





## What kind of reader are you?

 <p>“What?! You want me to THINK?”</p>	<p><b>TACIT</b> <i>Racing Rabbit</i></p>	<p>Readers who don't THINK about what they are reading and quite often don't make sense. They read a story once <u>just to get done</u>.</p>
 <p>“Slow and steady... But, teacher, I'm stuck!”</p>	<p><b>AWARE</b> <i>Slightly Confused Turtle</i></p>	<p>Readers that pay attention enough to know when something doesn't make sense, but they don't always know how to fix the problem. They read the story once to <u>get done</u> and to simply <u>remember some things that might be on a test</u>.</p>
 <p>“I THINK I understand what the author is saying! Let's see if I have this right. I think I might just reread to make sure I do.”</p>	<p><b>STRATEGIC</b> <i>Smart Fox</i></p>	<p>Readers that actively monitor their reading and can use MANY strategies to fix mistakes and to dig deeper in order to get inside the story. They read a story two or three times to <u>remember and UNDERSTAND the story</u>.</p>
 <p>“When I read this the first couple of times I thought... But now that I tried something different and TALKED with some of my friends, I'm thinking ...”</p>	<p><b>REFLECTIVE</b> <i>Wise Owl</i></p>	<p>Readers that are active, strategic, and flexible. They can adapt their reading to meet their own needs. They read a story once, twice, or <b>MULTIPLE</b> times <u>depending on what they need</u>. Quite often <u>their thinking changes and understanding improves</u> with each rereading.</p>