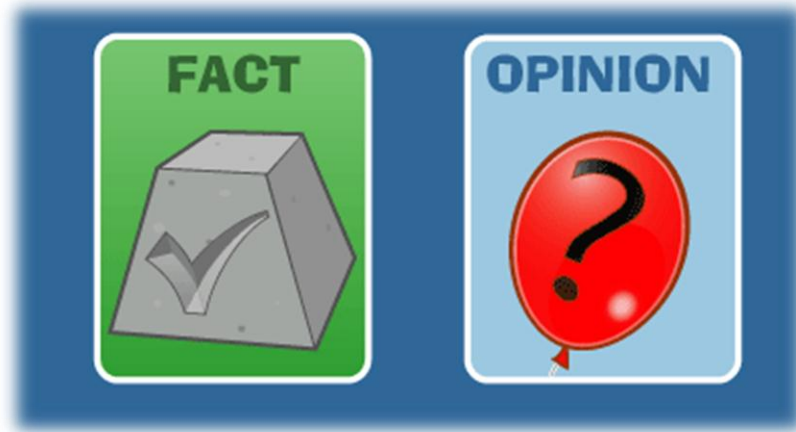


Reading Skill



Lesson 7: “Separating Fact and Opinion”
Presented by Mr. Kem Virath

Definition

- + What is separating fact and opinion?
- + It is to decide if what you read is true or the writer's personal opinion.

How to separate fact and opinion

- Don't believe everything you read.
- Look for words connected with facts: *evidence, fact, prove, certain, positive, sure.*
- Look for words connected with opinions: *think, believe, claim, perhaps, suggest, possible, may, might, could.*

Example

Phnom Penh is the capital city of Cambodia.

Fact: No one can say that is not.

Tennis is the best sport in the world.

Opinion: Some people may disagree

Think

- What is the general topic of the text?
- What is the subject of each paragraph?
- What are the important words?

Thank You!