

Question

Think of a question about the paragraph that was read.

- One question I had about what I read was...
- What were you thinking about as you were reading?
- What question(s) can you ask about what you read?
- I'm curious about...
- I wonder[why,how,who,where,when,what]
(ask questions using these words).

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Summarize

Summarize in a simple sentence the paragraph that was read.
(What is the main idea?)

☺ What does the author want me to remember or learn from this passage?

- This was about...
- [First, next, then, finally...]
- What is the most important information in this passage?
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- What kind of "teacher" question can I ask about the main idea?
- In my words, this is about...
- The main point was...
- The author wanted me to remember...
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Predict

Make a prediction about what will happen next in the text.

I can look at the title and all the visual clues on the page.

- What do I think we will be reading about?

Think about what I have read and discussed, what do I think might happen next?

- I wonder...
- I predict...because...
- I think...will happen...because...
- I think I will learn...because...

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Clarify

Clarify anything in the text that was unclear. You may ask group members to help you clarify the confusing parts.

- One of the words I wasn't sure about was...
- What other words do we know that we can use in place of...
- What words or ideas need clarifying for you?
- This is confusing to me. I need to _____(strategy) to try to figure out this word.
- This reminds me of...
- I already know that...

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