

Nonfiction Reading Strategies For Children

Fun Fact Day!

My Fun Fact:

Name:

Source:

Fact:

Ask your students to fill out this form. Pick one from all submissions for that day to display in a class.



Making Connections

What do you already know about this topic?

How does this topic affect your daily life?

What images come to your mind when you think about this topic?



Topic and Main Idea

TOPIC

What the text is about (subject)

MAIN IDEA

What the author wants you to know about the topic



Walk Through The Book

Take a "walk" through the book before reading by looking closely together at the:

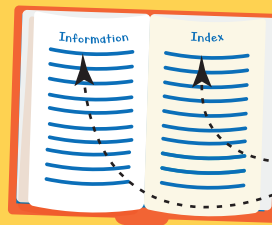


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The Glossary, and the Photographs.



Scanning and skimming helps set the expectation for the reading.



Summarizing

Checking for understanding

What new facts have you learned?

What does that fact make you imagine in your mind?

