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SQUEEPERS Steps

SURVEY

- Read the title of the text or text segment.
- Note any features of the text (pictures, captions, bolded text, etc.)
- Read the first few paragraphs. After reading, ask yourself: *What key concepts will I learn about from reading this text?*

QUESTION

- After reading the first few paragraphs, ask yourself: *What questions will this text answer?*

PREDICT

- Based on your survey and questions, make three or four predictions before you read the rest of the text. Ask yourself: *What do I think I will learn from reading the rest of the text?*

READ

- Read the rest of the text.
- Use a sticky note to record and mark answers to your questions and to confirm or disconfirm your predictions as you read.

RESPOND

- After reading, answer the questions, clarify misunderstandings and discuss key concepts.

SUMMARIZE

- In your own words, tell your group or partner the most important ideas and facts from the text. Use the text to support your thinking.
- Write a summary of what you just read. Include important ideas and facts each section of the text.

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Summary Paragraph

Write an original summary of the central text. In as few words as possible, describe the most important details from the beginning, middle and end of the text.

CENTRAL TEXT: _____

IN THE BEGINNING, _____

NEXT, _____

THEN, _____

AFTER THAT, _____

IN THE END, _____
