

Video Observation Guide
3rd Grade – Strategy Lesson
Lakewood School
Strategy: Author's Purpose

Strategy Groups Lesson Routine	Notes/Sample Activities
1. Define the Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Give student friendly definition of the strategy ○ Ask for student prediction of text
2. Model the Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Teacher applies strategy using think alouds ○ Students read individually and apply strategy to text ○ Staggered start for students reading individually ○ Checks application of strategy before releasing students to work independently with text(s)
3. Provide Guided Practice	<p>*In this video, the students are using the same text</p> <p>*In strategy groups, students may be using a variety of texts at their independent levels while learning to apply a specific strategy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Students will independently read text(s) and apply strategy ○ Teacher prompts student use of strategy, students read independently
4. Provide Corrective Feedback	
5. Apply the Strategy to Text	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Teacher restates strategy ○ Checking strategy application to independently read text ○ Use graphic organizer to record student application of strategy to text ○ Strategy becomes part of the students' repertoire for future texts

6. (Optional) Extend the Meaning	
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