

# POINT OF VIEW READING ASSESSMENTS PRINT AND DIGITAL

## Mountain Gorillas

Mountain gorillas are endangered animals for several reasons. Loss of habitat is one reason. These great apes live in forests, high in the mountains of central Africa. People have moved higher up in the mountains to grow crops, to mine illegally, and to cut down trees. Even though mountain gorillas have thick fur, they have been pushed out of their home areas. They have had to try to survive for longer times in freezing temperatures.

There are other reasons mountain gorillas are endangered. For example, poachers illegally hunt mountain gorillas to make money. They sell babies as pets. They capture or kill gorillas too. A civil war nearby is also hurting some of the gorillas. Thankfully, mountain gorilla numbers have increased recently because of the efforts of conservation groups.

Point of View A

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1. What is the author's point of view in the first paragraph? \*

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- ☐ People have taken their land.
- ☐ Disease has hurt them.
- ☐ Zoos have taken them.

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### ART EDUCATION

Many school districts struggle to have enough money to cover all programs needed for their schools. Sometimes this has caused cuts in programs like art education. Art is important for all students though. It is a subject that every student should be able to experience.

What are the benefits of art? For most kids, art is motivating. Art is fun and is an activity they enjoy. Scientists have found that art improves fine motor skills, like cutting with scissors or writing with a pencil. It helps the brain develop. For example, it helps kids to be better problem solvers. Art can help students improve in reading, writing, math, and science. Counselor's also think art is helpful. It helps kids understand their world. It allows them to deal with big emotions in a safe way. Artists, of course, agree that art is an important part of life. It is a way for kids to express themselves. It allows kids to enjoy creating something of their own. We need to make sure that all schools have art classes!

1. What is the author's point of view about why art programs are often cut?  
A. Not enough money B. Too much money C. It's not important
2. What is the author's point of view about how kids feel about art?  
A. They think it's boring. B. They think it's fun and hard.
3. What is the author's point of view about art?  
A. It helps kids deal with emotions. B. It's important.
4. What is the author's point of view about art?  
A. It helps fine motor skills. B. It's fun.
5. Which detail best supports the author's point of view?  
A. It lets kids create things. B. All schools have art classes.

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**MOUNTAIN GORILLAS**

Mountain gorillas are endangered animals. One reason their habitat is one reason. These great apes live in the mountains of central Africa. People have moved mountains to grow crops, to mine illegally, and though mountain gorillas have thick fur, they have lost their home areas. They have had to try to survive in freezing temperatures.

There are other reasons mountain gorillas are endangered. For example, poachers illegally hunt mountain gorillas and sell babies as pets. They capture or kill gorillas and are also hurting some of the gorillas. Thankfully, more poachers have increased recently because of the efforts to protect them.

1. What is the author's point of view in the first paragraph?  
A. People have taken their land. B. Disease has hurt them. C. Poachers are killing gorillas.
2. What is the author's point of view about poachers?  
A. There are no poachers. B. There are very few poachers. C. Poachers are hurting gorillas.
3. What is the author's point of view about the effects of poaching?  
A. It has hurt gorillas. B. It only hurts people. C. It has helped gorillas.
4. What is the author's point of view about conservation efforts?  
A. They are lazy. B. They have helped gorillas. C. They are not enough.
5. Which detail best supports the idea that poaching is a problem?  
A. They sell babies as pets. B. They cut down trees. C. They are killing gorillas.

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Point of View A

Includes a Print Format

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**CATS**

It can be hard deciding which pet to get! There are so many options, from hamsters, to parakeets, and goldfish too. If you are choosing between a cat and a dog, it can be especially difficult! Both can make great furry friends, but there are quite a few reasons why cats might be the best choice.

Here are just a few reasons why you'll find it easier to take care of than dogs. Dogs need to be let out to go to the bathroom. Cats can use a litter box though, and barking can also be very noisy! Cats may meow, but it's not as loud as a dog's bark. Also, if you let a cat nap most of the day. Both cats and dogs are able to take care of themselves.

1. What is the author's point of view about choosing a pet?  
A. Dogs are the best choice. B. Cats are the best choice. C. Both are good choices.
2. What is the author's point of view about cats cleaning themselves?  
A. Cats clean themselves. B. Dogs clean themselves. C. Both cats and dogs clean themselves.
3. What is the author's point of view about cats barking?  
A. A cat crying can be very noisy. B. A cat barking can be very noisy. C. Cats don't bark.
4. What is the author's point of view about why cats are good pets?  
A. Both cats and dogs. B. Only cats. C. Only dogs.
5. Which detail best supports the idea that cats are good pets?  
A. They sleep in cozy spaces. B. They're great furry friends. C. They can use a litter box.

