

PARCC TESTING VOCABULARY BINGO

Facts, statements,
words, phrases that
can prove something
is true

(text evidence)

Pieces of information,
words, phrases, part of
a text feature that can
support or tell more
about a topic or text

(details)

A word that has the
same meaning as
another word

(synonym)

Items in nonfiction
text that help
readers better
understand the
information

(text features)

to study something
closely to bring out
deeper meaning or
understanding

(analyze)

Putting different
parts together to
create new thinking
or a new product

(synthesize)

To restate in your
own words

(paraphrase)

to tell the main
points of a story or
text in a short,
simple and clear way

(summarize)

When events are
arranged in the order
in which they
actually happened

(chronological order)

The *Big Idea* or the key point made in a text and supported by MAIN IDEAS and KEY DETAILS

(central idea)

The message or lesson the author is trying to get across to a reader

(author's intention)

To make a judgment after considering all of the key details, clues and information read

(drawing a conclusion)

The perspective from which a story is told (first, third person)

(point of view)

The central message of a piece of literature, the life lesson often inferred by the reader based on key details

(theme)

Facts, statements, text features, key details from the text that prove something

(evidence)

A word that means the opposite of another word

(antonym)

To point out the differences between 2 similar objects, concepts, ideas, characters, etc.

(distinguish)

The gist or summary of a story or narrative

(Someone, Wanted, But, So , Then...)

(plot)

A question or instruction that tells what you are suppose to write about or respond to

(prompt)

To convince or talk someone into your idea, opinion, or belief

(persuade)

The way the author feels about the subject or topic they are writing about that is evident in their style

(tone)

A story that has settings, characters, events and plot

(narrative)

Your own background knowledge and experiences about a topic or subject

(schema)

To make a conclusion about someone or something based on clues and key details and then adding in prior knowledge

(infer)

Repetition of the initial sound of the beginning set of words

(alliteration)

A word or phrase that gives a direct comparison of two unlike objects
(The snow is a blanket)

(metaphor)

A group or section of lines in a poem

(stanza)

How the reader feels
about a text while
reading

(mood)

A section, excerpt or
a piece of text
usually taken from a
larger or longer text

(passage)

A figure of speech
comparing two
different objects
usually using "like"
or "as" to compare

(simile)

An extreme
exaggeration by an
author in a text

(hyperbole)

Language that uses
words or expressions
with a meaning
different from the
literal meaning

(figurative language)

The narrator is inside
a story and is
speaking as a
character
(I , me, we)

(first person)

The narrator is
outside a story and
observes and speaks
about other
characters

(they, he, she, them)
(third person)

A common expression
that doesn't make
sense if taken
literally
(You are the apple of my eye.)

(idiom)

A brief composition
or piece of writing on
a single specific topic
or subject

(essay)