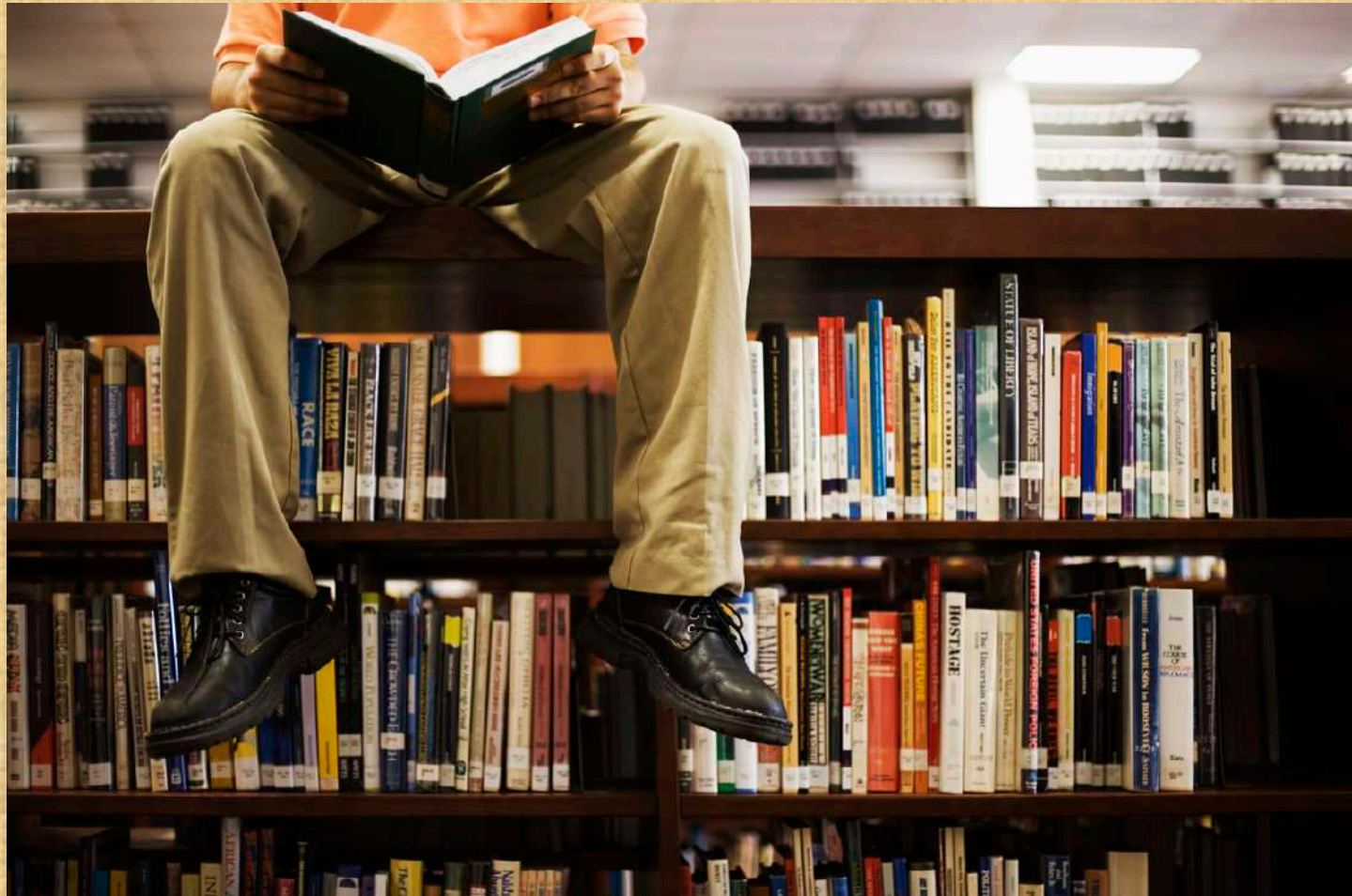


The trouble with being a parent is that by the time you are experienced, you are unemployed.

Anonymous



Know How to Read a Textbook





Learning Tools



- **Scan** by reading subtitles, words in **bold** and *italic* print, summaries, charts, and review questions.
- **Read** with a purpose.
- **Review** by scanning the material to check your comprehension.

The Beatles

The Beatles dominate the music industry

The Beatles were a British rock group that dominated the rock and roll industry during the 1960's. The Beatles had a enormous impact on music. They were, in fact, the single most important component in the creation of modern day "pop" culture. The four members of this dynamic group were **Paul McCartney, Ringo Starr, George Harrison** and **John Lennon**. Their playful, yet irreverent public image captured the imagination of an entire generation.

