

Name: [REDACTED]Date: 10/23/06 # [REDACTED]

Literacy Survey

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I picture in my mind what I am reading.	✓		
I ask myself if what I'm reading makes sense.			✓
I think about what kind of story it might be.			✓

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	Use a dictionary
✓	Ask for help

Do you like to read? Why or why not?

I love to read, because I learn a lot of new things, and it entertains me to read about others imagination and say, "Wow! how did they make that up?"

I know that a book is too hard or too easy for me when...

it gets very boring, and there are a lot of words I don't know.

Do you think you are a good reader? Why or why not?

I think I am a good reader, because I usually don't come across words I don't know, and I love to read.

I am becoming a better reader because...

I am reading a wider variety of books like history, and then I will read a science fiction book.

How often do you read for fun with a parent at home? (If you don't read with a parent then tell me that)

I usually read for fun a lot at home, but normally I read by myself.

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Do you like to read? Why or why not?

I love to read because I learn a lot of new things and it's a great way to pass time. I love to read about different worlds and people. "Wow, that's cool!"

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Do you like to read? Why or why not?

I do like to read because it helps me in spelling and understanding words. It's just such an enjoyment for me to read these amazing books and feel I'm part of them.

I know that a book is too hard or too easy for me when...

I take a glance at it and it has a bunch of big words and I'm saying to myself "huh?"

Do you think you are a good reader? Why or why not?

I think I'm a great reader because I sometimes rush past books so absorbed in them.

I am becoming a better reader because...

I'm hearing harder words more often and I'm understanding bigger and bigger words.

How often do you read for fun with a parent at home? (If you don't read with a parent then tell me that)

Sometimes I read with Katherine, but usually not as much. Of course I always read for fun.

Ask for help	✓
Use a dictionary	✓
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Do you like to read? Why or why not?

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Do you like to read? Why or why not?

No because I am most of time not interested in books.

I know that a book is too hard or too easy for me when...

It has a lot of easy words

Do you think you are a good reader? Why or why not?

no because I don't read that much and I get bored.

I am becoming a better reader because...

I'm starting to read more often.

How often do you read ~~for~~ with a parent at home? (If you don't read with a parent then tell me that)

I read every other day.

Ask for help
Use a dictionary
If the word does not seem important to the meaning skip it and continue
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Do you like to read? Why or why not?

No because I can't read
I'm not interested in
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Do you like to read? Why or why not?

Yes and No. I don't like reading out loud
but I like to read to my self.

I know that a book is too hard or too easy for me when...

I can't figure out a book sounds like too less pages

Do you think you are a good reader? Why or why not?

I think I'm a good reader because I can't read that fast.

I am becoming a better reader because...

I'm reading more

How often do you read for fun with a parent at home? (If you don't read with a parent then tell me that)

I do it about 70 times a year.

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I like to read, because it is like taking a adventure by reading.

I know that a book is too hard or too easy for me when...

I look to see how much pages there are.

Do you think you are a good reader? Why or why not?

Yes, because I read for 3 hours every two days

I am becoming a better reader because...

I am reading for a long period of time.

How often do you read for fun with a parent at home? (If you don't read with a parent then tell me that)

I don't read with a parent.

Ask for help	
Use a dictionary	
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Do you like to read? Why or why not?

I like to read because it is interesting.