

Citing Text Evidence Vocabulary

| Word | Definition | Example |
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| Inference | An educated guess based on evidence | Based on his smile , I think he likes pizza. |
| Dialogue | The spoken words of characters Enclosed in quotation marks | "You've got about as much charm as a dead slug," says Haymitch." (Collins 117) |
| Direct Quote | Using the exact words of the author "Copy and paste" | "The odds had been entirely in her favor. But it hadn't mattered." (Collins 21) |
| Text Evidence | Supporting proof or clues found in the text | On page __, it says __ |
| Cite | To give credit to the author you quote | "The odds had been entirely in her favor. But it hadn't mattered." (Collins 21) |