



# NEWSLETTER

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## Preview/Prediction Strategies.

### Prediction

- Invite students to preview the text features and make predictions about the fiction or non-fiction text.
- Ask them to identify specific evidence in the text by marking with sticky notes or reading aloud and interpreting the text.

### Preview Strategies

- Skimming refers to reading quickly just for the main ideas with a focus on the purpose for the assignment.
- Non-fiction texts work best for skimming.
- Demonstrate how to skim a text and think aloud to prepare students to do this independently.
- Skim the text and notice

## AVID CLAP OF THE MONTH

### Boom Boom Clap

Have students tap their hands twice on the desk then clap once with their hands

## WICOR

W – Writing  
I – Inquiry  
C – Collaboration  
O – Organization  
R – Reading

**\*\*Please have a designated space for student work**

## AVID COLLABORATION

### Standing Meeting:

- Have students stand up to process or share information with a partner.

Examples:

- Repeat directions to a partner and clarify understanding.
- Respond to questions.
- Partner read.
- Quiz each other.