

Orange County Public Schools



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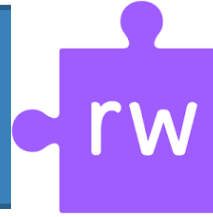
Read & Write for Google Chrome



“How To” Video



What is Read & Write



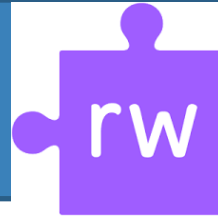
Why Use Read & Write

- Extension on Google Chrome
- Free
- Easy to Use
- Works on PDFs, Google Docs and Web Pages

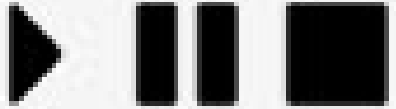
- Friendly tool bar that is easy and free to install
- Provides support tools to help students in reading, writing, studying and research
- Used in OCPS Digital Schools



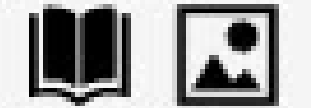
Reading Support Tools



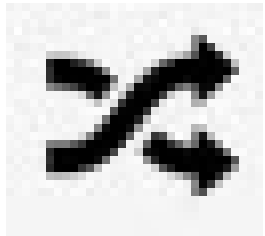
Studying, Research & Writing Tools



Text to Speech



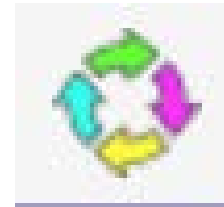
Dictionaries



Translator



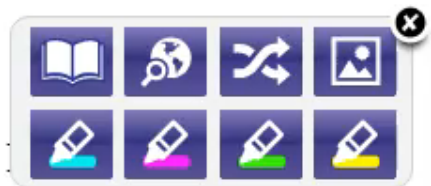
Highlighters



Collect Highlighters



Vocabulary List Builder



Name: _____

Directions: Read each passage and ask yourself, “What is the author doing in this paragraph?” Write your answer in the summary box and then think of an appropriate title for the passage based on the main idea of the passage.

1. A penny for your thoughts? If it’s a 1943 copper penny, it could be worth as much as fifty thousand dollars. In 1943, most pennies were made out of steel since copper was needed for World War II, so the 1943 copper penny is ultra-rare. Another rarity is the 1955 double die penny. These pennies were mistakenly double stamped, so they have overlapping dates and letters. If it’s uncirculated, it’d easily fetch \$25,000 at an auction. Now that’s a pretty penny.

Summarize this paragraph in one sentence. **Be specific and clearly explain the main idea.**

An appropriate title: _____

2. Before you put on that *Angry Birds* costume and exhaust yourself roving from door to door pandering for candy, take a minute to reflect on the tradition in which you are taking part. Halloween is believed to have come from an ancient Celtic festival dating back some 2,000



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Contact Parent Academy 407-317-3300.

Look for our next video in the "How To" series in March on Safari Montage.

