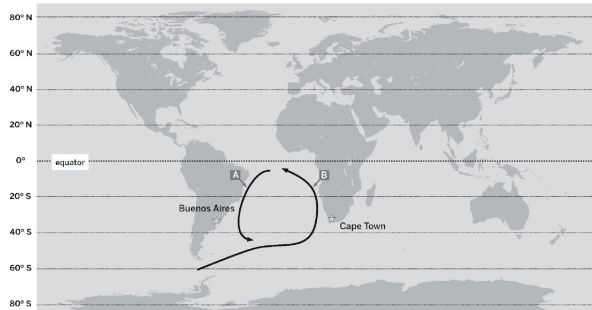


**Comparing the currents** will help us determine whether these currents cause the ocean surface temperature near Buenos Aires and Cape Town to be the same or different. Remember, the arrows show us the direction of the current.

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### Investigating Ocean Surface Temperature: Part 1

Currents Near Buenos Aires and Cape Town



Compare the two ocean currents (A and B) shown on the map. Match the current with the phrase that best describes it.

Current A (near Buenos Aires) \_\_\_\_\_ (circle one)

**carries no energy**   **carries more energy**   **carries the same energy**   **carries less energy**

Current B (near Cape Town) \_\_\_\_\_ (circle one)

**carries no energy**   **carries more energy**   **carries the same energy**   **carries less energy**

Discuss the following questions with your partner:

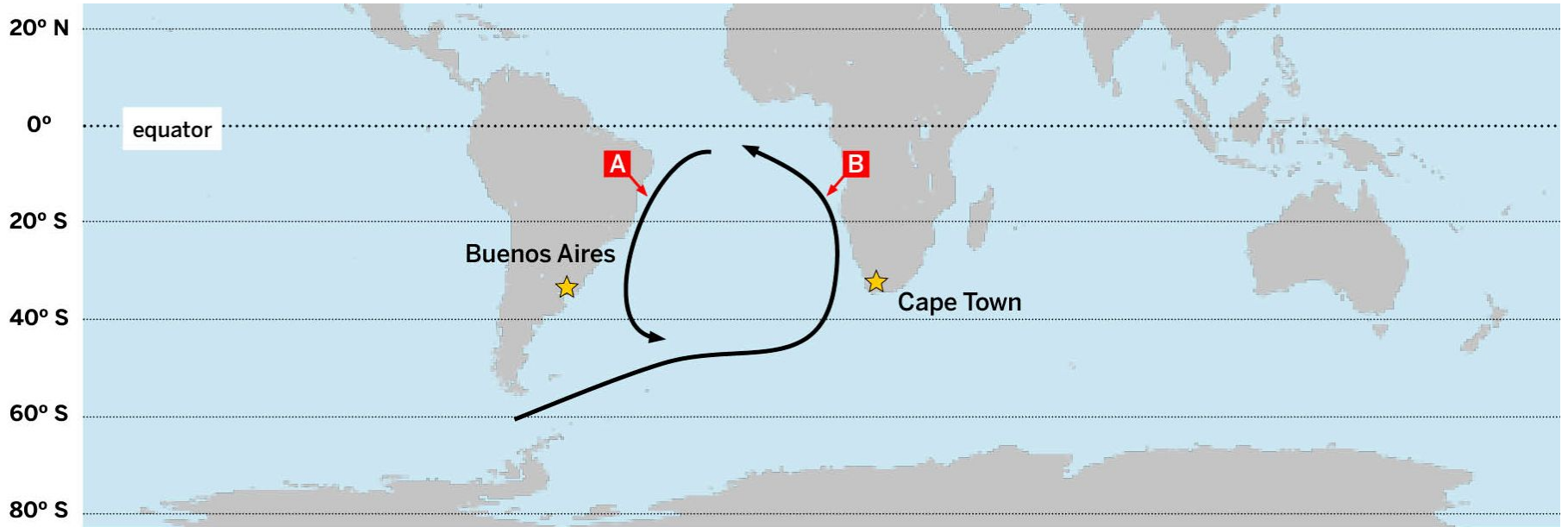
- What does the map show?
- Does the map provide evidence that the currents near Buenos Aires and Cape Town cause the ocean surface temperature at each location to be the same or different?

