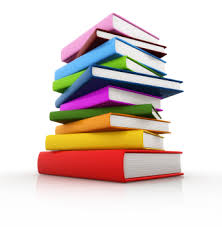
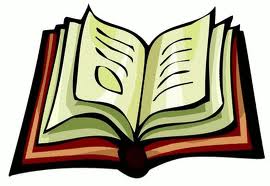
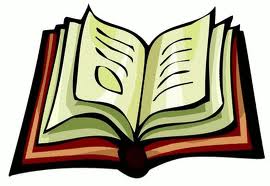


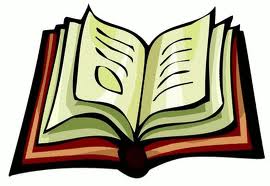
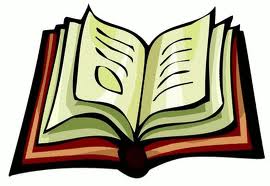
Reinforcing Reading Strategies

at Home



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| **Making Connections** | * Text to Self * Text to Text * Text to World | **Suggestions for making connections at home:**   * Ask your child if the character reminds them of other characters. * Have your child write connections on post-it notes and stick them in his/her book. * Show how you make connections by sharing your thoughts with your child. * Use the phrase “This reminds me of……” * Have your child use a “think mark.” It is a bookmark that he/she can record connections and page numbers on. |
| **Visualizing** | * Use your five senses to create a mental picture * Visualize the action in your mind when you read | **Suggestions for visualizing at home:**   * Ask your child to draw what he/she visualizes. * Ask your child to list the words/descriptions that he/she is using to visualize (include the senses)! * You and your child can draw what you visualize then compare/contrast your drawings. |
| **Questioning (Who, What, When, Where, Why)** | * Ask questions before you read * Ask questions as you read * Ask questions after you read | **Suggestions for questioning at home:**   * Stop and ask questions while you read aloud. * Ask your child to share questions out loud. * Ask your child to write questions on post-it notes and stick them in the book. * Have your child create a “think mark.” This can be a bookmark that the student records questions and page number on while he/she reads. |

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