Elements of Nonfiction

TEXT FEATURES

Text features are design elements that help to organize information visually. They highlight key ideas and provide additional information. Some common text features are

- **subheadings**, or section titles, which identify a main idea or topic of the information that follows
- graphic aids, such as maps, photographs, or graphs
- captions, which provide information about a graphic aid

Directions: In the chart, record two examples of each type of text feature. One example has been done for you.

Graphic Aids	Captions
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