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Point of View B

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4. What is the author's point of view about how artists feel about art?  
A. It helps fine motor skills. B. It lets kids express themselves. C. It is a fun activity.
5. Which detail best supports the idea that art helps the brain develop?  
A. It lets kids create things. B. All schools should have art classes. C. It helps with problem solving.

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Point of View C

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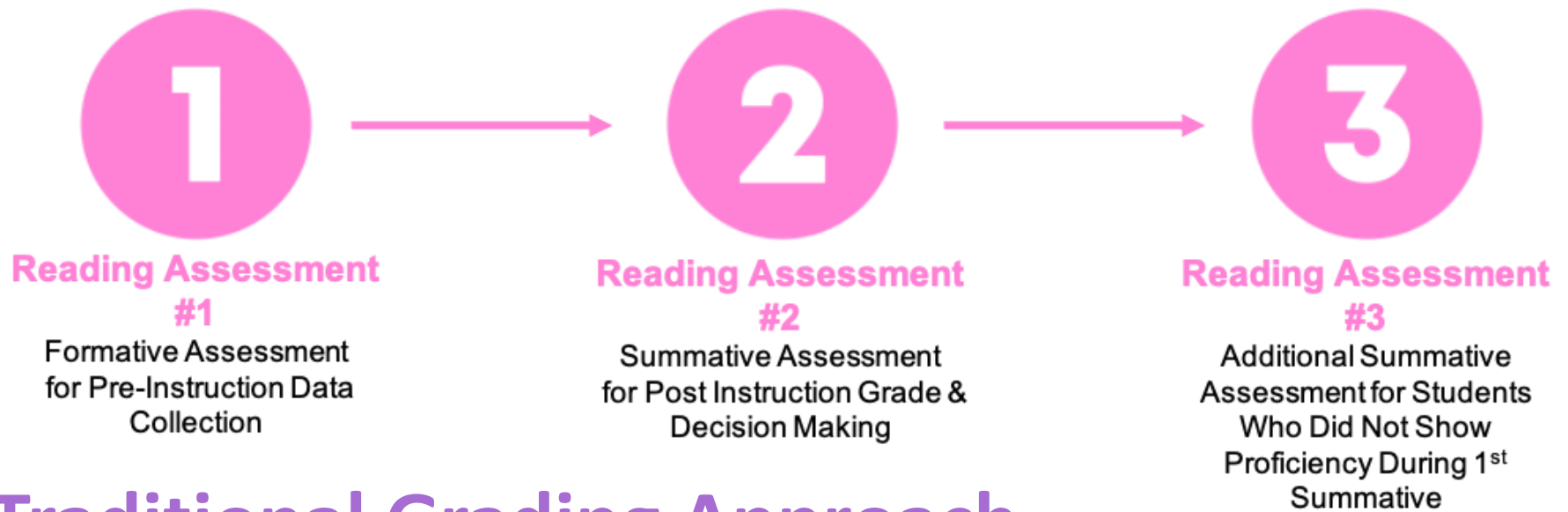
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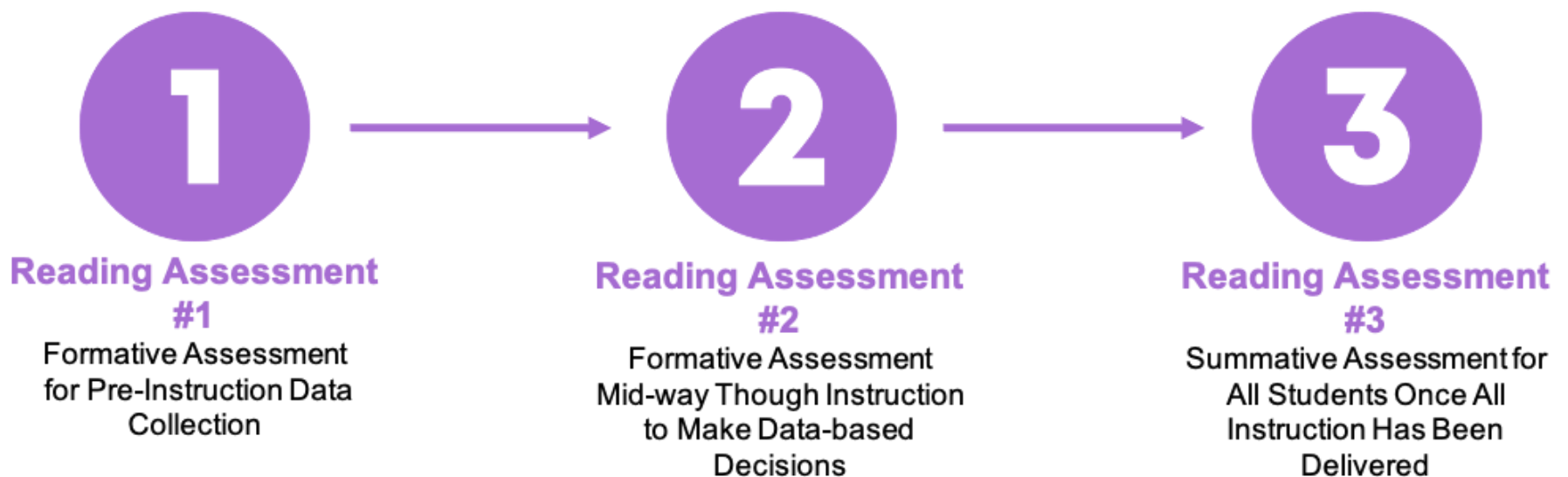


