

## Looking at How We Read Discussion Questions

From How to Read a Book by Mortimer J. Adler and Charles Van Doren

**Read:** pg. 32 ("Inspectional Reading I") - pg. 38 (stop before "On Reading Speeds")  
pg. 43-44, "Summary of Inspectional Reading"  
Ch. 5 pg. 45-56

Please **reflect** on the following questions in your journal:

1. Why is reading important?
2. Think about your own relationship with reading, both for pleasure and for academic purposes. What do you like? What don't you like? What would you like to change?
3. What, if any, tools or facts in this reading stood out to you? Are there ways that you can incorporate them into any of your reading activities to make reading more useful and/or more fun?