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Reading Skills



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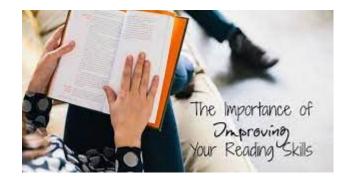
Let's discuss and learn

- Importance of Reading
- Components of Reading
- Ways to improve your reading ability
- Activity



Why Reading Skill is important?

Reading not only helps us to gain knowledge but also empowers us with the power of reasoning. It enables us to understand things better and gives direction to our lives.



Components of Reading

- 1. Decoding
- 2. Comprehension
- 3. Retention



Decoding is the process of translating printed word into a sound.

The two important skills in decoding are:-

- 1. Identification skill
- 2. Word Attack skill



Comprehension

Comprehension is defined as the level of understanding of text/message. This understanding comes from the interaction between the words that are written and how they trigger knowledge outside the text/message.

Comprehension relies on the mastery of decoding.



The condition of retaining (keeping) something. It could be in the short term or long term memory.

The ability to retain depends on the decoding strategy.



Ways to improve Reading ability

- 1. Visualizing the text
- 2. Deductive and Inductive Methods
- 3. Bookmarking and Highlighting the text
- 4. Marginal Notes
- 5. Spotting the keywords etc.



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- Read aloud 2 paras from a blog/website
- Add vocal variations while reading the paragraphs





Factors Affecting Reading Ability

