



Main Idea: Tips

- When writing a story of your own, make sure to have your main idea shine through.
 - The point of your story should be very clear.
 - In addition to a clear main idea, you should have a theme, the lesson, moral, or idea you are trying to show your reader. It doesn't have to be complicated!
- Whenever reading a book, it is always a good idea to keep the main idea in mind.
- Make sure you correctly identify the main idea (It can be confusing sometimes!).
- The main idea is probably the most important reading concepts you will learn from Grades K-5:
 - You use it very often in middle school, and
 - If you can understand and identify it right now, you will do great in future reading and english classes!