## Go to the Investigating Ocean Surface Temperature: Part 1 activity.

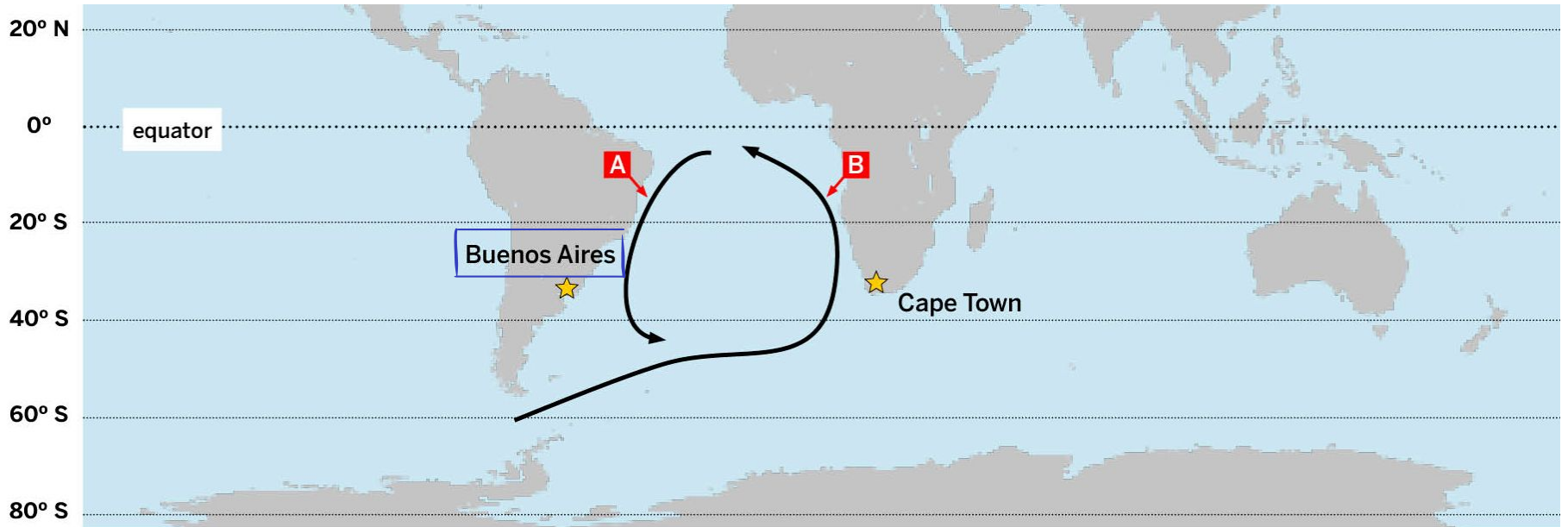


## Discuss the map to answer the questions.

# Let's think about what the map shows.



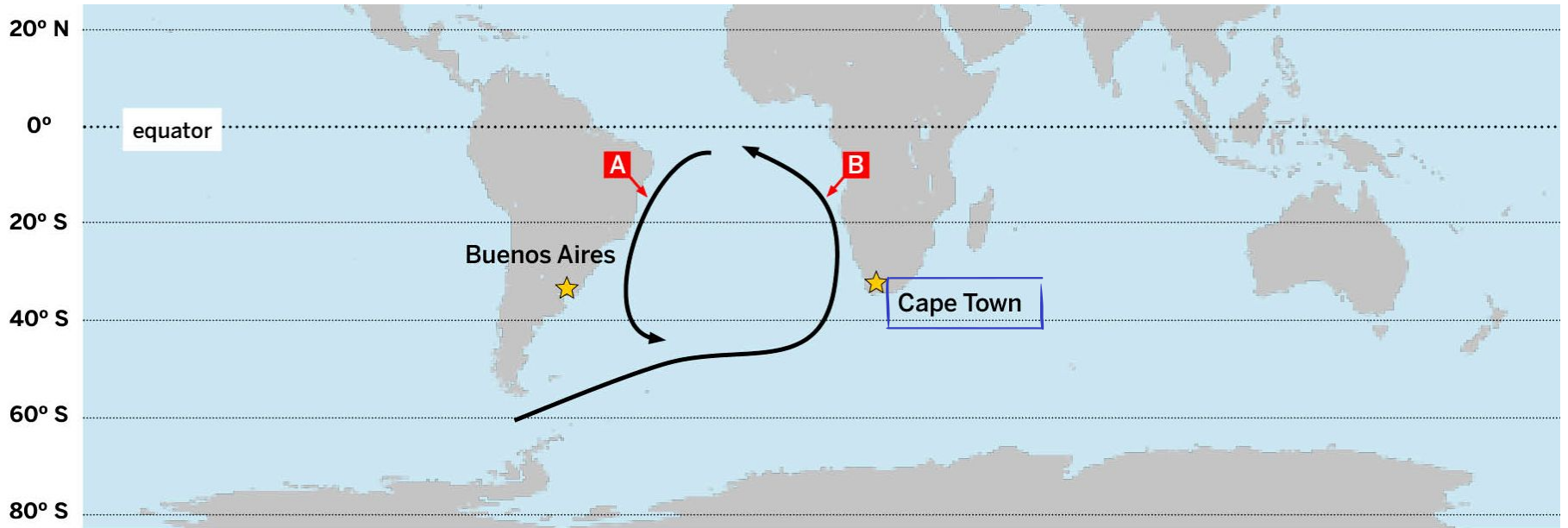
The ocean current that passes Buenos Aires (A) comes from the equator.





The closer a location is to the equator, the **more energy** it receives from the sun. Therefore, this current carries more energy and **moves warm water** from the equator to this area, near Buenos Aires.

The ocean current that passes Cape Town (B) comes from a polar region.







Current B carries **less energy** and moves **cooler water** from the pole to the area near Cape Town.

This is the end of the partner work in this lesson.

**Claim 1:** Buenos Aires and Cape Town have the **same** ocean surface temperature.

**Claim 2:** Buenos Aires and Cape Town have **different** ocean surface temperatures.

Next, you will examine the map again and think about these **two claims**.

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**Investigating Ocean Surface Temperature: Part 2 (continued)**

2. How does the map support the claim you selected? Try to use all these words:  
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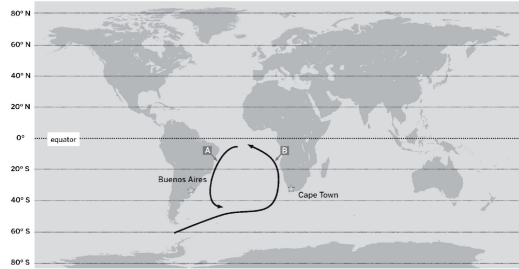
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**Investigating Ocean Surface Temperature: Part 2 (continued)**

**Explaining Ocean Surface Temperature**



1. Which claim is better supported? (circle one)

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**Claim 2:** Buenos Aires and Cape Town have **different** ocean surface temperatures.

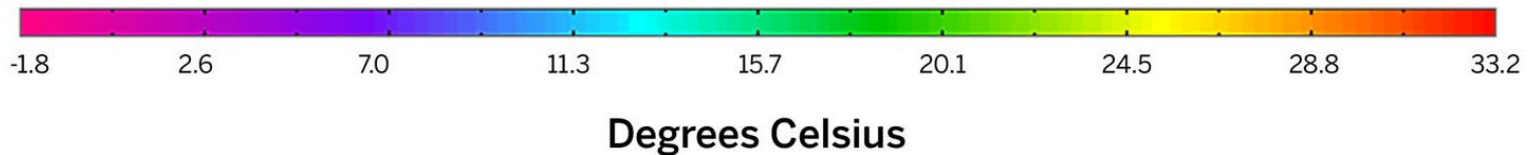
**Go to the Investigating Ocean Surface Temperature: Part 2 activity.**



**Choose** a claim and then **write** about how the map supports the claim you selected.

To gather more evidence about the two locations, we'll look at a map showing the **average temperature** of the water at the surface of the ocean over a one-year time period.

The map uses pink and purple for the lowest temperatures and red for the highest.

