

READER'S RESPONSE

Your BRAIN is busy while you are reading. It uses different STRATEGIES to help you understand what you just read. Sometimes your brain does it automatically, and sometimes you have to stop and remind it. Use this sheet to KEEP TRACK of the strategies you are using as you read.

Student Name: _____

Date: _____

Book Title: _____

Author: _____

Reading Style: You read it yourself It was read to you

PREDICTIONS
What do you THINK will happen next?

NEW WORDS: Huh? What does THAT word mean? Write any new words and find out what they mean. Where did you learn the meaning? (dictionary, teacher, parent)

WORD	DEFINITION	SOURCE
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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SUMMARIZE: Briefly re-tell what happened in your reading. _____

???QUESTIONS???
Why? Who? What? How?

CONNECTIONS
That reminds me of...

YOUR OPINION IS IMPORTANT!

What is your OPINION of this story? Like it or hate it?
Just defend your point of view.

VISUALIZE: On the back of this paper, draw or describe a part of the book you could "see" in your head.