

| <b>Characteristics<br/>of<br/>Expository Text</b>   | <i>Source 1:</i> | <i>Source 2:</i> | <i>Source 3:</i> |
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| Give facts, examples, and explanations about a topic, such as a period in history   |                  |                  |                  |
| Includes text features that help readers to <b>visualize</b> information presented in the text or provides <b>additional</b> information about the topic. |                  |                  |                  |
| Common Text Features include headings, charts, graphs diagrams, time lines  |                  |                  |                  |
| Primary Sources (firsthand information) are used to write about the topic or events<br>Ex., autobiography, letters, documents                             |                  |                  |                  |