

Reading Work Sample Task Form

Instructions: Please fill in the following sections using the corresponding information listed on the Work Sample Documentation Form (WSDF). The purpose of the Work Sample Task Form is to confirm the information previously stated on the WSDF, to provide a consistent template for describing your instructions to the student and to help the scorers identify the tasks in the binders.

Work Sample #: _____

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Title and Author of Text: *Across the Country in 90 Days (or Less)*

Write the target for each strand in the task in the boxes below.

<input type="checkbox"/> Literary Text	Literary Comprehension	Literary Analysis	Literary Thinking Critically

OR

<input type="checkbox"/> Informational Text	Informational Comprehension	Informational Analysis	Informational Thinking Critically
	IC13	IA17	IT18

Reading Task Instructions (If student work is on the same page as the task instructions, you do not need to complete this box):

In 3-4 paragraphs, write a reading response to the story "Across the Country in 90 Days (or Less)".

1. (IC13) Predict what you think will happen to automobile travel in the future.
2. (IA17) Analyze the problems that were associated with Horatio Nelson Jackson's cross-country journey and discuss the problems that happened as a result of this journey.
3. (IT18) Judge the author's purpose for writing this selection regarding the difficulty of cross-country land travel in 1903. Distinguish between fact and opinion.

Use text-based evidence to support each section of your reading response.