

Reading Literature Cards

Before Reading Cards (Copy on light green paper and cut out). Thanks to Sarah Lindholm for adding graphics!

What is my *purpose for reading* this story?



Look at the first few illustrations.

How do the *illustrations* give me *clues* about the *setting* and the *characters*?



Does the *title* give me a *clue about the story*? If so, what?



What is the *genre* of this text?

Fiction OR Non-Fiction?




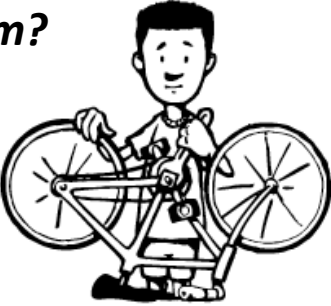
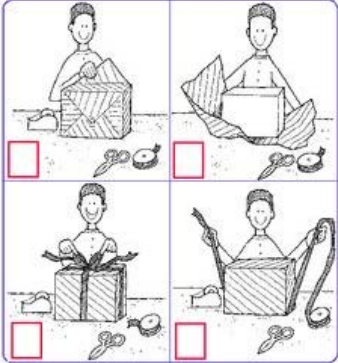




How do you know?

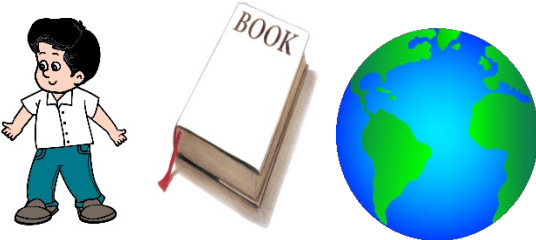




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During Reading Cards (Copy on light yellow paper and cut out)

You will need to identify stopping points and which cards to use during the reading of the story

<p>Who is the story about?</p> <p>Who are the <i>main characters</i>?</p> 	<p>What are the <i>character traits</i> of the <i>main characters</i>?</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p>What is the <i>main character's</i> problem?</p> 
<p>What does the main character <i>want to do about the problem</i>?</p>  <p>Fix It!</p>	<p>What <i>events happen</i> as the main character is <i>trying to solve the problem</i>?</p> 	<p>How does the <i>character solve the problem</i>?</p> <p>If the character <i>hasn't solved the problem</i>, how do you <u>predict the problem will be solved</u>?</p>   <p>Fix It!</p>

After Reading Cards (Copy on light red paper and cut out)

<p>What connections can you make with the text?</p> <p>Self? Text? World?</p> 	<p>What was the setting? Time? Place?</p> <p>Did the setting change during the story? Explain how.</p> 	<p>What was the problem and how was the problem solved?</p>  <p>Fix It!</p>
<p>What did the main character learn? What lesson did I learn?</p> 	<p>Why do I think the author wrote this story? What were they trying to tell me?</p> 	<p>What was my purpose for reading this story?</p> <p>Did I do my best?</p> 