



## WAYS FOR FORMING READING LITERACY IN THE PROCESS OF LEARNING

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**Abstract.** Reading literacy is a crucial skill that is essential for success in both education and life. It enables individuals to access information, think critically, and communicate effectively. In order to form reading literacy, there are various strategies and resources that can be utilized in the learning process. This article will explore some of these strategies, including encouraging regular reading, teaching reading strategies, creating a positive reading environment, and utilizing technology to enhance reading literacy. By combining these approaches, individuals can develop strong reading skills that will benefit them throughout their lives.

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One of the most effective ways to form reading literacy is by encouraging regular reading. This can be achieved by providing a variety of reading materials, such as books, magazines, and newspapers, that cater to different interests and reading levels. By offering a range of options, individuals are more likely to find something that captures their attention and motivates them to read [2].

In addition to providing reading materials, it is important to encourage reading both in and out of the classroom. Teachers can incorporate reading into their lessons by assigning texts that relate to the topic being studied. They can also set aside time for independent reading during class or provide opportunities for students to read aloud and discuss what they have read.

Outside of the classroom, parents can encourage reading by setting aside time for family reading, visiting the library regularly, and modeling a love of reading themselves. By making reading a regular part of daily life, individuals are more likely to develop strong reading skills [1].

Another important strategy for forming reading literacy is teaching specific reading strategies. These include predicting, visualizing, questioning, summarizing, and monitoring comprehension. By teaching these strategies, individuals learn how to actively engage with texts and develop a deeper understanding of what they are reading.

For example, predicting involves using prior knowledge and context clues to make informed guesses about what will happen next in a text. Visualizing involves creating mental images of the events and characters described in the





text. Questioning involves asking questions about the text to clarify understanding and stimulate critical thinking. Summarizing involves condensing the main ideas of a text into a brief summary. Monitoring comprehension involves regularly checking understanding while reading [4].

By actively engaging with texts using these strategies, individuals are more likely to remember what they have read and develop stronger reading skills.

Creating a positive reading environment is also essential for forming reading literacy. This can be achieved by modeling a love of reading, providing comfortable reading spaces, and celebrating reading achievements.

Teachers and parents can model a love of reading by sharing their own favorite books and talking about why they enjoy reading. They can also provide comfortable reading spaces, such as cozy corners or beanbag chairs, that encourage individuals to relax and focus on their reading.

Finally, celebrating reading achievements, such as completing a challenging book or reaching a reading goal, can motivate individuals to continue reading and form positive associations with the activity [5].

Also, technology can be a valuable resource for enhancing reading literacy. E-books, audiobooks, and online libraries provide access to a wide range of texts that may not be available in print form. Interactive reading apps and games can also make reading more engaging and fun for individuals.

By utilizing these resources, students can develop strong reading skills while also incorporating technology into their learning process.

**Conclusion.** In conclusion, forming reading literacy is essential for success in both education and life. By combining strategies such as encouraging regular reading, teaching reading strategies, creating a positive reading environment, and utilizing technology, individuals can develop strong reading skills that will benefit them throughout their lives. These skills include critical thinking, communication, and accessing information. By prioritizing reading literacy, individuals can unlock a world of knowledge and opportunities.

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