

FIGURE 2.5: Student-Friendly Definitions for Show You Know

Telegraphic highlighting: Highlighting the key words and phrases in a text

Key words: In telegraphic highlighting, words that tell the reader what the text is explicitly about

Supporting details: Various important facts in the text that help to explain the key idea of the text

Nonessential information: Trivial information in a text that does not answer the question you are asking or support the conclusion you have drawn

Show: Point out or prove something

Know: Be aware of something