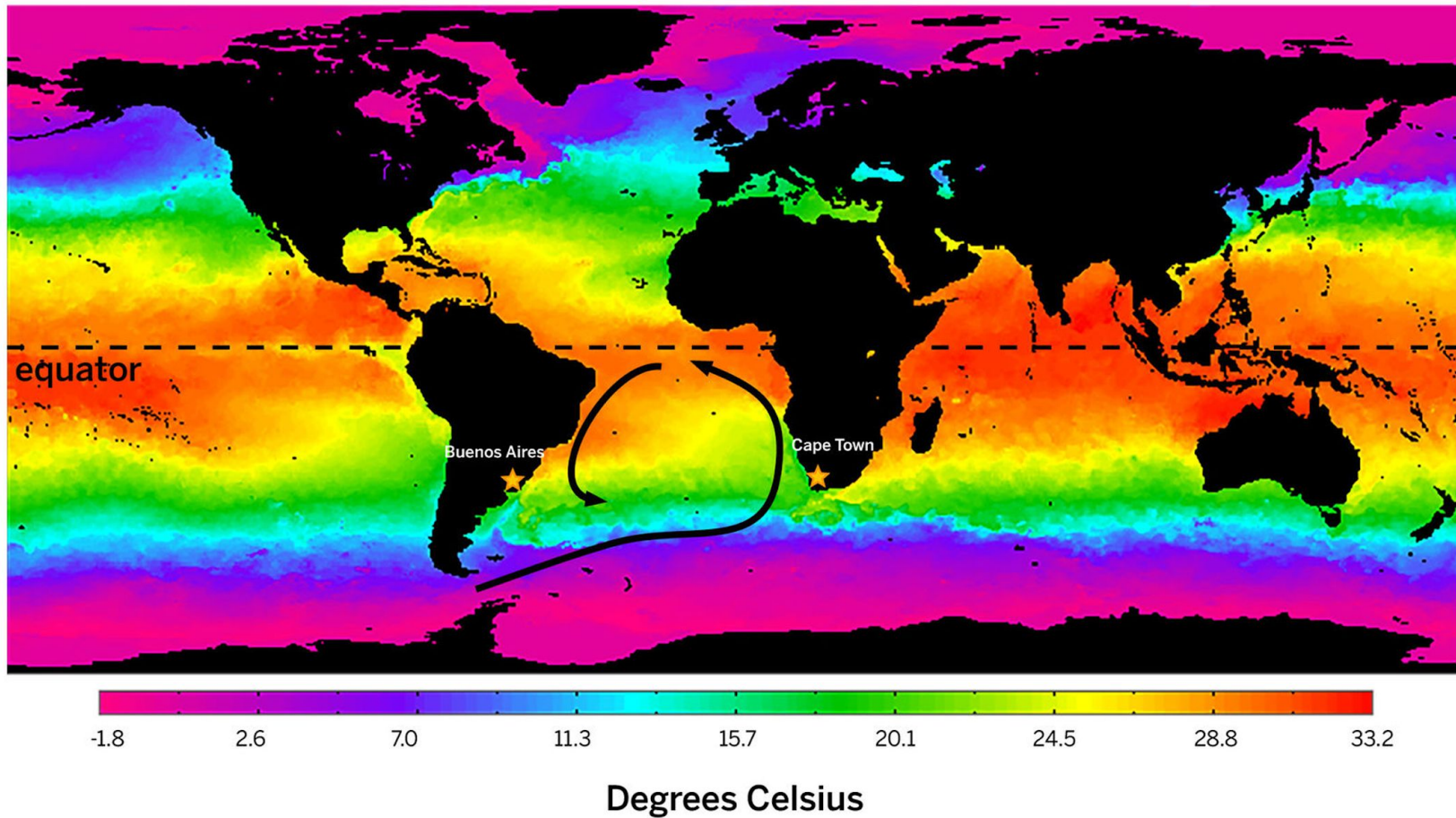


**Look at the map on the next slide and think about the question.**



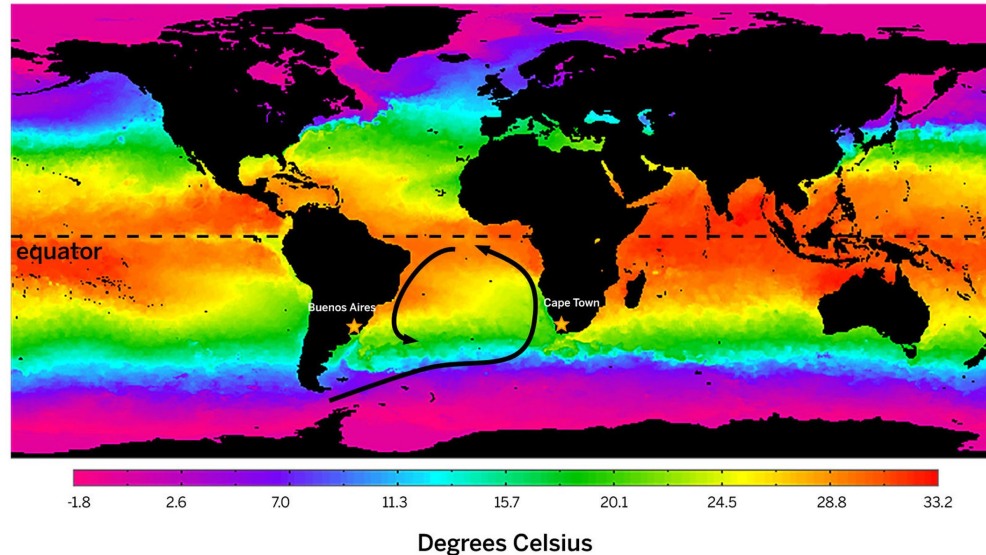
**What does the map show about the ocean surface temperature near the two locations (Buenos Aires and Cape Town)?**

# Average Ocean Surface Temperature



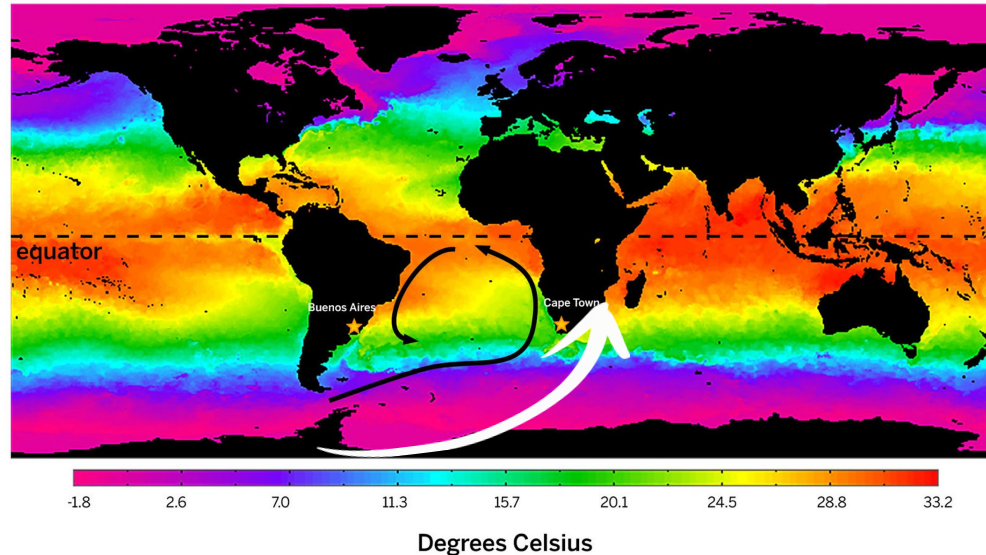
The ocean surface temperature near Buenos Aires is **higher** (yellow to orange) than the ocean surface temperature near Cape Town (green).

