PASSIVE OR ACTIVE

- Which one are you?

MYTHS

1. You only need to read once.
   Reading once is not enough for your memory
2. Reading skill is a talent, like music.
   With practice, anyone can become a better reader
3. All types of material can be read at the same speed
   Comprehension is the goal, not speed.
4. The best way to read is to start on the first page and read to the end
   Breaking your material into smaller segments gives you time to understand the ideas
5. Reading will not be an important factor in my career
   Most employers value reading as a necessary skill for doing any job well.

SETTING A PURPOSE

1. Figure out why you are reading.
2. Set an authentic purpose
3. Draw connections

STRATEGIES: BE ACTIVE

- Reading is an Active Construction
  Meaning: BEFORE, DURING, and AFTER

SQ3R: PURPOSEFUL READING

- Survey
- Question (2)
- Read
- Recite
- Review

REVIEWING WHAT YOU READ

- What tools have we discussed that will help you capture information and review without re-reading?
- Questions and answers
- “Recite” summaries (written or audio)
- Definition cards
- Concept cards
- Graphic organizers