

Appendix B3

Reading Behaviors Good Readers Use

- Good readers check the picture.
- Good readers check the beginning part of the word.
- Good readers check the ending part of the word.
- Good readers look through the word.
- Good readers look for chunks or parts of the word they already know.
- Good readers get their mouths ready to try the word.
- Good readers point to the word if they are stuck on it.
- Good readers slide their finger under the word if it is tricky.
- Good readers think about the story.
- Good readers ask, "Does this make sense?"
- Good readers ask, "Does this look right?"
- Good readers ask, "Does this sound right?"
- Good readers try again if the word does not look right, sound right, or make sense.