

BECOMING AN ACTIVE READER

Your Name: _____

Instructions: Complete the following chart by dragging each step to the box where it belongs.

BEFORE YOU READ

WHILE YOU READ

Highlight the text using a pencil or highlighter.

Evaluate the text's overall accuracy and quality.

Consider what you already know about the topic.

Draw conclusions about the writer's purpose, tone and point of view.

Determine your purpose for reading.

Reflect on what you have read.

Annotate the reading assignment in the margins.

Based on the text, create something, **read** further, or **apply** ideas.

Create a formal or informal **outline** of the passage.

Preview the text for key ideas, and make predictions about what it will include.

AFTER READING