Workplace Reading & Writing Literacy

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What is Literacy?

- 1. Reading
- 2. Writing
- 3. Listening
- 4. Speaking
- 5. Observing



Literacy means.....

- Makings sense of written and spoken words and understanding that words have meaning.
- The ability to <u>comprehend texts</u>, the ability and motivation to read for learning and for pleasure, and the ability to speak and write about what we've read.

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The Big Six

	Big Six				
	Summarize				
	Paraphrase				
	Categorize				
	Infer				
	Predict				
	Recognize Vocabulary				

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The Big Six

The Big Six are the Literacy skills researchers say people need in order to be successful in the workplace or higher education.

Summarize
Paraphrase
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Recognize Content Vocabulary

Source: Model High-yield Strategies for Teaching the Big Six

Source: Southern Regional Education Board

How do we know the Big Six Skills are important?

- Directly linked to most items on most reading placement tests.
- Linked to <u>all content areas</u>
- Linked to <u>careers</u>
- Included in <u>ACT/SAT</u>
- Consistently included in <u>state standards</u>
- Recognized by <u>post-secondary faculty</u> for importance.

Words for Success

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ı		Categorize	Summarize	Paraphrase	Infer	Predict	Recognize Vocabulary
T E R A C		Classify Compare Contrast Detail Diagram Identify Label List Organize Outline Sort	Explain Reflect Retell	Define Describe Discuss Reproduce Restate State	Conclude Decode Evaluate Examine Interpret Justify Observe	Complete Formulate Order Result Sequence	Analyze Assess Calculate Defend Demonstrate Draft Example Passage Review Revise Support Trace Visualize

http://www.gatesfoundation.org/highschools/Documents/supporting-instruction.pdf

Summarizing--a condensed version of something oral or written.

- Identified as the only skill improving essential literacy skills*
- Essential in research and other expository writing.

report prepared for the Carnegie Corporation by Harvard graduate education professors

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Summarizing

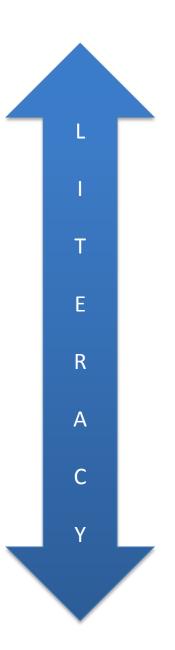
Jigsaw
Paired Questioning
GIST
KWL
Cornell Notes
Reciprocal Teaching

Generating Interactions between Schemata and Text

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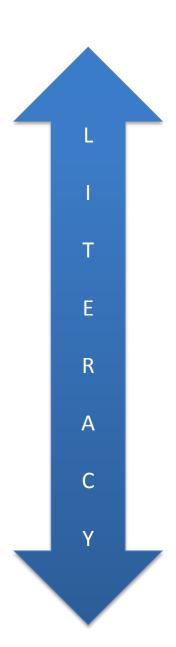
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Paraphrasing—rephrase content and main ideas in your own words

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Para--A prefix with many meanings: alongside of, beside, near, resembling, beyond, apart from, and abnormal



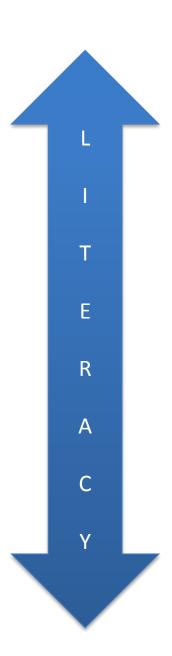
Cornell Notes Two Column Notes

	Step 1:			
	Draw a grid with 3 sections			
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	Step 3:	Step 2:		
	Identify	During lesson, take		
	key	notes here; use		
	concepts	abbreviations		
	or			
	questions			
	Step 4:			
0	Summarize le	esson here		

Honda Fit Sport

Cornell Notes with Cloze Procedure

Description	Honda's smallest, <u>cheapest</u> vehicle fun to drive		
	<u>iuii</u> to unve		
Mileage	"all over the map"		
	"Prius-like" on freeway at 60 mph		
	High 20's mpg in bad traffic		
	16 mpg difference in best-to-worst mileage		
Upkeep	At 9,000-plus miles "nearly bulletproof"		
	Warrantyvery good		
Summary			



Categorizing—grouping objects or ideas according to criteria

Graphic Organizers Concept Definition Maps Frayer Model Cornell Notes

What do you know about treating burns?

What What What **I Know** I Want to Know I Learned **Burn Unit**

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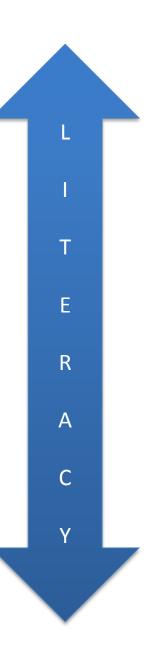
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Inferring—looking beyond the words on the page; drawing conclusions

Questioning the Author Role Audience Format Topic (RAFT)



Role Audience Format Topic

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	Role	Audience	Format	Topic
	Singer	Your Career Theme er	Song	
	Poet		Poem	
	Rapper		Rap	Literacy in
	Performer		Skit	
	Preacher		Sermon	Career Theme
	Advertiser		TV Ad	
	Literacy Team		Public Service Announcement	
	Cheerleaders		Cheer	



Brothers and sisters, yea though I walk through
The Valley of the TEKS, EOC Exams & HB5
Graduation requirements, I will fear no
standards. Yes, my flock, my Region One
Specialists are with me. My new found
knowledge of ELL strategies, they comfort me.
They leadth

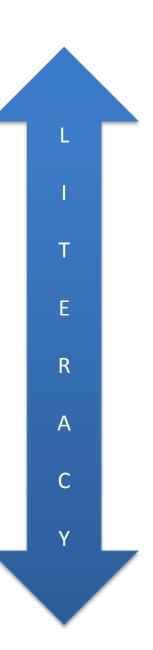
me beside the Big Six skills, and I will dwell in

Bloom's Taxonomy forever.

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Predicting—takes the information given and makes an educated guess about what is to come.

KWL

Story Impressions
Anticipation Guides
Visual Prediction Guides
Reciprocal Teaching

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Vocabulary

Vocabulary Clues

Concept Definition Map

Math Reading Keys

Frayer Model

List, Group, Label, Write

Put these words in at least three categories. Name each category.

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ABC²

Big Six Skills

Categorize

Cloze

Concept Definition Map

Cornell Notes

Foldable

Frayer Model

GIST

Infer

Jigsaw

KWL

List/Label/Sort/Write

Literacy

Paraphrase

Predict

RAFT

Recognize Vocabulary

Story Impressions

Summarize

Frayer Model for Vocabulary

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Definition

Picture

a rewording of the meaning of something spoken or written

Dictionary definition

My words

Morphology/your definition

rephrase content and main ideas in your own words

Para—near, resembling, like Phrase—group of words

paraphrase

Original Sentence

I could not remember the exact definition of the word, so I paraphrased it on the test.

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My # Seven (Public Speaking)				

Questions/Comments

