

Math text typically alternates passages of explanation in English with pieces of mathematics such as example problems.

- Read every word, one word at a time.
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- Every word counts (even 2-letter ones)

FORGET ABOUT SPEED READING!

- Take your time
- Make sure you understand each sentence before going on to the next
- Remember that familiar words may have different mathematical meanings you need to learn

- three steps to accomplish what the author does in one). This is a good sign that
- time to learn the process!

After you can work through the solved problems on your own, the homework should be much easier since there will be similar problems. **Time spent on problems the author has solved for you will pay off in higher grades!**