

Comprehension Interview

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Student Name _____ Date _____

1. Do you like to read? ____ Yes ____ No ____ Sometimes

2. In what languages do you read?

3. Outside of class what do you read?

____ Nothing

____ Not much

____ Texts, emails, newsfeeds, social media

____ Websites (Which ones?) _____

____ Newspapers (Which sections?) _____

____ Magazines (Which ones? Topics?) _____

____ Books (What kinds?) _____

____ Other? _____

4. Directions: Choose a number to show how each statement fits you.

1 **2** **3** **4** **5**
Never Rarely Sometimes Often Always

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| Before I read something, I look at the title and pictures and think about what the reading is about. | |
| When I read something, I think about what my purpose is for reading it. I think about why I am reading it. | |
| When I read, I stop every now and then to think about what I am reading. | |
| When I read, I try to guess what will happen next. | |
| When I read, I picture in my head what is happening in the story. | |
| When I read, I slow down when something does not make sense. | |
| When I read, I go back over parts I do not understand. | |
| When I read, I think about how the reading fits with what I already know. | |
| When I read, I ask myself questions and look for the answers in the reading. | |