Vocabulary Terms

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Common Core State Standards

This list includes every important word that appeared in the grade level standards. Additionally, terms that appeared in an earlier compilation of vocabulary from standards documents.

The most powerful process for teaching vocabulary is Marzano’s six step process:

1) Students receive a brief, informal explanation, description, or demonstration of the term.

2) Students receive an imagery-based representation of the new term.

3) Students describe or explain the term in their own words.

4) Students create their own imagery based representations for the term.

5 )Students elaborate on the term by making connections with other words.

6) Over time, teachers ask students to add new information to their understanding of the terms and to delete or alter erroneous information.