Metacognitive Log Sentence Requirements:

Metacognitive Log Entry: Roadblock/Question

Sentence 1 = What is happening in the story.
Sentence 2 = What is your problem (be Specific).
Sentence 3 = What strategy did you apply to understand and did it work?

Metacognitive Log Entry: Reading Strategy

Sentence 1 = What is happening in the story.
Sentence 2 = What reading strategy was used.
Sentence 3 = What strategy helped you to better understand about the plot, setting, or characters.
Metacognitive Reading Log

Name: ___________________   Week of: ___________________

3 POINTS FOR EACH LOG (3x5=15) + 10 POINTS FOR 100 MINUTES SIGNED BY PARENT/GARDIAN = 25 POINTS

Your homework will be to read for 100 minutes for the week. At the end of the week, your parent/guardian’s signature or initials are required to verify you have read at home. You are required to complete an entry for every 20 minutes that you read. Each entry should be three sentences long and include one of the reading strategies provided in left column and what it helped you to better understand.

Title: ___________________   Author: ___________________

Reading Strategy Example Entry

Predicting
I predict that...
In the next part, I think...
I think this is...

Picturing
I can picture...
I can see...

Questioning
A question I have is...
I wonder about...
Could this mean...

Making Connections
This is like...
This reminds me of...

Identifying a problem
I am confused about...
I am not sure of...
I did not expect...

Inferencing (between the lines)
I think this really means...
The author is really saying...

Summarizing
So what it is saying is...
The big idea here is...
I think the point is...

Using Fix-ups
I will reread this...
I will read on and check back...

Roadblock
I do not understand...So I...

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Entry #1:   Date: 9/12   Minutes Read: 20

I was reading about 2 boys who were trying out for a baseball team.

The part about parents hanging on the fence and yelling reminded me of games at SCA where parents are shouting and cheering from the sidelines.

My connection helped me realize how much pressure these kids are under.

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Roadblock Example Entry

Entry #2:   Date: 9/12   Minutes Read: 20

I was reading about 2 brothers who were trying out for a baseball team.

I was confused by the line "his mouth got fat."

I continued to read and found that he was trying to hold back a smile and that is why his mouth got fat.