

REFERENCE MATERIAL

Academic Vocabulary

A

Analyze

To examine methodically and in detail the constitution or structure of information.

B

Bias

Prejudice in favor of or against one thing, person, or group compared with another.

C

Context

The circumstances that form the setting for an event, statement, or idea.

D

Derive

Obtain something from a specified source or base.

E

Evidence

The available body of facts or information indicating whether a belief is valid.

F

Formulate

To create or prepare methodically a strategy or a proposal.

G

Generate

To produce or create something, especially an argument or data.

H

Hypothesis

A proposed explanation made on the basis of limited evidence as a starting point.

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Interpret

Explain the meaning of information, words, or actions.

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J - Z

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