# Reading Aloud

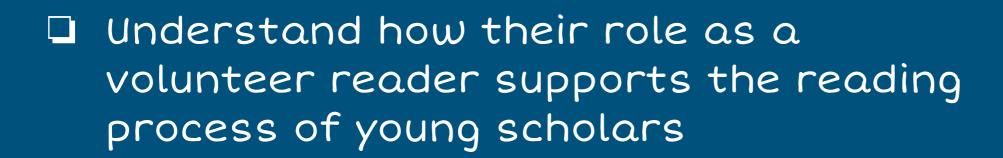
Training for Link to Libraries

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### Objectives

Participants will be able to...

Describe what, why, and how we read



Identify key strategies for effective read aloud sessions



## What We Read











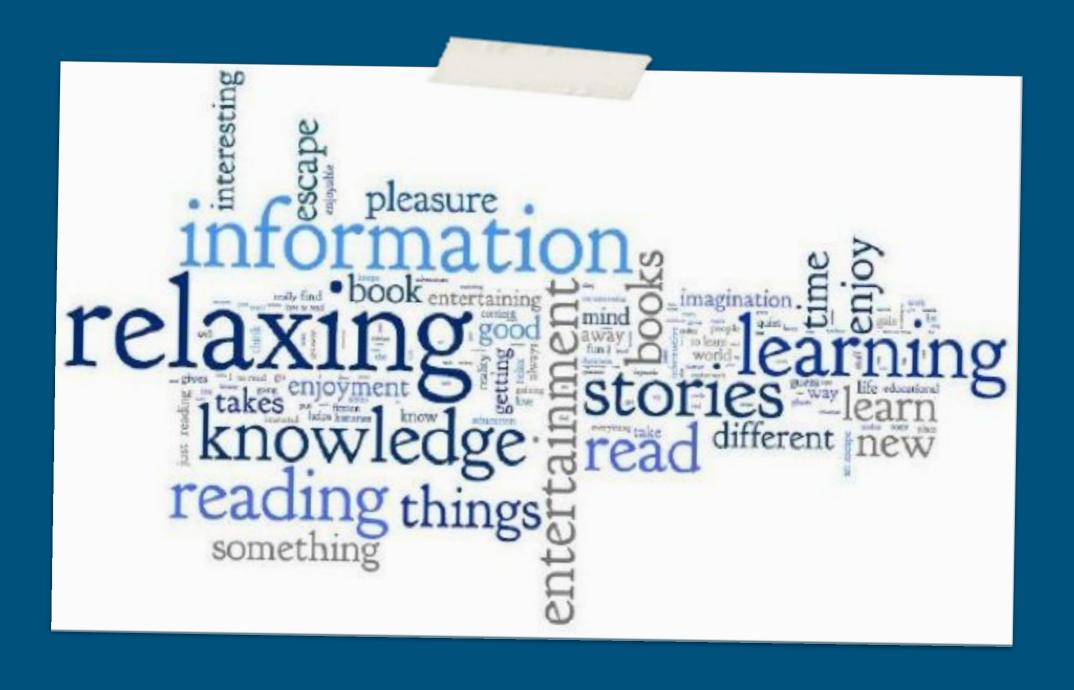








## Why We Read



### How We Read

- . With others
- . By ourselves
- . Quietly
- . Loudly
- . Eyes open
- . Eyes shut





. With our mind and heart

# What Is Reading?





# Reading Is Complex



## Reading Is Not...Natural

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We human beings were never born to read; we invented reading and then had to teach it to every new generation.

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## Tips for Reading Aloud

- . Have a hook to introduce the book
- . Know when you plan to stop to discuss the book
- Explain any key words for comprehension
- Enjoy the book and make connections



## Tiers of Vocabulary

#### Academic Content Words

- Ecosystem
- Terrarium
- Photosynthesis

#### High Utility/ Multiple Meaning Words

- Table
- Pack
- Fly

#### **Basic Words**

- Dog
- House
- Book





### Connections

#### Text to Self

• "It reminds me of a time..."

#### Text to Text

• "It reminds me of a book..."

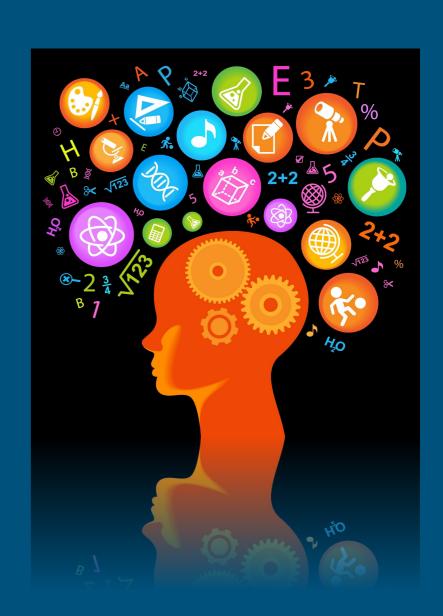
#### Text to World

 "It reminds me of something in the world..."



## Things to Keep in Mind

- . Have a plan.
- . Keep to 20-30 minutes.
- . Rereading is great!
- . HAVE FUN!!!



### Resources

Reading is Fundamental

Reading Rockets

Author's Websites



### Questions & Reflection

Participants will be able to...

Describe what, why, and how we read

Understand how their role as a volunteer reader supports the reading process of young scholars



☐ Identify key strategies for effective read aloud sessions