

Features of Nonfiction

Feature	Purpose	Example
photographs	helps reader understand exactly what something looks like	
labels	used to identify a picture or photograph and its parts	
types of print	they signal to the reader, "hey, I'm important, look at me!"	
captions	help the reader better understand a picture or photograph	
table of contents	help the reader find key topics/chapters in the order they come	
index	alphabetical list of topics in the book with page numbers (or links) to find them	
glossary	important words and their definitions	
table	organizes information in a chart for reader to view	

Chart

Chart	Bar Chart	Line Graph	Pie Chart	Area Chart	Scatter Plot	Table	Flowchart	Diagram
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