



Reading Comprehension Task

Before you read anything quickly have a look at the pictures on the report card.

FRONT COVER

1. What are the images on the front cover? What do you think this booklet is about based on those images?
2. What do you think the author wants the reader to feel/think by using those images?
3. What is the booklet about? Explain how you know this?
4. What is the time period this report card covers?

INSIDE

5. What images can you see that depict data? What are these images representing?
6. What are the overall results for each component in the report card and what is the confidence rating for each result?
Environmental –
Social –
Cultural –
Economic –
7. Do you think these results are interesting? Explain.
8. List ten new words you learned in the report card. Write down their dictionary pronunciation and meaning.
9. What was the author's purpose or purposes in writing this booklet?



10. Find a sentence in the report card that has some words in it that you do not understand. Explain that sentence in your words. Remember that the context of a sentence is important.

11. Did this booklet give you any new ideas about yourself or your family? Why?

12. Write a paragraph for a newspaper article that summarises the report card.

13. Who do you think the author intended to read this and why?

14. What did you think was the most interesting part of the report card? Why?

15. Some things are true (facts) and others are someone's opinion. Think about what were facts and opinions in the report card and write a comparative listing of your findings.

Fact	Opinion

Is there more fact than opinion or more opinion than fact? Would you expect that, why?

BACK COVER

16. What is on the back cover? Why do you think the author put these things here?

17. Where could you go to find out more information?

Optional Activity: Summarise the report card on to one A4 page, you will need to identify the most important information so that no meaning is lost.