

*"Why all the interest in texting?" Reading comprehension. Answer these activities below:*

Using the article in SNP104. Connect the expressions on the left with the correct meaning on the right.

Caught my eye.

Wonder.

Discreet.

Overhear.

Downsides.

Warn of.

Disadvantages.

Not noticeable.

Hear by accident.

Got my attention.

Say there's a problem.

Ask myself.

Why do so many people like texting better than talking on the phone? Find two reasons.

How many texting abbreviations does the author of the article use? What does each one mean?

What is "textese"? What kind of problems does it cause?

What are some other downsides of texting? Find four problems in the article.

Do you have any advice for people who text all the time? Write 4 "Dos" and "Don'ts" for texters.

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