### Average Ocean Surface Temperature



The current next to Cape Town comes from an area of **cold water** near Antarctica, so it **carries cooler water** when it passes Cape Town.

### Average Ocean Surface Temperature





Read the key concept on the next slide and think about this question:



How does this key concept support the claim that the ocean surface near Buenos Aires is warmer than the ocean surface near Cape Town?

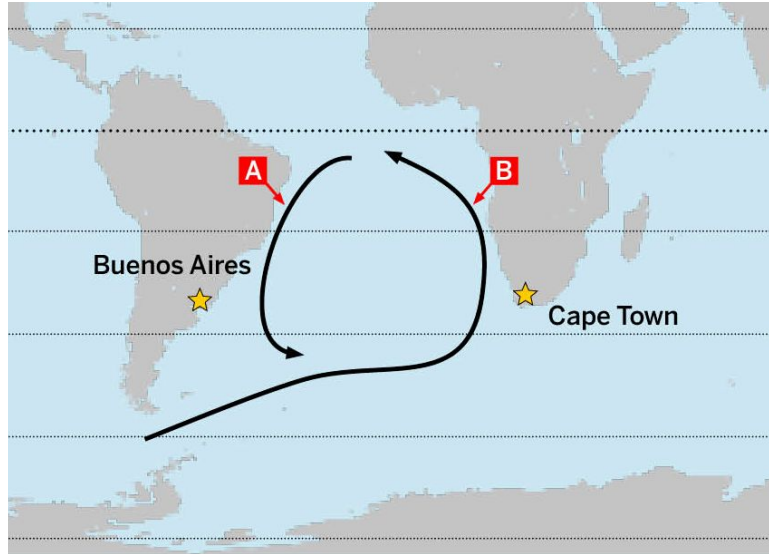
## Key Concept

4. When an ocean current comes from the equator, it brings warmer-than-expected water to the places it passes.

When an ocean current comes from a pole, it brings colder-than-expected water to the places it passes.

Because currents that come from the equator carry a lot of energy, they bring **warmer-than-expected water** (a higher ocean surface temperature) **to the places they pass.**

Because currents that come from the poles carry less energy, they bring **colder-than-expected water** (a lower ocean surface temperature) **to the places they pass.**



We will think more about **surface temperature** and **currents** in upcoming lessons.

# End of @Home Lesson



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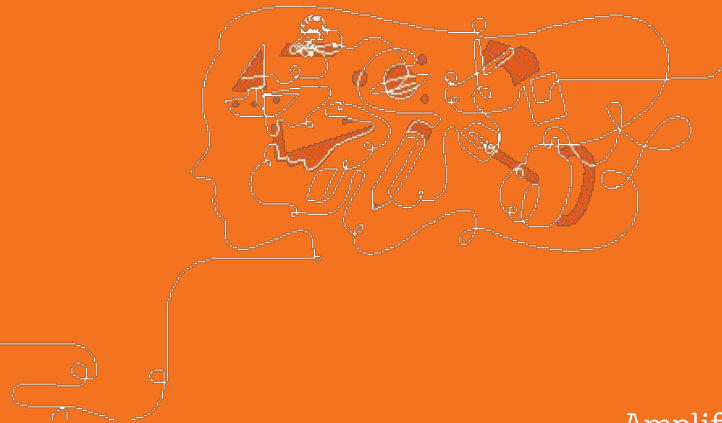
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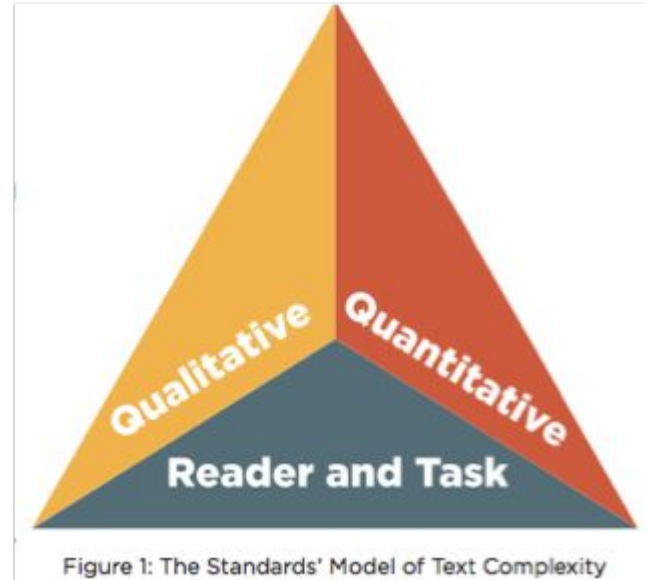


# Reflecting on exemplar lesson



# Think-Type-Chat:

- What was complex about the text that was utilized during the instructional sequence?
- How were students supported in accessing the text?



