

Text Complexity: Qualitative Measures Rubric for Informational Text

*Text Title:* Good News and Bad News for Coral Reefs

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Very Complex

Slightly Complex

QUALITATIVE				
PURPOSE	Purpose:	Purpose:	Purpose:	Purpose:
TEXT STRUCTURE	Organization of Main Ideas:			
	Text Features Use of Graphics:			
LANGUAGE FEATURES	Conventionality	Conventionality	Conventionality	Conventionality
	Vocabulary:	Vocabulary:	Vocabulary:	Vocabulary:
	Sentence Structure:	Sentence Structure:	Sentence Structure:	Sentence Structure:
KNOWLEDGE DEMANDS	Subject Matter Knowledge:	Subject Matter Knowledge:	Subject Matter Knowledge:	Subject Matter Knowledge:
	Intertextuality:	Intertextuality:	Intertextuality:	Intertextuality:



# Questions to Consider in Planning for Instructional Scaffolding of Informational Text

#### Purpose:

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#### Text Structure:

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### Language Features:

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## Knowledge Demands:

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## General:

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