



Vocabulary for Reading Detectives

Active Readers are like detectives. They investigate their texts, identifying important details that provide evidence for their answers!

Directions: Find a synonym for each word. Complete the definition by inserting that synonym on the blank line. Draw an image for each word.

DETECTIVE

Drawing

Synonym **investigator**

Definition A person or **investigator** whose job is to find information about something or someone.

INVESTIGATE

Drawing

Synonym **search**

Definition To **search** for information using a method that closely examines something.

IDENTIFY

Drawing

Synonym **find**

Definition To **find** out and say what something is.

DETAILS

Drawing

Synonym **part**

Definition An important **part** _____ or fact about something or someone.

EVIDENCE

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Synonym **proof**

Definition A piece of information that shows **proof** _____ that something exists or is true.

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Students' responses will vary

I act like a reading detective when I ...

It is important to find details and evidence that support my answers because ...
