



REPORT 191: GENERAL STUDDIES

DATE	SUBJECT	ACTIVITY
		NT ASSISTANT
INTRO N4		
15 JUNE 2020	COMMUNICATION	Chapter 3: Reading and comprehension skills
		 Skim reading p37 To get a quick impression of what the info is about To get background info Reading quickly without concentrating on detail Ask questions
		Scanning • To get a specific fact or piece of info
		Look at the example on p37 – scan the document to see what cellphones/services services are available. You are not going to read ALL the info – just which you are looking for.
		Complete activity 1 on p38 Complete activity 2 on p39
		Complete activity 3 and 4 on p40
16 JUNE 2020		PUBLIC HOLIDAY
17 JUNE 2020		 2. Strategies for effective reading Identifying the main idea in a paragraph p41 How? Look for the topic Look for the sentence which best summarises the content Give the paragraph a heading Read if something can be added Strip the sentence of all clauses to the key statement
		Write down facts Look at the "remember the following" p42

Identifying support information p42

Identifying organisational patterns

Look for "markers" (certain words) p43

Complete activity 5 on p43

NB!! FACT AND OPINION p43

Look at the example on p44

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3. Reading graphs and tables (visual literacy)

- Pie chart
- Line chart
- Car chart
- Pictogram graphs
- The surface graph

Complete activity 4 no 1 p46,

no2 47,

no 3 48,

no4 p50,

no5 p51

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4.4 Visual literacy (continue)

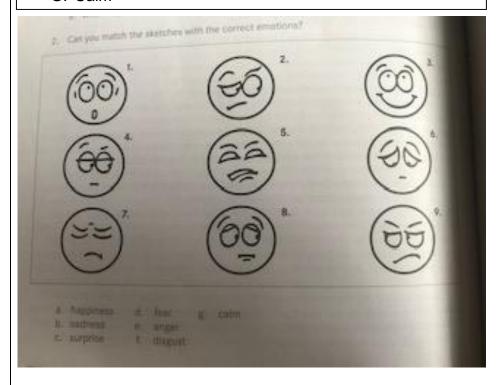
Use your critical comprehension skills and read the following pictures and signs.

What do you read from these signs? Explain where you would find them,



Can you match the sketches with the correct emotions?

- A. Happiness
- B. Sadness
- C. Surprise
- D. Fear
- E. Anger
- F. Disgust
- G. Calm



Study the following cartoons and answer the questions.



CARTOON 1

- a. Who and what event or happening is the cartoonist ridiculing?
- b. Which technique does he/she use to do this?
- c. The other character, not the little old lady, is portrayed as who?
- d. What supports this portrayal? Mention the verbal clues and non-verbal symbolism you pick up

CARTOON 2

- e. What is the cartoonist implying about television?
- f. What do these three men represent?
- g. Whom does the cartoonist blame for bad television?
- h. How does the cartoonist feel about television viewer? (Which visual clues do we get?)