

Inferences

Writers of fiction and poetry frequently give you more information about what is going on in the text than they state explicitly. When you imply rather than state what is going on, it allows readers to make inferences as they read, keeping them engaged. It also makes your writing seem more "alive" and interesting.



Choose one of the pictures. Write a few sentences from which the reader can infer the location. Then trade papers with a classmate. Which picture did your classmate choose? How do you know?

My classmate chose _____

I know because _____
