



# Reading Nonfiction

## Interplay of Central Ideas

**DIRECTIONS:** Identify two central ideas in the text. Then find three passages that illustrate each central idea being developed as the text unfolds. Copy short passages onto the page. Identify longer passages by page/paragraph number.

Central Idea: \_\_\_\_\_

Passages illustrating development of central idea:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Central Idea: \_\_\_\_\_

Passages illustrating development of central idea:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Identify several places in the text where these central ideas interact and/or build upon each other.

1.

2.