



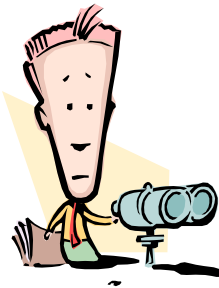
Anticipation Guides

A Before Reading Activity:

Before reading the text, students are introduced to the major ideas of a story. The teacher lists 3-10 statements on the overhead, board, or on an individual worksheet that would challenge students and make students analyze their stance on issues related to the story. Students are then asked to mark whether they agree or disagree with the statement. This is a strategy that promotes interest, sets a framework for reading, and encourages higher level thinking towards print. As students read, they should focus on the statements. After reading, students should share their responses and what in the text supported or did not support their viewpoint.

A Sample Anticipation Guide for the Cinderella:

<i>Agree</i>		<i>Disagree</i>
_____	You can fall in love after meeting someone just one time.	_____
_____	The good and kind people win in the end.	_____
_____	It is OK to disobey sometimes.	_____
_____	Sometimes you need to hide who you really are.	_____



A Anticipation Guide Template