VARY YOUR READING STRATEGIES

	STRATEGIES	OBJECTIVES
SOCIAL SCIENCES (anthropology, history, government, sociology, psychology)	 Learn facts and definitions Recognize common patterns (cause, effect, comparison, contrast, etc. Build to concepts, generalizations (inductive thinking) Compare various theories, arguments Distinguish fact and opinion 	 Generate high level questions and answers Compare, contrast (analysis), synthesize and evaluate
HUMANITIES (art, literature, music philosophy)	 Determine perspective of author, thinker, artist Draw logical inferences, implications Identify objectives for reading (style, theory, relationships) Keep track of personal reactions (marginal or separate notes) 	 Analyze, evaluate, interpret, in order to generate and answer questions Write papers and/or participate in class discussions
MATHEMATICS	 Know terms and symbols "Translate" abstract formulas Identify and contrast new theorems and formulas Contrast problems 	 Solve problems (application) Identify problem-solving strategies (comprehension) Evaluate effectiveness of problem-solving strategies (evaluation) Compare types of problems (analysis)
NATURAL SCIENCES (astronomy, biology, chemistry, physics)	 Read for common patterns (classification process description, factual statements, problem solving) Define terms Check comprehension of terms by giving examples, comparing etc. Analyze sample problems 	 Solve problems (application) Compare types of problems (analysis) Describe processes (comprehension) Classify information (application)



