

CHUNKING A TEXT: SUPPORTS FOR ACCESSING GRADE LEVEL TEXTS

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"Chunking a Text" is breaking complex texts into smaller portions, helping students comprehend and analyze them effectively.

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GRADE LEVEL:





https://microlearning.ccee-ca.org

KEY STEPS



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ESTABLISH A PURPOSE FOR READING

- Highlight the purpose: "Why am I reading this?", "What's the purpose of this?"
- Read the text multiple times, having a distinct purpose for each read

CHUNK THE TEXT

- Divide the assigned reading into smaller sections to facilitate deeper understanding and engagement
- Craft questions that encourage students to explore the text comprehensively, using provided templates or customizing them to fit the specific text
- During the first reading, support students' comprehension, laying the foundation for later summarization and analysis
- Consider breaking down longer sentences into manageable clauses and phrases

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CONSIDER MORE COMPLEX TASKS DURING SUBSEQUENT READINGS OF THE SAME TEXT

 Could be writing a summary, engaging in talk structures about what students have read, or writing an analysis