

Grades  
3 - 5

# Mode Expository : Informational / Explanatory

*Purpose: To report or convey information*

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I've Got It !

- I've covered my topic well, using specific details and facts.
- My information is both accurate and fascinating.
- I've answered questions for the reader.
- I stayed focused on my topic and developed it.

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On My Way

- I gave an overview of my topic.
- My information is pretty ordinary and maybe inaccurate. I better do a fact check.
- I don't think I've answered my readers' questions.
- I tried to stay focused on my topic, but wandered here and there.

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Just Starting

- I don't know much about my topic at all.
- I don't provide much information and didn't check my facts.
- My reader will wonder what I am writing about.
- Yikes! I need to rethink my topic.

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