



# READING COMPREHENSION STRATEGIES

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### Infer

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includes cards, bookmarks, & handouts



## • USING THIS PRODUCT •

### *6 Reading Comprehension Strategies*

#### ***What's included:***

***Reading Comprehension Strategies Handout***  
***Reading Comprehension Strategies Cards***  
***Reading Comprehension Strategies Worksheet***  
***Reading Comprehension Strategies Worksheet (editable)***  
***Reading Comprehension Strategies Bookmark***  
***Reading Comprehension Strategies printable***

*The purpose of this product is to help students understand and use reading strategies to make sense of a text.*

*A 'reading strategy' is anything that a reader does to understand what they are reading. It can be as simple as reading more slowly, and as complex as making judgments about the idea organization of a text.*

*For this product, we've selected 6 of the most powerful and broadly useful reading strategies:*

*Reread*  
*Visualize*  
*Adjust Reading Rate*  
*Infer*  
*Question The Text*  
*Summarize*

*Each reading strategy was chosen based on its ability to be used in almost any content area by students anywhere from K-12. In this way, it has the best chance to be internalized and transferred into daily use by the student.*

*Enjoy!*

*--The TeachThought Curricula Team*

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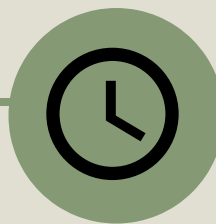
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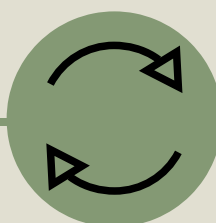
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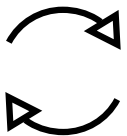
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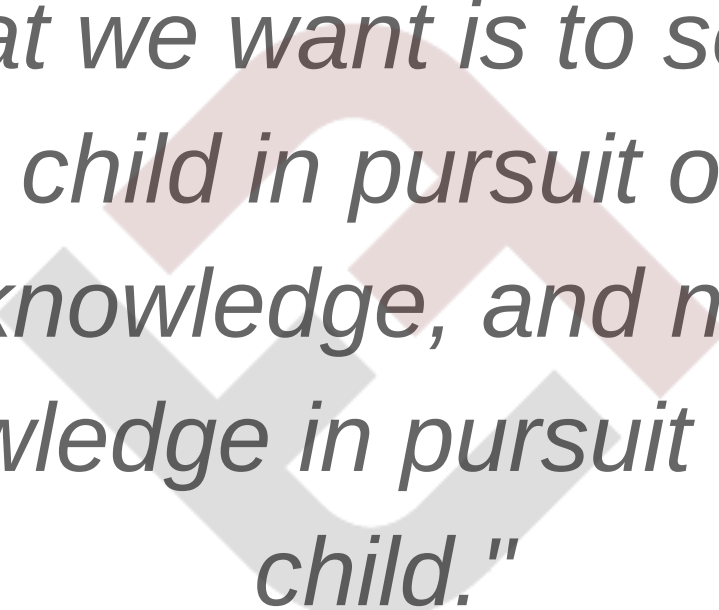
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-George Bernard Shaw