

## Text-dependent Discussion Questions

Title of Text: \_\_\_\_\_

Category	What questions could you ask students?
<p><b>LITERAL</b></p> <p><b>What does the text say?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Key Details</li> <li>• General Understanding</li> </ul>	
<p><b>STRUCTURAL</b></p> <p><b>How does the text work?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vocabulary</li> <li>• Text Structure</li> <li>• Author's Craft</li> </ul>	
<p><b>INFERENTIAL</b></p> <p><b>What does the text mean?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inferences</li> <li>• Author's Purpose</li> <li>• Intertextual Connections</li> </ul>	
<p><b>INSPIRATIONAL</b></p> <p><b>What does the text inspire you to do?</b> Students generate ideas on their own. Ideas could include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Respond to a writing prompt</li> <li>• Conduct research or investigate</li> <li>• Generate new questions</li> <li>• Deliver a presentation</li> <li>• Debate about the text</li> <li>• Engage in a Socratic Seminar</li> </ul>	