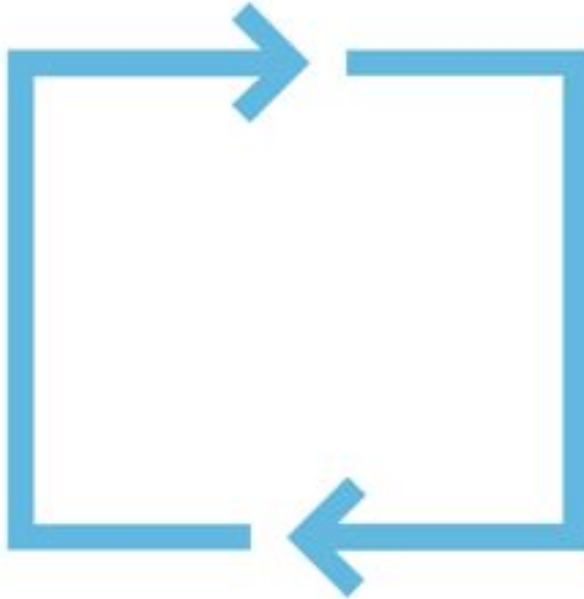




# Multimodal learning as an embedded support

# Multimodal learning

Gathering evidence over multiple lessons

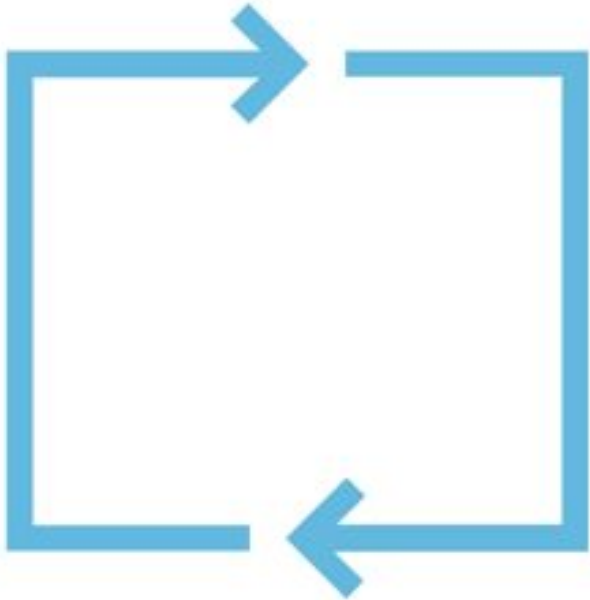


**Do,  
Talk,  
Read,  
Write,  
Visualize**

# Evidence sources work together to support developing scientific understandings

## Teaching tip

- Every evidence source plays an important role in student learning.
- Be sure to teach every activity in order!





# Text roles & active reading as embedded supports

# Text Roles/Functions for Inquiry-Based Investigations

<b>Provide context for inquiry-based investigations</b>	<b>Scientists read and interpret others' data and findings</b>
<b>Deliver content</b>	<b>Illustrate phenomenon that would otherwise be unobservable; opportunities to apply what students are learning</b>
<b>Model scientific processes</b>	<b>Model inquiry processes; Modeling scientific dispositions; Depicting scientists and their work</b>
<b>Support secondhand investigations (collection of textual data)</b>	<b>Provides data for interpretation represented with graphs, pictures, tables; communicating visuals information based in data</b>
<b>Support first-hand investigations (collection of empirical data)</b>	<b>Providing students information to supplement their empirical (first-hand) studies; Support the design and implementation of investigations.</b>

From Cervetti, G. N. & Barber, J. (2009). Text in hands-on science. In Hiebert, E. H. & Sailors, M. (Eds.) *Finding the Right Texts: What Works for Beginning and Struggling Readers*. New York: The Guilford Press.

# Embedded supports


## Active Reading

- Consistent routine across units
- First read and second read
- Partner discussion of annotations
- Digital reading supports



Thousands of shoes fell off the ship that was carrying them across the ocean. Eventually, some of those shoes washed up on this beach. People collected them and tried to find matched pairs.

### The Ocean in Motion



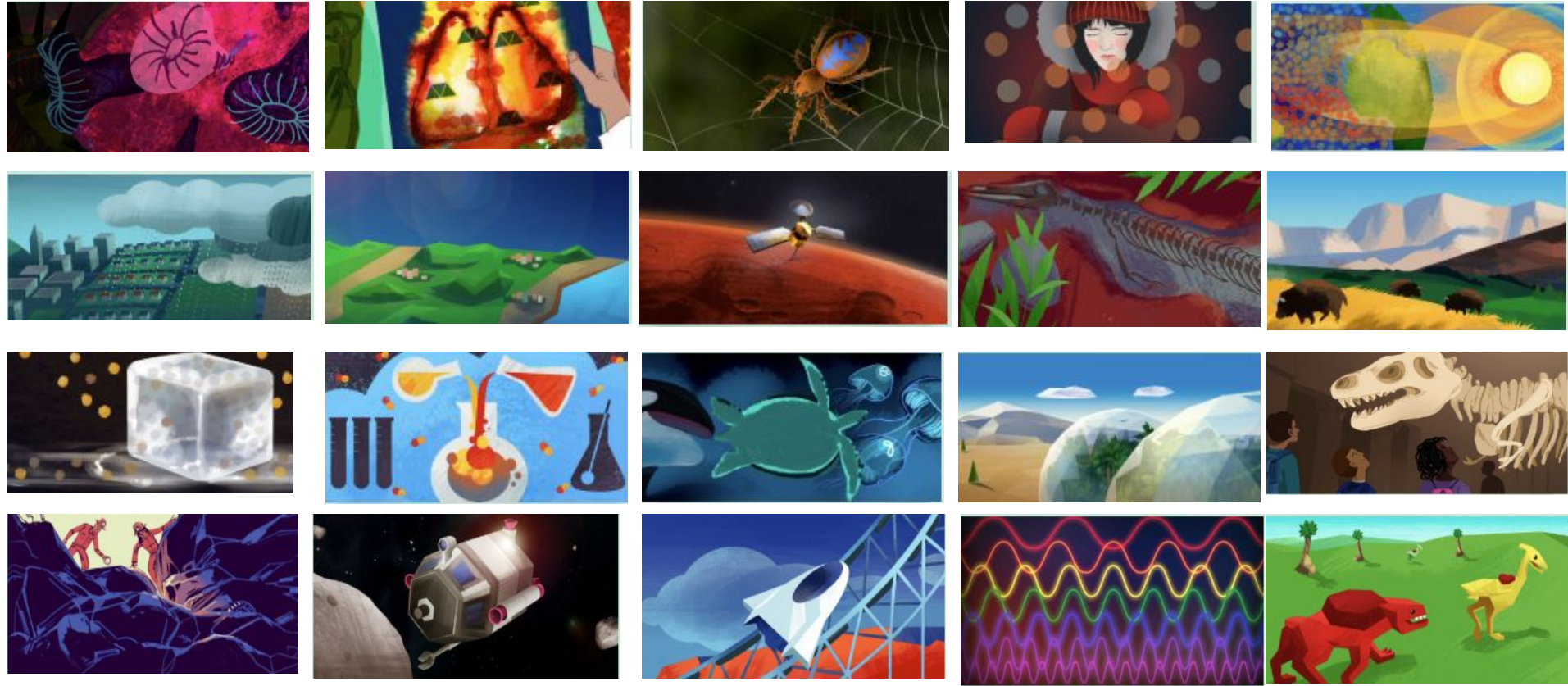
Surprising things sometimes wash up on shore, and this can happen all over the world. During a powerful storm in 1990, containers packed with 61,000 shoes fell off a cargo ship traveling across the Pacific Ocean and eventually washed up on beaches in Oregon, Hawaii, and Japan. These locations are hundreds or thousands of miles away from the place where the shoes were spilled. How did the shoes make their way to these locations?

