Main Idea

What's the Main Idea?

The main idea tells us what or who the story is mostly about.





LOOK at the name of the story and the pictures.



CLUE WORDS are words used over and over.

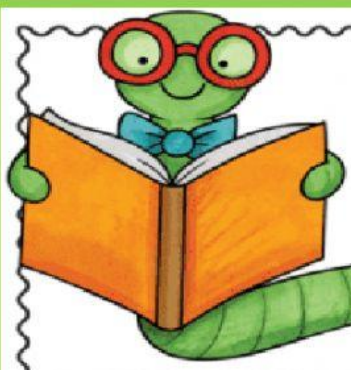
Think about the story "The Three Little Pigs"

- What is the story mostly about?
- What is the main idea?

- The story is about three little pigs and the wolf trying to ruin their houses.



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HOW TO FIND MAIN IDEA

BEFORE YOU READ:

- ❑ Read the title.
- ❑ What is the text about?
- ❑ What is the topic?

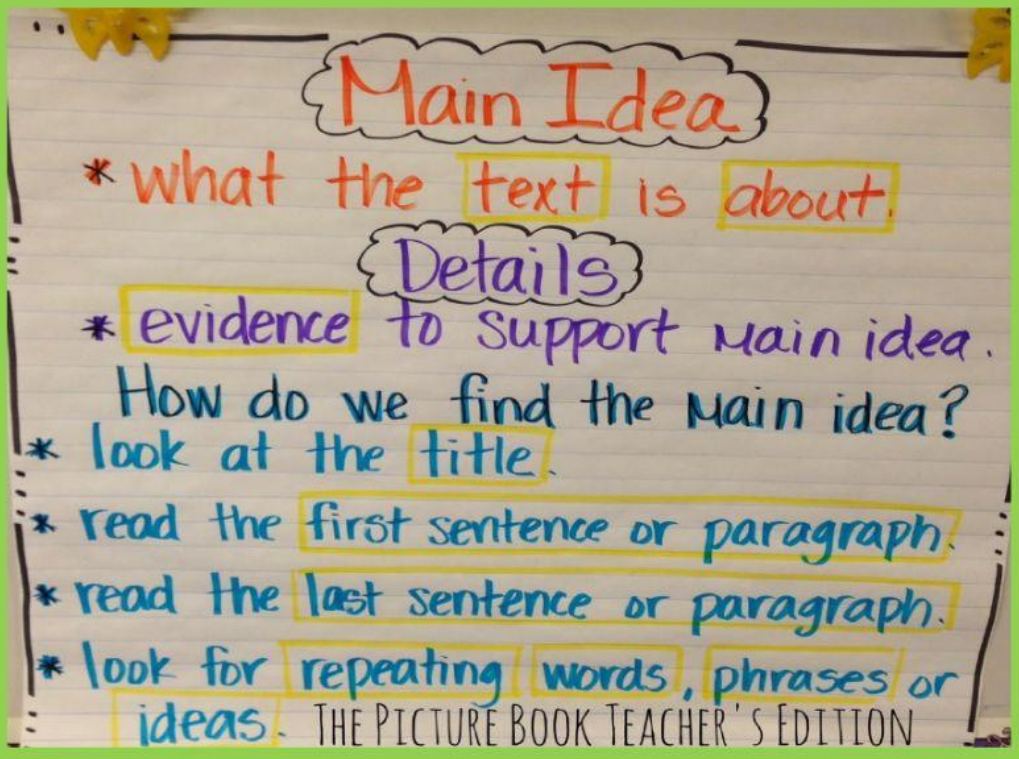
DURING THE READING:

- ❑ Look for and carefully read text features.
- ❑ Is the text fiction, non-fiction...
- ❑ Look for information, words, and pictures that are repeated.

AFTER YOU READ:

- ❑ Think about the most important point about the topic.
- ❑ What details or examples back up and support the main idea?

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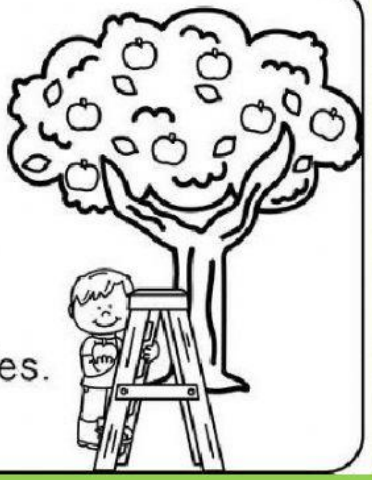


I have an apple tree.

It is in my garden.

It is very tall.

I am going to pick the apples.



1. What is the main idea?
   a. I love apples.
   b. My tree is big.
   c. I have an apple tree.

2. Where is the apple tree?
   a. 
   b. 

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