

How to write a summary and response for the Hot Topic article:

Read

- Read the text through once in its entirety

Color Code and Annotate

- Reread the text in its entirety
- Use your highlighters to color code the article
 - topic = green
 - big ideas = yellow
 - supporting details = pink
- Show your thinking through annotation
 - ? = question
 - T2S = text-to-self connection
 - T2T = text-to-text connection
 - T2W = text-to-world connection
 - ! = something alarming
 - ☺ = something funny

Summarize

1. ***on a separate piece of paper***

NAME IT	VERB IT	BIG PICTURE
T A G	tells shows illustrates examines explores	theme message

2. jot dot big ideas (what do you think are the most important things in the article?)
****use the rule of 5**

3. talk through your jot dot with a partner

4. set aside the article

5. draft your summary on a new sheet/document

Respond

- Type up your one-paragraph response
- Respond to each of the big ideas
 - agree or disagree and explain your stance
 - make a connection
 - be sure to use quotations from the text

Review before you turn it in

- Use MLA formatting (heading, header, spacing, pagination)
- Use your best grammar, style, spelling, and punctuation (you can say "I" but be careful with the universal "you")