

Finding Descriptive Words & Making Connections

Part 1

1. With your partner choose an iPad, chrome book or netbook.
2. On iPad click on the Epic app.
On the other devices go on our class website and click on the links page.
Next click on the Language Arts button and then the Online Books button.
Log onto Epic using our class login.
3. Read the book “The Cow in Patrick O’Shanahan’s Kitchen” by Diana Prichard.
4. As you read each page find the “sparkle words” and discuss with your partner how the words help you create a picture or movie in your mind.
5. Reread the text or listen to the audio version.
6. Discuss any connections you are able to make to the story.
Remember when talking about your connection explain what is happening in that part of the story and how your connection relates to the story.
Be prepared to share with the class.

Part 2

1. Choose one of the two books that we have read today.
“The Cow in Patrick O’Shanahan’s Kitchen” by Diana Prichard.
“The City Speaks in Drums” by Shauntay Grant
2. Write a reading response in your Reflection Journal.
 - Include any connections you made.
(Remember when making a connection you need to explain what is happening in the text and how your connection relates to the text.)
 - Explain how the language in the book helped you visualize the story - create a picture/movie in your mind (include some examples).