# Text Features and Structure

Grade 3 Reading Worksheet - Challenge Me

Name _____ Date _____

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6 pages 11 pages 5 pages 2 pages

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| Museums | 21 |

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colors
leaves change color fall
things that happen in the fall
tree

5. Read: "Deer ate the town's gardens. The town built tall fences, and now the gardens grow safely." How is this text organized?

compare and contrast time order problem and solution question and answer

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table of contents sidebar glossary index

9. Read the sentence. The writer explains the bold word right in the sentence. What is amber?

Some fossils form in **amber**, sticky sap that hardens.

a bug stuck in mud sap that hardens a kind of soft rock a very old bone

10. Read: "Fossils and rocks are both found in the ground. Unlike rocks, fossils show signs of life." Which signal words show a comparison?

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