

Partners in Learning

Video Suite



Modelled reading

Modelled reading is an opportunity for a child who is learning to read to observe aspects of the reading process, while gaining insight into the why, how, and underlying decision-making used by independent readers when they read.

What is discussed in this video?

The video explains the reading process described as modelled reading.

What are the key messages that can be used to inform the school community?

- Modelled reading sessions must have a clear focus.
- Examples of a clear focus may include:
 - how to use reading strategies to solve challenging words;
 - high-frequency words;
 - word meanings.
- The use of think-alouds and 'I' statements are effective tools to explicitly model the thought processes and decision making that occurs in the mind of an independent reader.
- Modelled reading is a reading procedure that can be used in any learning area of the Australian Curriculum.
- Consider using the strategies demonstrated in this video.

