

South Burlington Grade 2 Common Core Reading Standards

Comprehending, interpreting, and evaluating a wide range of written material, resources, and information.

Foundational Skills:

- Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
- Read with accuracy and fluency to support understanding of text.

Comprehension of Literary and Informational Text:

- Ask and answer questions to show understanding of key details in a text.
- Identify main purpose of text and/or point of view of characters.
- Use information, including specific images or illustrations, to show understanding of text.
- Reads and comprehends grade-level informational text and literature independently.

Interpretation of Literary and Informational Text:

- Identify the main topic or central message, lesson, or moral of a text.
- Describe the connections between events, ideas, concepts, and characters.
- Describe how reasons support specific points author makes in a text.
- Compares and contrasts between two or more versions of the same story by different authors or from different cultures.
- Compares and contrasts the most important points presented by two texts on the same topic.

Evaluation of Literary and Informational Text:

- Determine the meanings of words and phrases.
- Use text features (e.g. captions, bold print, subheadings, etc.) to locate key facts/details and/or describe overall structure of story (beginning, middle, end).
- Compare and contrast two versions of same story (e.g. Cinderella stories) or most important points shown in two texts on same topic.