

GRADES 7-12



A web page of K-12 digital resources accompanies each “play” in *The Comprehension Playbook*. Use the guide below to locate the online materials that correspond with each round of instruction **specific to Grades 7-12**.



Readers apply READER VOICES

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OVERVIEW OF FUNDAMENTAL
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Week 1 (DAYS 1-5) Week 2 (DAYS 6-10)
Week 3 (DAYS 11-15) Week 4 (DAYS 16-20)

Readers retell & SUMMARIZE LITERATURE

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Set the foundation with story elements Retell literature focusing on the plot

ROUND 1 **ROUND 1**

Think beyond the text's plot to infer lesson and theme

ROUNDS 2-4

Readers retell & SUMMARIZE INFORMATION

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Recall key details Retell sections to generate an objective summary

ROUND 1

Infer the main idea(s) based on text evidence

ROUNDS 2&3

Readers see TEXT ORGANIZATION

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Utilize print & digital text features Recognize literary genres & story structure

ROUND 2

Follow nonfiction presented in various text structures See the *What & Why* structure of persuasive texts

ROUND 1 **ROUND 3**

Readers analyze AUTHOR CHOICES

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Infer perspectives of characters Determine points of view

ROUND 1 **ROUND 1**

Analyze the impact of style & medium Analyze & evaluate author arguments

ROUNDS 2&3

Readers COMPARE TEXTS

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Compare story elements in literature Compare 2 texts on the same topic

ROUND 1 **ROUND 2**

Compare text versions & mediums

ROUND 3

Readers SYNTHESIZE IDEAS

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STEP 1: Collect information from multiple sources STEP 2: Combine details to generate a working synthesis

ROUND 1 **ROUND 2**

Synthesize sources to compare or argue Access synthesis examples

ROUND 3

READERS WRITE about texts

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