



Analyzing an Author's Purpose

Here, the author uses _____ to _____

The author's overall purpose in this text seems to be to _____

In general, the author is emphasizing _____

Another work by this author, _____, informs this text by _____

The author implies that _____

The audience of this text is likely _____ but could also include _____

The author seems to believe that _____

_____ would agree/disagree with _____

Here, the author begins to _____

The author say / claims _____

I feel like the author is saying _____

In the following passage, _____, the author implies _____

Here, the author returns to the idea that _____

The author seems to be trying to _____

The author seems to want the reader to notice / see / agree that _____

An underlying assumption of _____ is . _____

The author doesn't seem to realize or know that _____

The author is comparing _____ to _____