

Because skimming is done at a fast speed with less-than-normal comprehension, you shouldn't skim all the time. There are many times, however, when skimming is very useful.

- Read the title.
- Read the introduction or the first paragraph.
- A Read the first sentence of every other paragraph.
- Read any headings and sub-headings.
- M Notice any pictures, charts, or graphs.
- Notice any italicized or boldface words or phrases.
- Read the summary or last paragraph.Read the first and last paragraphs in the following text.