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Text Features

Directions: Text features are the pictures, captions, headlines, subheads, maps, and other features that go along with an article. Answer the questions below about the text features in "America's Deadliest Disaster."

1. Read the title and subtitle on pages 8-9 and look at the photo. What was America's deadliest disaster? What does the photo show? How do you think a hurricane causes so much damage?

2. Look at the map on page 10 and read its caption. What about Galveston's location made it easy for the city to flood?

3. How did Galveston look before the storm hit? What about right after the storm? How does it look today?

4. Read the section headings and make predictions about what information will be given in each section.
