



# Explicit Information in Nonfiction

Explicit information is information that the author specifically states. Explicit information does not require the reader to make any assumptions or to use their imagination in order to get the meaning of the passage. When an author says something explicitly, they say exactly what they mean in a straightforward way.

**Directions:** Read the text. Write down two things that you learned from the text. Identify the passages in the text that explicitly conveyed each piece of information.

Name of Text: \_\_\_\_\_

What did you learn? \_\_\_\_\_

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The text explicitly says: \_\_\_\_\_

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