

## **The NCTE/IRA Standards**

<http://www.ncte.org/about/over/standards/110846.htm>

3. Students apply a wide range of strategies to comprehend, interpret, evaluate, and appreciate texts. They draw on their prior experience, their interactions with other readers and writers, their knowledge of word meaning and other texts, [...] and their understanding of textual features.
4. Students adjust their use of spoken, written, and visual language [...] to communicate effectively with a variety of audiences and different purposes.
5. Students employ a wide range of strategies as they write and use different writing process elements appropriately to communicate with different audiences for a variety of purposes.