

Central Ideas and Text Structure: Explore and Explain



Name: _____ Date: _____

Explore the material. Talk through your reasoning with suitable support.

Repair Before Replacement

A broken object does not always need to be discarded. A loose screw or torn seam may be easy to repair. Some repairs require tools and adult help, so safety matters. Repair can reduce waste, but a badly damaged or unsafe object may need replacement. Making a careful decision requires looking at both condition and possible repair.

1. State the central idea.

2. Name a simple repair mentioned.