The Beatles get their start in Liverpool

In the summer of 1957, John Lennon and Paul McCartney began playing together in Liverpool, England,. Later that year, Paul invited guitar player George Harrison to join the group. The band was becoming popular around the area and they were booked to play a series of concerts in Hamburg, Germany. The group perfected their musical skills in the Hamburg beerhalls playing standard American rock and roll songs.

The Beatles changed their image

On returning from Hamburg, the Beatles were discovered by **Brian Epstein**. He became their manager, and he changed the image of the band, exchanging black leather jackets and tight jeans for collarless suits and a new style of haircut. In May of 1962, Epstein landed the Beatles their first recording contract. Shortly before entering the studio, drummer Ringo Starr was added to the group. The early Beatles' recordings were instantly successful, and soon the band was headlining tours.

The Beatles find success in the U.S.

In 1964, the Beatles' music was released in the United States. The sales were tremendous, breaking all previous records. The bank came to New York in April, where screaming fans met them at the airport, and 70 million people watched them on the *Ed Sullivan Show*. Throughout the 1960's the Beatles' popularity grew. The *Sgt. Peppers Lonely Hearts Club Band* album was released in 1967 to unprecedented critical acclaim. A series of artistically creative commercially successful albums followed.

The Beatles go their separate ways

By the end of 1968 the members of the group had begun to go in different directions. Paul McCartney continued to write "pop" melodies while George Harrison immersed himself in eastern spirituality. John Lennon grew more distant from the band as he grew closer to his wife, Yoko Ono. In April of 1970, McCartney releases his first solo album and announced the end of the Beatles.

Throughout the 1970's, the Beatles' music continued to be popular, and they were constantly bounded to reunite. Lennon's death in December of 1980 ended such speculation. The Beatles wee inducted into the **Rock and Roll Hall of Fame** in 1988.

Best Selling Beatles' Albums (in millions)

The White Album _____	16
Best of 67 – 70 _____	14
Best of 62 – 66 _____	13
Abbey Road _____	11
Sgt. Pepper _____	10

Review Questions

1. How may Beatles were there? Which two were the first to play together?
2. What year did the Beatles start their recording career? When did they break up?
3. After their break up, did the Beatles ever reunite? Why or why not



SQ3R



- **Survey**
- **Question**
- **Read**
- **Restate**
- **Review**

Practice SQ3R Skills

- Reading Replay



- Find the Facts



- Investigate



- Get Cooking

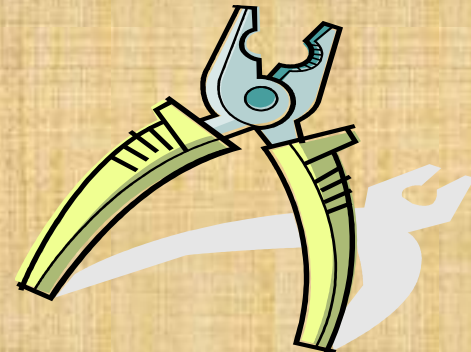




Rereading



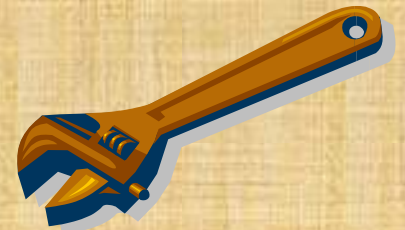
- **To wonder**
- **To Question**
- **To Think**





Read, Cover, Remember, Retell

- Did you notice an important fact that hadn't caught your attention on the first read?
- Did rereading cause you to think of a question you would like to ask?
- Was one rereading enough or would you like to do it again to help yourself think more deeply?





Notemaking

- **Vocabulary**
- **Definitions**
- **People**
- **Formulas**
- **Processes**
- **Specific Information**





Activity



Good Readers Strategies	“Puzzle Strategies”
Previewing the Text	Looking at the picture of puzzle
Activating prior knowledge	Knowing how to put a puzzle together
Asking questions	Deciding where to start
Making predictions	Trying a piece to see if it fits
Confirming or changing predictions	Matching colors, objects, etc., on the puzzle
Using context and clues to get meaning	Looking at the picture of the puzzle and piece of unknown words that are not yet worked in the puzzle
Identifying key ideas or concepts	Matching colors, objects, etc., on the puzzle

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This is true whether the child is in

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whether the family is rich or poor,

whether the parents finished high

school [or not].”



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US Department of Education

We have to work together in order for our children to grow and succeed so that they may become college and career ready.

