

## Teaching Accuracy

### Fix-Up Prompts based on the Simple View of Reading

At the end of each sentence (and paragraph) stop to ask:  
“Did I understand what I read?”  
If so, keep reading! If not, apply these strategies...

#### I can't decode word

Stop! Take your time.  
Sound by sound  
Look for familiar parts  
Prefixes or suffixes help?  
Chunk it  
Read ahead and come back

#### I don't know word meaning

Prefixes or suffixes. help?  
Can you find a base word?  
What part of speech?  
Does it look like another word  
you know?  
Other words in the  
sentence offer clues?  
What is the passage about so far?  
Read ahead and come back.

#### I don't understand sentence

Remember your purpose  
for reading.  
What facts have you  
gathered so far?  
Adjust pace.  
Any text features help?  
Read ahead and come back,