



Reading Comprehension Virtual Learning

Comprehension Quickies

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Reading Comprehension K-5

Lesson: April 28, 2020

Learning Target:

Students will be able to read short paragraph to answer detailed questions about paragraph.

Background: This is a review lesson from our reading classes.

- Students learn to read for details.
- Students learn to answer question based on text.

Let's Get Started: Watch Videos

<https://jr.brainpop.com/readingandwriting/comprehension/mainidea/>

<https://jr.brainpop.com/readingandwriting/storyelements/theme/>

Materials:

Computer

Paper, Pencil

Practice #1:

Read this short paragraph and answer question.

A man named Dewey found a way to keep track of library books. Dewey gave each book a number. The numbers fall into one of ten groups, such as science. This is called the Dewey Decimal System. Some libraries do not use this system. They have their own system.

Think back to the video.

- The **main idea** is the point of a piece of writing.
- The main idea is what the **author** wants to share

Question: What did Dewey do with books?

Practice #2:

Read this short paragraph and answer question.

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Question: What did Dewey give each book?

Think back to the video.

- The **main idea** is a topic sentence that will let tell you what the story is about
- The main idea also will have **supportive details**.

Practice on your own:

Read the short paragraph again and answer questions on paper. When writing remember to use complete sentences.

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Question: How many groups of books are there?

Question: What is an example of one group?

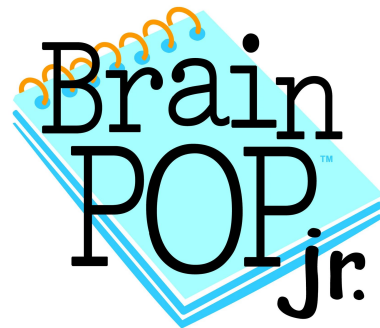
Question: What is this system called?

MORE Practice on your own:

Go to this website:

<https://jr.brainpop.com/readingandwriting/comprehension/mainidea/>

1. Click on easy quiz.
2. Take the quiz.



Self Check:

Go tell someone in your home your answers.



1. Was this lesson?

- easy,
- just right
- hard

2. After reading with parents at night, answer questions about the book with parent. Try and Identify the main idea.