

# What does the author MEAN?

The quote is saying that...

The quote is explaining that...

In this quote, the author describes...

The quote is reinforcing the idea that...

The quote clarifies why the...

In the quote, the author proposes...

The quote shows that...

This is because...

This means that...

This makes me realize...because...

For instance...

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One example of...

Another example of...

I wonder why, how, what, if...

Examples of this include...

On the one hand...

I used to think..., but now...

This text teaches that...

This text demonstrates...

A lesson that I have learned from this text is...

