



# The Reading

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# The meaning of reading

- **Reading** is a complex "cognitive process" of decoding symbols in order to construct or derive meaning (reading comprehension). Reading is a means of language acquisition, communication, and of sharing information and ideas. Like all languages, it is a complex interaction between the text and the reader which is shaped by the reader's prior knowledge, experiences, attitude, and language community which is culturally and socially situated. The reading process requires continuous practice, development, and refinement

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- In addition, reading requires creativity and critical analysis. Consumers of literature make ventures with each piece, innately deviating from literal words to create images that make sense to them in the unfamiliar places the texts describe. Because reading is such a complex process, it cannot be controlled or restricted to one or two interpretations. There are no concrete laws in reading, but rather allows readers an escape to produce their own products introspectively. This promotes deep exploration of texts during interpretation.[\[1\]](#)

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- Readers use a variety of reading strategies to assist with decoding (to translate symbols into sounds or visual representations of [speech](#)) and comprehension. Readers may use context clues to identify the meaning of unknown words. Readers integrate the words they have read into their existing framework of knowledge or schema ([schemata theory](#)).

# Importance of reading to the students

- **1. Enhances knowledge:**
- When you read, you get to know many things which you might not have come across otherwise. So, by reading, you will be able to enhance your knowledge. With bits of information, you are able to fill up your head.
- **2. Learning of new words:**
- The more you read, the more word you come across and they make the way into your daily life. When you start making use of the good words in your day to day life, you tend to feel satisfied and happy. Being able to speak well with a good vocabulary, you feel confident and also it is the key to any successful profession

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- **3. New languages are learned:**
- Not just the words, but also many dialects and languages are learned. When we read ourselves, we tend to remember that for a longer period of time but when we just hear from someone, it does not make a long lasting impression on our mind. So, in this manner it also helps in learning varied languages.
- **4. Increases patience level:**
- The level of patience increases. When you have a good thick book of 100 pages, you wish to complete it but with patience to know the indepth meaning of each line and the word in it. So when this attitude of understanding every single word comes to mind, the [patience develops](#) ultimately.

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- **5. Brings tranquillity:**
- No matter what type of book you read, every book relaxes your mind and brings peace into your mind. It brings a change in your attitude with the subject you read. For example, reading spiritual content lowers the blood pressure and going between the lines of self help books assist in knowing various solutions to the inevitable problems in life. So, not just the problems are solved, but also the life in that particular moment of ecstasy, the peace is experienced, forgetting all the issues in life.
- So, above are some of the reasons which tells the reading importance for everyone. No person in life should restrict himself or herself by reading any book. Many qualities are incorporated within an individual that might not be inculcated through any advice from parents and others.

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