The ocean covers 71% of Earth and is in constant motion. The movement of the ocean carries energy and objects wherever it goes.

If you look at a photograph of Earth, most of what you see is the big, blue ocean—after all, the ocean covers 71% of our planet. In a photograph or on a map, it may not look like the ocean moves very much, but the opposite is actually true. The water in the ocean is always

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The Ocean in Motion 1



Explicit instruction in reading 56 times in each course  
x 3 years = at least 170 opportunities to practice  
Active Reading in middle school science

# A typical Active Reading sequence

First Read

Independent,  
followed by  
paired and  
whole class  
discussion

Second Read

Reading for a  
teacher-directed  
purpose, followed  
by a paired,  
complementary  
activity

Third Read

Diving into the  
text for other,  
content-related  
purposes



Students read each article twice  
The first read is always to annotate  
(questions, connections, comments, etc.)



## Science and Engineering Practices

### 8. Obtaining, Evaluating, and Communicating Information

Subsequent reads are for a particular purpose

- To examine a specific visual representation
- To answer a question
- To find evidence to support a claim, or
- To draw conclusions across texts, etc.

# Analyzing an Active Reading Sequence

## Directions:

- Join **breakout** room
- Navigate to the **current unit**
- Scroll down to the **Unit Guide**
- Click **Articles in This Unit**
- Choose an article & **read summary**
- Locate lessons & **analyze** active reading sequence using prompts on **collaborative slides** in groups

Teacher References	
Lesson Overview Compilation	▼
Standards and Goals	▼
3-D Statements	▼
Assessment System	▼
Embedded Formative Assessments	▼
Articles in This Unit	▼
Apps in This Unit	▼
Opportunities for Unit Extensions	▼

Active Reading sequence analysis

Article Title:

First Read	Second Read	Third Read
<p>Text role:</p> <p>Other notes:</p>	<p>Text role:</p> <p>Teacher-directed purpose:</p> <p>Other notes:</p>	<p>Text role:</p> <p>Content-related purpose:</p> <p>Other notes:</p>

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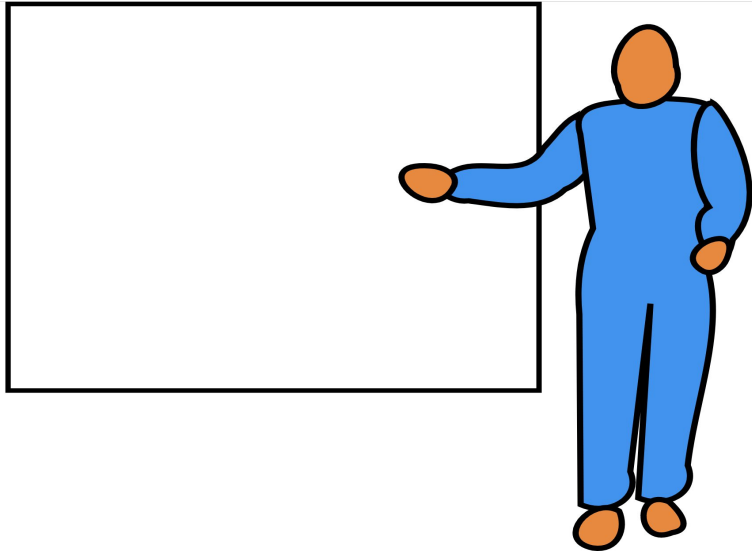
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purpose:

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# Virtual group presentations

Summarize the key points related to the analysis of your chosen article.



# Support for reading complex text

## During various reading experiences

- Variety of reading experiences:
  - Short articles, homework, evidence cards, student notebook / digital platform
- Students are expected to continue using the basic components of Active Reading during these alternate reading experiences;
  - encouraged to annotate and are
  - often provided with guiding questions

