

Bones Never Lie What the Evidence Lets You Claim

20 MINUTES

TARGET

Draw evidence from a literary text to support analysis and recognize when evidence limits a conclusion.

STUDENT PRODUCT

Fixed Cancuén claim + two supporting findings + uncertainty sentence.

LESSON SEQUENCE

1. Use the Cancuén question Everyone works on the same claim: What did investigators conclude about the Cancuén victims and their possible killers?
2. Finding 1 Record one finding from the prepared Cancuén evidence that supports the conclusion about what happened to the victims.
3. Finding 2 Record a second finding that supports the investigators' reasoning about the suspected killers.
4. Mark the uncertainty Students complete: The evidence supports ____, but it does not prove ____ about the killers. Revise any claim that states the uncertain part as fact.

ASSESSMENT · LOOK FOR

- Keeps the analysis on the Cancuén victims and suspected killers.
- Uses two distinct findings from the source evidence.
- Clearly separates the supported conclusion from what remained uncertain.

Standards-first rule: freeze the lesson after QA. Add a regional code only when the complete local expectation is actually satisfied.

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What the Evidence Lets You Claim Name _____ Date _____

CANCUÉN CLAIM — what did investigators conclude?

Finding 1 about the victims

Finding 2 about the suspected killers

The evidence supports _____, but it does not prove _____.

This student page is part of the frozen standards-first lesson. Complete the evidence shown here; do not substitute a different task to fit a standard.