

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

AFTER READING

Highlight the text using a pencil or highlighter.

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

Annotate the reading assignment in the margins.

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

Evaluate the text's overall accuracy and quality.

Determine your purpose for reading.

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

Consider what you already know about the topic.

Reflect on what you have read.

Create a formal or informal outline of the passage.