

Finding the Main Idea of Paragraphs 2

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Answer 1: Classrooms

This is a *stated* main idea: The physical environment of a classroom is extremely important because it can influence the way teachers and students feel, think, and behave.

Answer 2: China Power

This is a *stated* main idea: Whether China's emergence as a global power can peacefully find a place in East Asia and the world is a major issue in today's international political environment, one that warrants a responsible look.

Answer 3: Rain

This is an *implied* main idea: It's abnormal to venture out in the rain, but the positive results can be well worth it.

Answer 4: Math

This is an *implied* main idea: Although males outperform females on math tests, the cause of the discrepancy is unknown.

Answer 5: Movies

This is an *implied* main idea: People are willing to pay high prices for movies on the weekends in order to experience camaraderie with others.

Answer 6: Troopathon

This is an *implied* main idea: Melanie Morgan created the Troopathon to counteract the negative personification of troops displayed by the media.

Answer 7: Relationships

This is an *implied* main idea: Getting into a relationship is easy, but staying in one is not.

Answer 8: Educational Technology

This is an *implied* main idea: Technology is pervasive in today's classrooms, and although critics doubt its use in education, their viewpoint is faulty.

Answer 9: Fair Use

This is a *stated* main idea: The recording industry has gone too far in its fight against file sharers in that Copyright Management Systems can impinge on users fair use of digital information.

Answer 10: Mares

This is a *stated* main idea: A recent study found that more sociable mares had more foals.