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✓ In the essay "Texting Shorthand Annoys Purists and May Have Lasting Impact" by Seth Mydans, the author discusses how text messaging has emerged in recent years but people don't necessarily agree with the form of communication. The author points out that texting has three characteristics which are, ✓ the use of new words, ease of use, and ✓ use by everyone worldwide. The author ✓ provides evidence of texting even being used on exams but objected. The author concludes that ✓ text messaging is a language that is rapidly developing in the world and how people either accept it or not.