Read, Check, Reread

Use nearby words to check a tricky word and make sure the sentence makes sense.

2.F.F.1 "Oral & Silent Reading Fluency: Demonstrate oral and silent reading fluency while reading texts for understanding, self-correcting as necessary to ensure accuracy and aid comprehension."

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1 READ AND MARK

Read it twice

YOUR JOB As you read aloud, circle one word you need to reread, then underline the nearby words that help you read it correctly.

Maya Watches Butterflies

1. On a sunny morning, Maya visited the school garden. A yellow butterfly rested on a purple flower. Maya stood still so she would not scare it away. She watched its wings open and close.

2. Butterflies use a long mouthpart called a proboscis to sip nectar from flowers. Maya first read proboscis slowly. Then she looked at the next words, "to sip nectar," and read the whole sentence again.

3. Later, Maya wrote what she learned in her notebook. "Flowers give butterflies nectar," she wrote. She reread her sentence and checked each word. Her careful reading helped her make sure her note matched what she saw.

2 ANSWER WITH EVIDENCE

Use the passage

1. Which word did Maya read slowly before she read the whole sentence again?

2. What nearby words helped Maya check how to read proboscis?

3. Copy the sentence Maya wrote in her notebook. Use quotation marks.

3 YOUR TURN

Your own words

Choose a sentence from the passage that is different from the sentence in Question 3. Read it aloud twice, circle one word you checked carefully in the passage, then write the sentence exactly, including its end punctuation.

ANSWER KEY

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PART 1 · READ AND MARK

As you read aloud, circle one word you need to reread, then underline the nearby words that help you read it correctly. Accept any marking that follows this job and points at the right text.

PART 2 · ANSWERS

#	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	Which word did Maya read slowly before she read the whole sentence again?	**proboscis**
2	What nearby words helped Maya check how to read proboscis?	**"to sip nectar"**
3	Copy the sentence Maya wrote in her notebook. Use quotation marks.	**"Flowers give butterflies nectar."**

PART 3 · YOUR TURN (SAMPLE ANSWER)

Circled word: proboscis Butterflies use a long mouthpart called a proboscis to sip nectar from flowers.

Accept Question 3 only if the student copies the sentence accurately with quotation marks and the period. For Part 3, accept any different passage sentence copied exactly, with a reasonable word circled in the passage.