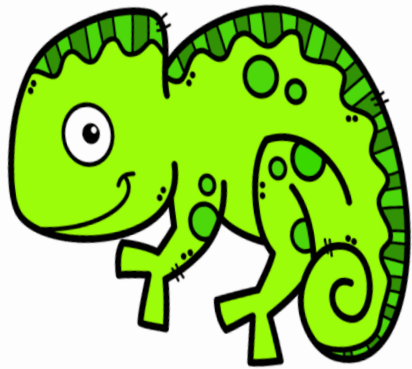


BEFORE READING

Good readers monitor their comprehension by asking and answering questions **BEFORE** reading.

Preview the cover of "[What if You Had Animal Ears](#)" by Sandra Markle. Answer the following questions based on the title and cover.



BEFORE

- Who or what is the text **ABOUT**? How does the title and cover help me?
- What **PREDICTION** can I make about the information I will learn?
- What **SCHEMA** do I have?
- Is this book **FICTION** or **NONFICTION**?

2nd & 3rd
Grade

Ask & Answer Nonfiction Questions

DIGITAL Mini lessons





Good readers ask and answer questions in their minds **before**, **during**, and **after** reading. Questions help readers comprehend what they read.

Before: Predicting questions

During: Questions to check comprehension, make inferences and predictions

After: Questions to check comprehension and think beyond the text. What did I learn? How can I connect the information to my life?





DURING READING: PRACTICE

Now it is your turn to practice! Select a book of your choice. Answer the "during" reading questions.

Book Title:

Link or image of the Cover (if available)

During

- WHO or WHAT is this text about?
- WHAT are the important events?
- WHEN and WHERE did this happen?
- WHY?
- HOW?

QUESTIONS REVIEW

Select a nonfiction text of your choice. It can be a book, article, or a digital book from the link recommendations on slide 16. Fill out the graphic organizer to practice asking and answering questions.

Book Title:

Before

During

After

