

Guided Reading Lesson Ideas

These lesson ideas can be used at various grade levels k-5. Print this sheet and place it in your planning book for future reference when creating guided reading lessons.

Before Reading	During Reading	After Reading
<ul style="list-style-type: none">☆ Make predictions☆ Picture walk☆ Text walk☆ Introduce a phonics skill☆ Introduce vocabulary☆ Talk about the strategies good readers use☆ Generate questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Complete a graphic organizer➤ Memory Activities (Seek and find)➤ Monitor reading habits➤ Monitor student behaviors with reading (Directionality, fluency, tone, reading rate, etc.)➤ Make connections (self-to-text, text-to-text, text-to-world connections)➤ Ask questions to monitor comprehension	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Skim and Scan○ Engage students in conversations about the text○ Interactive writing activity○ Answer comprehension question(s)○ Summary reports○ Sequence events