



How to Use the “Stop-To-Think”

Strategy When Reading With Your Child

When having your child read aloud to you, you can stop from time to time and ask them questions like these:

- **What did you learn about so far?** (retelling for nonfiction)
- **What happened in the story so far?** (retelling for fiction)
- **What did this make you think of?** (connecting)
- **Did that make sense?** (if something was read incorrectly)
- **What do you think will happen next? Why?** (predicting)
- **Why did you reread that part?** (correcting themselves)
- **Was there anything that confused you?**
- **What do you think the most important part was? Why?**
- **Can you tell me something about this that interested you?**
- **What do you wonder about what you just read?**

This is a great way to help your child with their reading comprehension skills!!!