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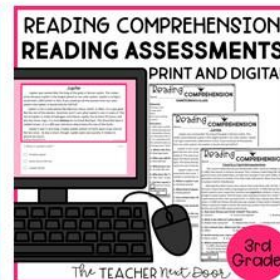
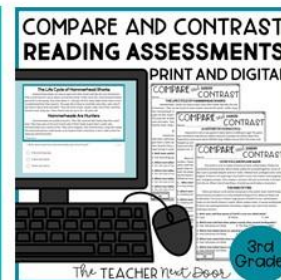
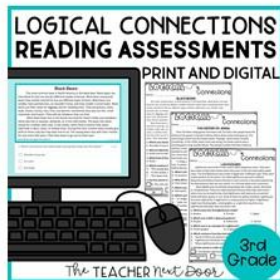
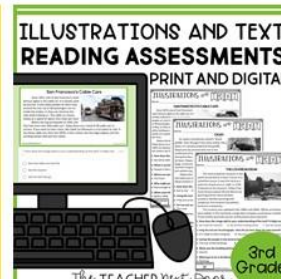
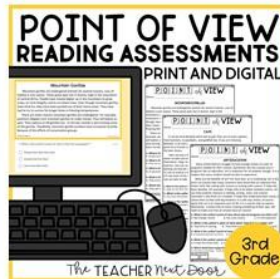
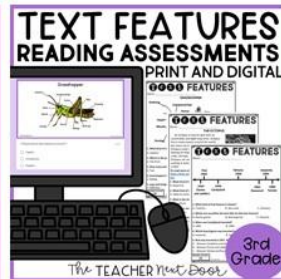
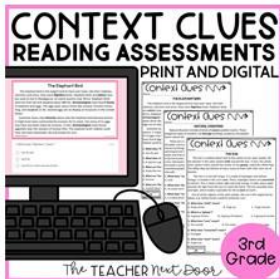
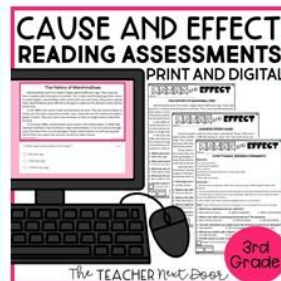
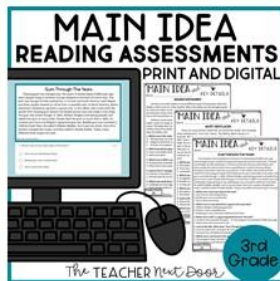
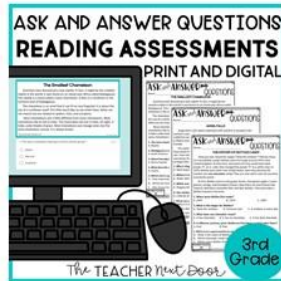
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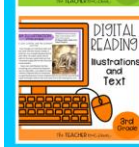
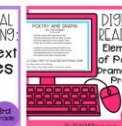


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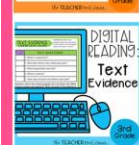
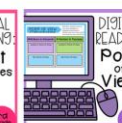
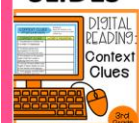
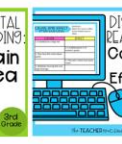
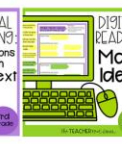
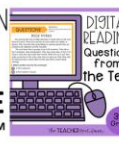
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