

SKIMMING AND *Scanning*

Skimming

What is it?

Quickly reading to grasp the main idea of the text.

Example: When reading an article about health, you can focus on the titles, the first sentences of each paragraph, and the conclusion to get an overview of the article without reading it entirely.



Scanning

What is it?

Searching for specific information in a text, such as a **name or number**.

Example: If you need to find a date in an article, you can go straight to that piece of information without reading the rest of the text.

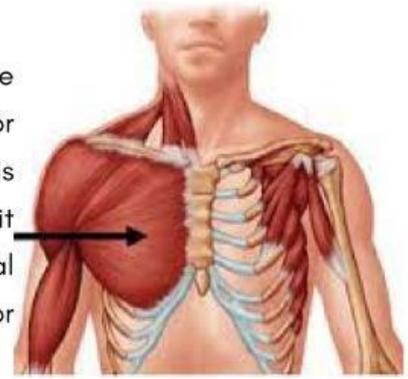


Name:

Date:

Poland Syndrome (Skimming)

Poland Syndrome is a rare condition present from birth. It affects one side of the body, causing the chest muscles to be underdeveloped or absent. People with Poland Syndrome may also have a hand that is smaller than normal or missing fingers. Although the cause is unknown, it is believed to occur due to a problem during the early stages of fetal development. Treatment may involve surgery to improve appearance or function.



Match the syndrome with its corresponding description using lines

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| 1. Poland Syndrome | • Affects chest muscles and hand. |
| 2. Treatment | • Unknown, believed to be during fetal development. |
| 3. Cause | • Surgery to improve appearance or function. |

Drag and drop the correct options into the empty spots.

Poland Syndrome is a _____

Treatment may involve _____

(medication, surgery, physical therapy) , condition. (rare, common, serious).



Tourette Syndrome (Scanning)

Tourette Syndrome is a neurological disorder characterized by repetitive, involuntary movements and vocalizations called tics. These tics often begin in childhood and can vary in severity. Some people with Tourette Syndrome may have simple tics, like blinking or throat clearing, while others may have more complex movements or words. While there is no cure, treatment can help manage symptoms, and many people with the syndrome live full and active lives.

What are tics in Tourette Syndrome?

Complete the sentence:

Tics in Tourette Syndrome are _____ and _____.

When do tics from Tourette Syndrome usually begin?

- a) In childhood
- b) In adulthood
- c) In old age

