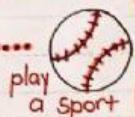


Non-Fiction Literature Characteristics

What Is **nonfiction**?

Nonfiction books are about **REAL** things, people, animals, events and places.

How to....



build a house

bake something

Places



History

People



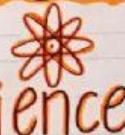
Animals



Transportation



Science



Non-Fiction Readings can be:

- Newspaper (periodicals)
- Biography
- Reference (dictionaries, encyclopedias...)
- Historical
- Anecdotes
- Journalism
- Explanation
- Arguments
- Articles
- Persuasion
- Procedure (following recipes, experiments)
- Autobiography

Non-Fiction

1. Purpose: to learn/teach
2. Can be read in any order.
3. Can have these Text Features:
 - Table of contents
 - Index
 - Keywords
 - Glossary
 - Photographs
 - Captions
 - Diagrams
 - Labels
 - Maps, charts and graphs

- Glossary: definitions
- Keywords: to help understand
- Captions: small important details
- Labels: organization
- Photographs: of the actual things written in the piece.

Make 5 bullet points about:

What did you learn about Non-Fiction?

I learned that non-fiction...

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
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