

Text navigation features of online texts that enhance readability including...

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Learning intention

- identify text navigation features of online texts that enhance readability including headlines, drop-down menus, links, graphics and layout

Teach and model

- investigating the features used for texts such as headings and subheadings in print text, home pages and subpages in digital texts, and how these help the reader select...
- comparing the features of texts on similar topics online

Check understanding

- Explain the main idea in text navigation features of online texts that enhance readability including... using an example.
- Show the idea in a second way: with words, a model, a diagram or symbols.
- Apply the idea to a short unfamiliar situation and justify the result.

Teaching cautions

- Ask the student to explain their choice, not only state an answer.
- Check that key vocabulary is understood in a new example.
- Mix representations so the skill is transferred rather than copied.

Quick lesson sequence

- Connect to prior knowledge and introduce the key vocabulary.
- Model one clear example, then solve a second example together.
- Finish with an independent check and a short student explanation.