## Need Close Reading Resources?

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The Power of Annotating

Annotating is when readers make notes and flag or highlight important details while they are reading.

Annotating helps readers:

- Focus on what they are reading
- Understand the details of a text
- Keep track of thoughts and feelings
- Keep track of important details
- Prepare for discussion
- Prepare to write about a text
The Power of Color Coding

Readers color code to:

- Keep details organized
- Quickly find details needed to support their thinking
- Help them focus on different details while reading
- Find different details each time they read

First Read - Use the color ________________ to annotate details for the first reading of a text.

Second Read - Use the color ________________ to annotate details for the second reading of a text.

Third Read - Use the color ________________ to annotate details for the third reading of a text.
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