

## Reading Assessment Builders: Skim or Scan

The following activities can be used to assess student progress in reading. Teachers would insert specific topics or questions to complete these assessments.

<p><b>SKIM</b> Skim the text. What do you notice about the:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Kind of text it is</li><li>2. What it's about</li><li>3. How it is organized</li><li>4. How you will adjust your rate of reading</li></ol> <p>✓ <i>Complete and appropriate answer to each question.</i></p>	<p><b>SKIM</b> How and why do you skim? Write clear directions. Give an example of when to use this reading strategy.</p> <p>✓ <i>Clear and complete list of steps.</i> ✓ <i>Appropriate example.</i></p>
<p><b>SCAN</b> Read the text. Find the names of the people in the story. List them.</p> <p>✓ <i>Correct and complete.</i></p>	<p><b>SCAN (Re-Scan)</b> For each of the main characters, find one adjective that tells about that person. List the person and the adjective.</p> <p>✓ <i>Correct and complete.</i></p>
<p><b>SCAN</b> Locate five facts in five minutes. Note them in a list. Write them in your own words.</p> <p>✓ <i>Include important facts.</i> ✓ <i>Paraphrase correctly.</i></p>	<p><b>SCAN</b> How and why do you scan? Write clear directions. Give an example of when to use this reading strategy.</p> <p>✓ <i>Clear and complete list of steps.</i> ✓ <i>Appropriate example.</i></p>

