

3RD GRADE

READING ACTIVITY CARDS

Reading to Understand (Comprehension)



Activity 1: Story Elements

Materials: A fiction book or story (fiction – not real)

Directions:

- Ask the student to read the title and tell you what the title makes them think of – a movie, a television show, another story, or an event from their own life
- Have him/her read a story pausing every few pages to check their understanding of what is being read. Ask who, what, when, where, why, and how questions. If the student does not know, have them go back and reread
- Ask him/her to retell you what happened after reading the story and give details on the main characters, the setting, and the major events (beginning, middle, and end)
- Encourage the student to retell the story in the correct sequence of events



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