

Summarizing

When summarizing fiction:

- Include main ideas (main characters, important events, problem, resolution).
- Re-read to remember big ideas.
- Ensure it is in sequential order.
- Include key message of text.
- Use your own words.



When summarizing nonfiction:

- Refer to illustrations, headings, and other text features to determine importance.
- Include key message of text.
- Use your own words.