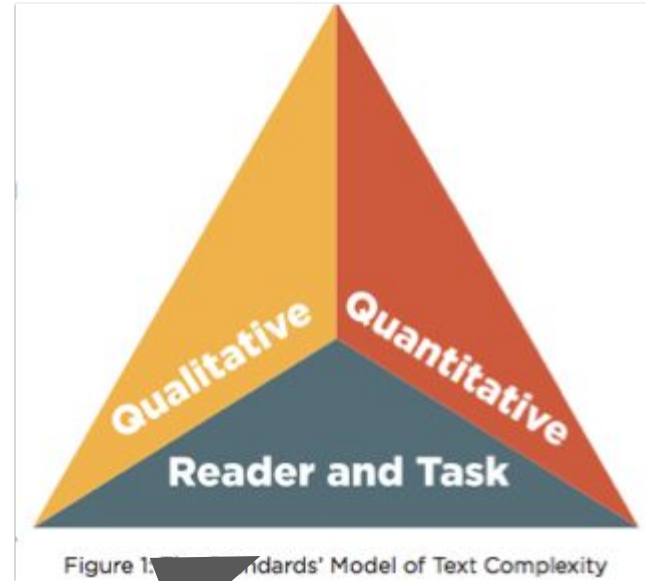




# Attention to reader & task measures as an embedded support

## Reader and Task Measures:

- Background, experience
- Purpose, assignment
- Motivation



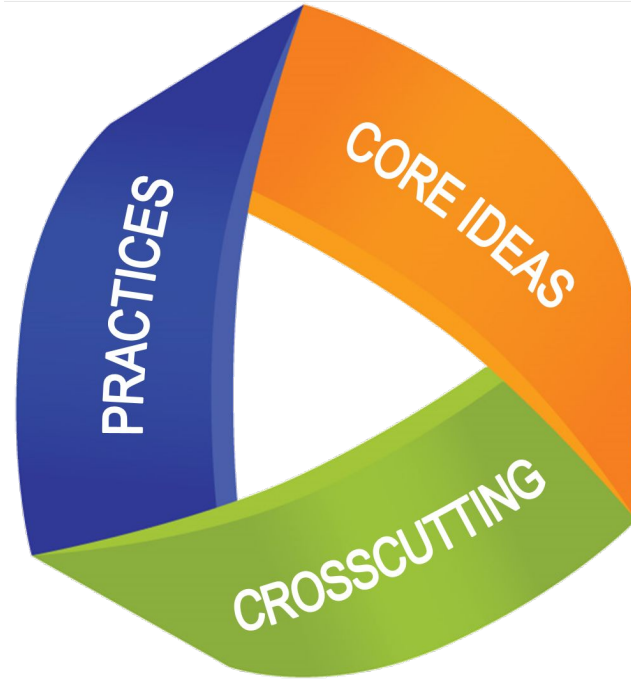


# Our approach: Infuse disciplinary literacy practices into each unit

How?

- by paying explicit attention to the domain in which the literacy is taking place — not just science but geology or microbiology.
- by engaging students in literacy activities in each unit that are authentic to the practices of science

# New York State Science Learning Standards (NYSSLS)



# NYSSL: Science Practices

1. Asking questions and defining problems
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# Questions?



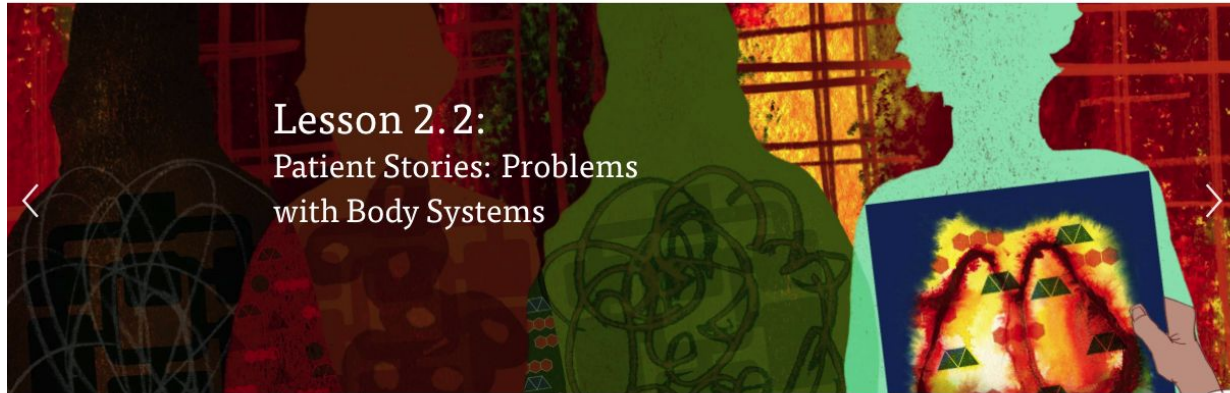


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# Differentiation and Other Supports for Reading in Amplify Science

AmplifyScience > Metabolism > Chapter 2 > Lesson 2.2



## Lesson 2.2: Patient Stories: Problems with Body Systems

Lesson Brief  
(4 Activities)

1

WARM-UP  
Warm-Up



2

READING  
Active Reading: Patient  
Stories Article Set



3

STUDENT-TO-STUDENT  
DISCUSSION  
Discussing Annotations



4

HOMEWORK  
Homework



RESET LESSON

GENERATE PRINTABLE LESSON GUIDE

Overview

Materials &  
Preparation

Differentiation

Standards

Vocabulary

Unplugged?

## Overview

Students prepare to diagnose Elisa by engaging in a jigsaw reading experience. Each student becomes an expert on one of four medical conditions—*anemia*, *asthma*, *diabetes*, or *pancreas injury*—that might explain Elisa’s symptoms. Each condition involves a failure in one of the body systems students have been learning about. In this lesson, students also continue to practice their Active Reading skills, focusing on deepening their questioning. For homework, students use the Sim to observe the condition they read about earlier in the lesson.

## Digital Resources

- All Projections
- Patient Stories: Problems with Body Systems
- Printable article: “Patient Stories: Problems with Body Systems (Anemia)”
- Printable article: “Patient Stories: Problems with Body Systems (Asthma)”

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# Differentiation Briefs

## Categories of differentiation briefs

- Embedded supports for diverse learners
- Potential challenges in this lesson
- Specific differentiation strategies for:
  - English learners
  - students who need more support
  - students who need more challenge



# Differentiation in Amplify Science

Lesson Brief	
Overview	▼
Materials & Preparation	▼
Differentiation	▼
Standards	▼
Vocabulary	▼
Unplugged?	▼



Navigate to differentiation brief of exemplar assessment lesson. Which strategies would you utilize to support diverse learning needs?

# Planning for Differentiation

Lesson #	Type of support	Instructional suggestion (summary)
Which of your students might need support? When could you provide it?		
How would you use or modify the suggestion?		

# Analyzing Differentiation Opportunities

Overview

Materials & Preparation

| Differentiation

Standards

Vocabulary

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## Differentiation

### Embedded Supports for Diverse Learners

Teacher modeling to support deeper reading practices. The oral teacher modeling (think aloud) of Active Reading offers support for students, as it conveys both ways of thinking about text and specific strategies for reading and annotating. This modeling also alerts students to the genre of the text (in this case, descriptive case studies of young people with various conditions).

Student-to-student discussion for making sense of the reading. The partner sharing and discussion following the independent reading provides students with an opportunity to deepen their own understanding through a purposeful conversation with their peers. Today's discussion is especially important, since students are paired with someone who read a similar article (those who read about oxygen-related conditions discuss with each other, and those who read about glucose-related conditions discuss with each other). Students have a chance to both share and expand their own understanding.

### Potential Challenges in This Lesson

Reading-centered. Reading science texts is challenging, and

How is this lesson supportive of all students? What challenges do you anticipate?

# Analyzing Differentiation Opportunities


## Specific Differentiation Strategies for English Learners

Extra discussion time. Providing extended time for discussion during and after reading these articles gives English learners and other students who might need more reading support a chance to practice using new science vocabulary words and to process what they read. Having students stop part way through their reading to discuss may help some students process what they are reading more thoroughly.

