

Parts of a Book Activity

Materials Needed: text or trade books, Post-it notes, 1 sheet each of laminated construction paper for each child, pencils

1. Students will get out one text or trade book.
 - Each student will write the word “COVER” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it on the cover of the book.
2. Each student will write the word “SPINE” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it on the spine of the book.
3. Each student will write the word “TEASER” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it on the book’s teaser (back).
4. Each student will write the words “TITLE PAGE” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the post-it on the title page of the book.
5. Each student will write the word “COPYRIGHT” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it on the copyright of the book.
6. Each student will write the words “TABLE OF CONTENTS” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it on the table of contents of the book.
7. Each student will write the words “CHAPTER ONE” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it on chapter one of the book.
8. Each student will write the word “REFERENCE SECTION” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it in the book’s reference section.
9. Each student will write the word “GLOSSARY” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it in the glossary of the book.
10. Each student will write the word “INDEX” on a Post-it note.
 - Each student will place the Post-it in the book’s index.
11. Each student will remove all the Post-its and place them on the laminated construction paper provided.
 - Each student will put the first book away and pull out another one.
 - Each student will continue the above process with all text or trade books.

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