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| **Reading Strategy Parent Information Page** | | |
| How Can a Parent Help?  Share the sensory images that you have when you read- elaborate, be creative and tell your child every sound you hear, every smell you smell and every scene you see as you read.   * Sketch what you picture and what senses were activated as you read * Act out the story * Read stories to your child without showing the pictures as you’re reading | **Key 1: Visualizing**  **Mental/Sensory Images**  *Visualizing helps your child start with the concrete and move to more abstract thinking. VISUALIZING helps readers and thinkers because… It depeens our engagement with what we are learning.*   * Visualizing is the creation of images in the mind as the student reads, processes and recalls what has been read. * **C:\Users\SchaffP\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\F3HII5LD\MC900078743[1].wmf**Visualizing a picture or scene with the words and phrases allows the reader to organize the ideas, to see the relationship among the ideas, and to make meaningful connections with them. | Book Suggestions:  Use the same stories by different authors and/or illustrators and discuss how they visualized the stories differently.  (Ex: 3 different Cinderella stories)  [http://ts1.mm.bing.net/th?id=H.4689366528756172&pid=1.7&w=141&h=155&c=7&rs=1](http://www.bing.com/images/search?q=All+the+places+to+love,+book&qs=n&form=QBIR&pq=all+the+places+to+love,+book&sc=0-22&sp=-1&sk=&adlt=strict#view=detail&id=0D8A8B72595405459064AD37640D7375A49E615A&selectedIndex=1)https://www.giftswithlove.com/resources/GiftsWithLove/images/products/processed/0823405311.zoom.a.jpg[http://ts4.mm.bing.net/th?id=H.4741442999748383&pid=1.7&w=141&h=143&c=7&rs=1](http://www.bing.com/images/search?q=Snowflake+bentley&qs=n&form=QBIR&pq=snowflake+bentley&sc=0-1&sp=-1&sk=&adlt=strict#view=detail&id=2D58A4D34B1D61BDD609C1D664666A3DF9A05E30&selectedIndex=60)http://3.bp.blogspot.com/_Ofx6mYfldhc/S-8cLjcz1xI/AAAAAAAAAmM/kEsn8sk2WP0/s1600/blackbookofcolours.jpg |
| Thinking stems for VISUALIZING include:  My mental image includes…  I can feel…  C:\Users\SchaffP\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\UCMA9TZQ\MP900049545[1].jpgI can see…  I can taste…  I can touch…  I can hear… |