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Content-Area Connections	health	social studies science health math	social studies science health math	social studies science health math	social studies science health math	science health	social studies science health	social studies health	health math	social studies science health	social studies science health	health math	social studies science	social studies science health	social studies science health math	health	social studies health
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Comprehension Strategy	Summarize, T7	Cause and Effect, T19	Read for Detail, T31	Analyze Character, T43	Problem and Solution, T55	Analyze Plot, T67	Draw Conclusions, T79	Analyze Setting, T91	Analyze Plot, T103	Main Idea, T115	Make Inferences, T127	Compare and Contrast, T139	Analyze Setting, T151	Summarize, T163	Sequence of Events, T175	Analyze Character, T187	Compare and Contrast, T199
Study Strategy	Organize Information, T7	Organize Information, T19	Take Notes, T31	Recall Important Details, T43	Organize Information, T55	Take Notes, T67	Take Notes, T79	Take Notes, T91	Take Notes, T103	Organize Information, T115	Organize Information, T127	Organize Information, T139	Identify Most Important Ideas, T151	Take Notes, T163	Organize Information, T175	Take Notes, T187	Organize Information, T199
Self-Monitoring Strategy	Reread, T8	Connect to Other Cultures, T20	Retelling, T32	Predicting, T44	Questioning, T56	Predicting, T68	Clarify, T80	Use Letter/Sound Correspondence, T92	Retelling, T104	Clarify, T114	Predicting, T126	Connect to Experience, T140	Rereading, T150	Clarify, T162	Questioning, T176	Predicting, T188	Connect to Personal Experience, T198
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