

Text to Text

Teacher:

Ask a BIG question such as

- ✓ *What's important to know about _____?*
- ✓ *How does this work?*
- ✓ *What happened?*

Student:

1. *Get It*

Preview it--what's here?

Scan to find important words.

Read to find facts to answer the question.

List them.

2. *Get More*

Re-read to add more facts to your collection.

3. *Organize It*

Sort your facts.

Decide what's important.

4. *Get It Across*

Outline your writing.

Write what you've learned.

Write a: letter, news report, poem, page for a book

5. *Expand it*

Illustrate your writing.