



# Reading with Purpose Classical Studies

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## Survey

### Scan the text

Identify its structure to gain initial meaning from the title and headings, bolded text, charts and pictures.

What do you know about this topic already?

Do you need to read this text?

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## Question

### Ask yourself

What do I need to know? What is this text about? What questions do I want answered?

What is the specific information I must find out? What are the main points covered and what evidence is there for these points made in the text?

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## Read, Review, Recall

### Reading with purpose

With your questions in mind, **read** the text carefully, identifying the main ideas and details, looking for the answers to your questions.

**Review** and reread the parts you think are important and any parts you are not sure of. Do you understand what you have read?

**Recall**, note key points and summarise them. Try to explain what you have read out loud, in your own words. Have your questions been answered?

