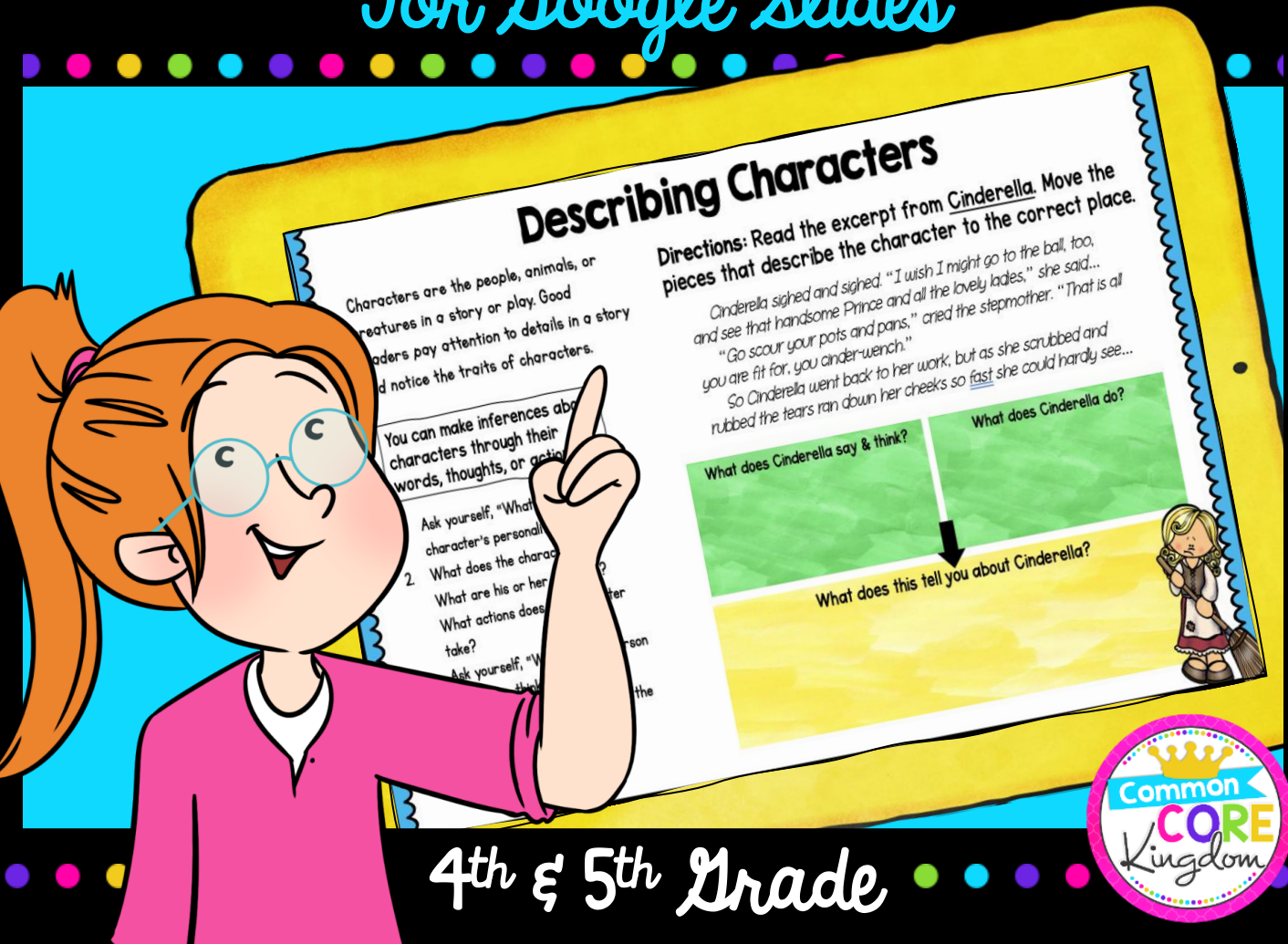


DIGITAL INTERACTIVE READING SKILLS

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Describing Characters

Characters are the people, animals, or creatures in a story or play. Good readers pay attention to details in a story and notice the traits of characters.

You can make inferences about characters through their words, thoughts, or actions.

Ask yourself, "What does the character's personality tell me?"

2. What does the character do? What are his or her actions? What actions does the character take? Ask yourself, "What does this tell me about the character?"

Directions: Read the excerpt from *Cinderella*. Move the pieces that describe the character to the correct place.

Cinderella sighed and sighed. "I wish I might go to the ball, too, and see that handsome Prince and all the lovely ladies," she said... "Go scour your pots and pans," cried the stepmother. "That is all you are fit for, you cinder-wench!" So Cinderella went back to her work, but as she scrubbed and rubbed the tears ran down her cheeks so fast she could hardly see...

What does Cinderella say & think?

What does Cinderella do?

What does this tell you about Cinderella?

Common CORE Kingdom

4th & 5th Grade

Videos, Read Alouds, Moveable Pieces, & Editable Text Boxes

Types of Questions



Text



Text + My Brain

Directions: Sort the following statements into the correct column.

EXPLICIT

INFERENTIAL

- "Right There" questions

- There will be text evidence to help you make an inference.

- The answer will not be in the text.

- You need to think about the answer.

- The answer can be found right in the text.

- You can underline the answer in the text.

- You might get tricked if you just try to remember the answer.

All Major 4th & 5th Grade Skills & Standards

Context Clues

TYPES OF CONTEXT CLUES



Definition (meaning)



Examples (like, such as, or)



Synonyms (same)



Antonyms (opposite)



Word Parts (prefix, suffix, or root)

Directions: Match the sentences to the correct type of context clue.

We temporarily could not use the equipment.

Docile animals, such as cats, are easy to handle.

Marcos was dejected, so he didn't want to go to the game.

Many animals are diurnal, meaning they are active during the day.

The grinch is a disagreeable person.

Fiction & Nonfiction Skills Practice

Scientific Texts

The pitcher plant is a carnivorous plant that consumes insects for energy. There are about 100 species of pitcher plants. Pitcher plants have pitfall traps, which are leaves shaped like pitchers that have deep cups filled with fluid. The fluid is a digestive liquid that breaks down insects that fall into it. The pitchers have a waxy coating, making the surface slippery. When an insect lands on this waxy surface, it falls into the pitcher and is unable to escape. The liquid inside the pitcher drowns the insect and slowly dissolves it. The prey is changed into a solution that the plant gets nutrition from. Pitcher plants grow in areas that have soil that is acidic and low in minerals. They rely on prey, rather than soil and photosynthesis, to obtain nutrients.



Pitcher Plant

Directions: Fill out the diagram to show and effect relationship found in the paragraph. Use the text and photograph to help.

