After You Read

1. Read the key terms and definitions in the margin of the text. On the line below each definition, write down the main ideas you associate with the term. Be sure to write in complete sentences.

2. In the column to the left, write down two examples of each type of question and give definitions of each type of question. Write in complete sentences.

3. Include a paragraph in your answer to each question. Be sure to write in complete sentences.

Example Response: This is an example response to each question. It is a complete paragraph.

- Question 1: What is the main idea of the text?
  
  The main idea of the text is that...

- Question 2: What is the author's purpose for writing this text?
  
  The author's purpose for writing this text is...

4. Write a summary of the text in your own words. Be sure to write in complete sentences.

Summary: This is a summary of the text in your own words. It is a complete paragraph.

- Paragraph 1: The paragraph begins by introducing the main idea of the text...

- Paragraph 2: The paragraph discusses...

5. Write a response to this question: What is the main idea of the text?

Response: The main idea of the text is...

- Paragraph 1: The paragraph begins by discussing...

- Paragraph 2: The paragraph explains...

6. Write a response to this question: What is the author's purpose for writing this text?

Response: The author's purpose for writing this text is...

- Paragraph 1: The paragraph begins by discussing...

- Paragraph 2: The paragraph explains...

7. Write a summary of the text in your own words. Be sure to write in complete sentences.

Summary: This is a summary of the text in your own words. It is a complete paragraph.

- Paragraph 1: The paragraph begins by discussing...

- Paragraph 2: The paragraph explains...