*Metabolism* glossary. Throughout this unit, you will find resources for supporting English learners in science, including a glossary in the Amplify Library that includes Spanish definitions for primary Spanish speakers. If you have English learners in your class whose primary language is Spanish, make sure to point out the glossary to them in the Digital Resources.

## Specific Differentiation Strategies for Students Who Need More Support

Reveal Tool. Articles in the Amplify Library are equipped with the Reveal Tool, which allows students to click on difficult conceptual



Would the suggested additional supports in this lesson work for my remote/hybrid classroom? How can I adapt them?

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# Planning for Differentiation

Lesson #	Type of support	Instructional suggestion (summary)
2.2	Support for ELs	Review key vocabulary from Metabolism Multilingual glossary
Which of your students might need support? When could you provide it?		
7 students-- have them join at a back table (5 min) as others are reading independently or with a partner		
How would you use or modify the suggestion?		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Highlight key vocabulary from the multilingual glossary that is used in the article together</li><li>● Model how to use the glossary as a reference by reading and thinking aloud with the first paragraph</li></ul>		

# Planning for differentiation **in your unit**

- Navigate to **2 reading lessons** you will be teaching in the next few weeks
- Navigate to and read the **Differentiation section** of the Lesson Brief(s)
- Complete the **Planning for Differentiation** for the these lessons

**Planning for Differentiation**  
Choose a lesson where a text is introduced or re-visited. What strategies will you implement for particular learners so they can engage with complex texts in a meaningful way?

Lesson #	Type of support	Instructional Suggestion (summary)
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How would you use or modify the suggestion?		

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A suite of resources designed to make extended remote and hybrid learning easier for teachers and students.



# Temperature Check

Rate your comfort level accessing and navigating the Amplify Science @Home resources

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2 = Uncomfortable

3 = Mild

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Classroom Language Settings

ELA Resources  
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1st Grade ▾ **Step 1**



22 Lessons  
Animal and Plant Defenses



22 Lessons  
Light and Sound



22 Lessons  
Spinning Earth

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Welcome Science Educators! **Step 2**

The Amplify Science Program Hub was created to provide you with resources, tools, and advice for all stages of your implementation. Want a tour? Click [here!](#)

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 Let's get started!

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 Additional resources to complement the units you're teaching.

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Grade Level Units Grade TK ▾

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Grade Level Units NYC Grade 7 ▾

Orientation and Tutorials  
 Learn more about how to use @Home resources.

Microbiome

Metabolism

Phase Change

Chemical Reactions

Plate Motion

# AmplifyScience@Home

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- Digital and print-based options
- No materials required
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- Accessible on the Amplify Science Program Hub



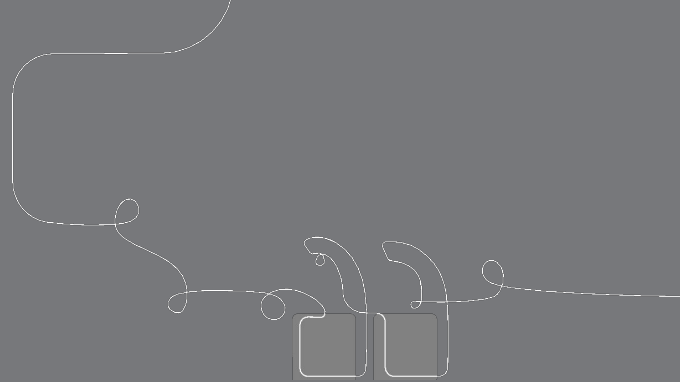
# Remote Active Reading best practices share-out

On Jamboard, please share:

- **Strategies** you've utilized to support students' **active reading** remotely



# Questions?



### 3-2-1 Reflection

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3	Strategies to take away
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2	Things I learned
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1	Question I still have
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# Revisiting our objectives

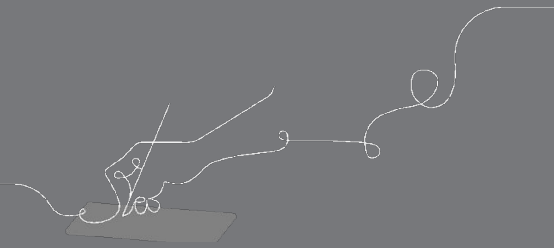
Do you feel ready to...

- Identify the different roles that text can play in figuring out science concepts.
- Describe how the Amplify Science approach to reading supports students in making sense of science ideas.
- Be ready to teach specific reading strategies for diverse learners.

**1-** I'm not sure how I'm going to do this!

**3-** I have some good ideas but still have some questions.

**5-** I have a solid plan for how to make this work!



# Additional Amplify resources



## **Program Guide**

Glean additional insight into the program's structure, intent, philosophies, supports, and flexibility.

**[my.amplify.com/programguide](https://my.amplify.com/programguide)**

## **Amplify Help**

Find lots of advice and answers from the Amplify team.

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# Additional Amplify Support

## Customer Care

Seek information specific to enrollment and rosters, technical support, materials and kits, and teaching support, weekdays 7AM-7PM EST.



scihelp@amplify.com



800-823-1969



Amplify Chat

## When contacting the customer care team:

- Identify yourself as an Amplify Science user.
- Note the unit you are teaching.
- Note the type of device you are using (Chromebook, iPad, Windows, laptop).
- Note the web browser you are using (Chrome or Safari).
- Include a screenshot of the problem, if possible.
- Copy your district or site IT contact on emails.

# New York City Resources Site

<https://amplify.com/amplify-science-nyc-doe-resources/>



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## Amplify Science Resources for NYC (K-5)

Welcome! This site contains supporting resources designed for the New York City Department of Education Amplify Science adoption for grades K-5.

UPDATE: Summer 2020

Introduction

Getting started resources

Planning and implementation resources

Admin resources

Parent resources

COVID-19 Remote learning resources 2020

Professional learning resources

Questions

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**Upcoming PL Webinars:** Join us for our Summer 2020 Professional Learning opportunities in July for NEW teachers and administrators and August for RETURNING teachers and administrators. Links to register coming soon!

## Site Resources

- Login information
- Pacing guides
- Getting started guide
- NYC Companion Lessons
- Resources from PD sessions
- And much more!

# Amplify Science Program Hub

A hub for Amplify Science resources

- **Videos and resources to continue getting ready to teach**
- Amplify@Home resources
- Keep checking back for updates

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