



# Extended Constructed Response Template



## RACE<sup>2</sup>S

**Restate and Answer the question**

**RA**

**C**

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The text states...  
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It states...  
In paragraph \_\_\_\_ it says...

**E**

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The evidence shows me...  
This means...  
The text makes me think...  
I know...  
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**Sum it up- conclusion sentence**