

Student Name: _____ Reading Assignment: _____ Date: _____

Prediction. Before you begin to read the selection, look at the main title, scan the pages to read the major headings, and look at any illustrations. Write down your *prediction* about what the story or article will cover:

List Main Ideas. As you finish reading each *paragraph* or *key section* of the passage, summarize the main idea of that paragraph or section in one or two complete sentences. (Use the back of this sheet if needed.):

· Main idea 1: _____

· Main idea 2: _____

· Main idea 3: _____

Generate Questions. For each main idea listed, write down at least one question that the main idea will answer. Good questions should include words like “who”, “where”, “when”, “why”, and “what”.

· Question 1 : _____

· Question 2 : _____

· Question 3 : _____

Clarifying. Copy down any words, phrases, or sentences in the passage that are unclear: _____
