

DAILY DOSE OF EDITING





Draw a line under each of the FIVE mistakes.

The boy's were excieted for the carnival last knite, and they did'nt sleep very wel.



Rewrite the sentence with the corrections made.

The boys were excited for the carnival last night, and they didn't sleep very well.



STRENGTHEN & ELABORATE

Use part of the sentence, but make some changes. Use more detail to make it stronger.

Last night, the boys were so excited to go to the carnival, that they tossed and turned all night.

Defective- adjective- The **defective** toy was recalled because it was dangerous for children to play with.



Suffix- IVE-Tending to do something



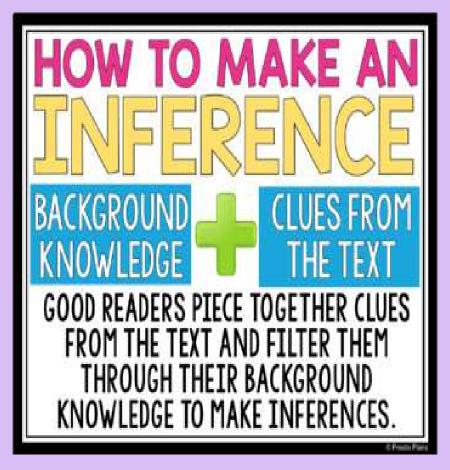








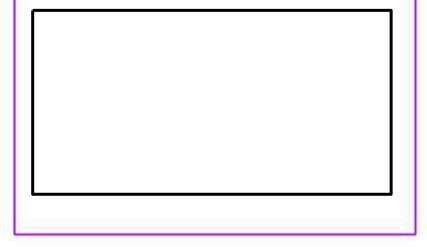
You make inferences everytime that you read. often times without even knowing. You are consistently putting together your schema (what you already know) and piecing together clues from the text to make inferences about the text that you are reading! In the mystery genre, this skill is especially important!



Let's practice with some images

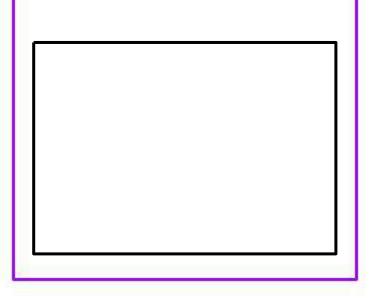


What can you infer is happening in this picture? Use evidence from the image, as well as your schema!



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Why is this woman eating a pie without using her hands?





We will now practice by identifying INCORRECT inferences made by a detective.

Directions:

- 1. Watch the video one time through without taking notes or answering any of the questions on the following slide.
- 2. Watch the video a second time and identify 3 INCORRECT inferences on the sticky note that the detective made!
- 3. Answer the questions on the following slide!



- He thought the stench of the mouse was a human decaying body
- He thought the tomato sauce was blood

up.

- He thought he heard her being sliced
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 What is the detective looking at in the newspaper? How does he appear to feel about the story?

2. What is the detective's first incorrect inference? Use evidence to support your answer!

What is actually happening?





3. What is the detective's second incorrect inference? Use evidence to support your answer!

What is actually happening?

4. What is the detective's third incorrect inference? Use evidence to support your answer!

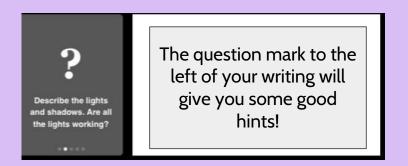
What is actually happening?



Let's play "We Will Write!!

Helpful Hints:

- Be as descriptive as you can. Pretend that you are telling a story!
- Try to add in some figurative language!
- Make sure your spelling is correct and your punctuation is correct!
- DO NOT CAPITALIZE RANDOM
 LETTERS!!
- I when it stands alone is always capitalized!





Mystery Crimes

Practice describing setting and character, and then introducing a problem. A good warm-up for writing with internal and external tension for the crime genre.

AN INTRODUCTION TO PODCASTS

The Listening Guide



