

1. Before Reading

- Understand the learning intention/success criteria
- Ask yourself questions
- What kind of text am I reading?
- Is it fiction or non-fiction?
- What can I predict from the title, the picture, the blurb and the author?
- What can I picture in my head from the title?
- What do I know already about this type of text?
- What do I know already about this topic?
- What do I want to find out?
- Talk to your reading partner



2. During Reading

- Stop and check for understanding
- Decode
- Look forwards and backwards
- Re-read parts
- Slow down
- Work out the meanings of words you don't know
- Picture what you are reading
- Predict what is going to happen
- Ask yourself questions
- Think about what you already know



3. After Reading

- Ask yourself questions
- Predict what happens next
- Discuss opinions with your reading partner
- Underline or highlight key parts
- Make Notes
- Sum up the main ideas
- Think about what you have learned
- Check to see if you achieved the learning intention/success criteria

