

Comparing themes across texts

Directions: Complete the following organizer for as many texts as you are comparing.

	Text 1:	Text 2:	Text 3:
Topic or big idea: A one word concept that the text makes you think about e.g Love, War, Friendship			
What key quotes or events help you understand this big idea? Be specific.			
How does the structure of the text help you understand this idea?			

	Text 1:	Text 2:	Text 3:
What does the author want you to understand about this idea?			
Universal theme statement: Ex: War creates destruction			

Reflection

Similarities between the texts:	Differences between the texts:	Based on these texts, what conclusions can you draw about the topic?