

Reading Process – Practice

“Less Technology, More Happiness?”

- I. Work with a partner. Write the steps of the reading process below, *in order*.
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- II. Number the paragraphs.
- III. Write the subtitles from the text on each line below.
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- IV. Highlight the **first** and **last sentence** for each paragraph.
- V. Write the topic/main idea of each paragraph below.
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- VI. Use a piece of notebook paper to draw the notes, cues, and summary sections for Cornell notes. **Take notes as you read** through the text with a partner.



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- VII. After you are done taking notes, complete the “cue” column. Check and compare your notes with a partner.
- VIII. **Only looking at your notes**, write a summary of the text.
- IX. Think about the last reading from Academic Connections: *It is the Worst of Times*. Do you notice any **common themes** between these two articles? *It is the Worst of Times* and *Less Technology, More Happiness*? If yes, in a short paragraph, please *describe* the similarities below.

