

SUPPORTING DETAIL

A **supporting detail** is a detail that tells a specific fact or detail about the main idea of the text.

A supporting detail SUPPORTS the main idea of the text.

Example:

If the main idea of an article was that going to school is important, a supporting detail would be that school helps prepare you for your future.

Try This

If the main
supporting

a] The city

b] The city

c] Schools and businesses were closed because 2 feet of snow fell over night.

d] I have lived in the city for 8 years.



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