

# Free Webinar

## Strategies for Improving Reading Comprehension

In this webinar, you will learn how to deconstruct passages using the strategies of annotating and summarizing to help struggling readers improve their comprehension of text.

These research-based approaches promote a deeper understanding of passages and encourage students to read with a purpose, providing tools to help them deconstruct what they are reading to improve comprehension. These strategies also emphasize crucial literacy skills like employing visualization to assist in the understanding of text and making connections within the text for determining inferences.

By the end of this session, participants will be able to:

- Facilitate your struggling readers' understanding that readers must have a purpose when reading a passage for comprehension to occur.
- Help struggling readers deconstruct text to promote a deeper understanding of the relationship between the text and the meaning of the words on the page.
- Assist struggling readers to annotate and summarize passages as they deconstruct text.

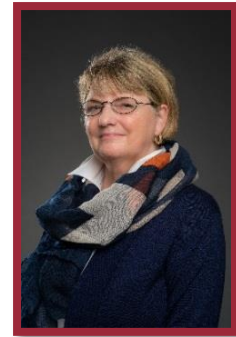
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**Time:** 1:00 pm – 2:15 pm



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Iris has been an educator for 25+ years. She has been both a classroom teacher and reading specialist in grades K-8 and currently is a Professor of Reading at Northwest Florida State College. Iris facilitates reading and study skills training and is a strong advocate of using researched based strategies to teach reading comprehension. She has played a role in education as a writer and speaker for events and conferences that focus on reading comprehension and study skills.



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