

Topics For Reading

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INTRODUCTION

How to use this book

Unit one

Every lesson in this book consists of the following:

- Pre-reading Preparation
- Reading Passage
- Fact-Finding Scanning Exercise
- Reading Analysis
- Word Forms Exercise
- Information Organization
- Information Organization Quiz and Summary
- Critical Thinking Strategies
- Follow-up Discussion and Writing Activities
- Cloze Quiz
- Discussion
- Research Activities

This book has been designed to help students improve their reading skills and develop confidence as they work through the text. At the same time, it is structured so that the students will steadily progress to skillful, independent reading. All of these activities are presented to prepare students for academic work and the world of information they will encounter.

The format of the lesson is consistent. Although each lesson can be done entirely in class, some exercises may be assigned for homework. This, of course, depends on the individual teacher's preference, as well as the availability of class time.

Pre-reading Preparation

The pre-reading activity is designed to stimulate student interest and provide preliminary vocabulary for the passage itself. The importance of pre-reading preparation should not be underestimated. Studies have shown the positive effect of pre-reading preparation in motivating student interest, activating background knowledge, and enhancing reading comprehension.