



# Before Reading ...

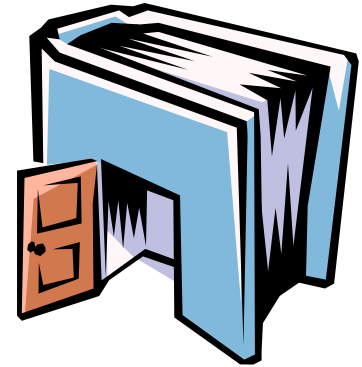
*"Minding our Ps & Ks"*

## PRIOR KNOWLEDGE

- What do you already know about this topic?
- Brainstorm
- Tell stories
- Ask questions
- Lead discussions

## PURPOSE

- The aim for today's lesson is...
- The reason we are reading this is so that...
- We need to read this so we can find out...
- We'll read this, to see if it will explain...



## PREVIEW

- Read the title
- Look at photographs, graphs, diagrams
- Read any captions
- Read headings and sub-headings
- Discuss any thoughts or comments
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## PREDICT

- What do you think this text will be about?
- What do you think we will find out from this text?

## KEY WORDS

- These are words you will need to know.
  - What do you think this word means?
  - What other words do you know that look similar to this one?
  - When do you think you could use it?
- (How to introduce, reinforce, embed this vocabulary?)

## KEY CONCEPTS

- What are the key understandings in this text(s) for this topic?
- Links between literacy and topic ideas?