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Skimming

When we read nonfiction, we may not read every word. Sometimes we skim. We read the headings. We look for facts in the rest of the article.

On what page will you find Chapter 3, Types of Foster Care? page _____

Read the subheadings to find out what three types of foster care you will learn about in this chapter:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____



Skim the section “Foster Families.”

Read the first paragraph of the section to answer the question:

→ What is a foster family?



“Skip read” the rest of the section. Look for facts to answer the question:

→ What are some requirements for becoming a foster family?



Skim the section “Kinship Care.”

Read the first paragraph of the section to answer the question:

→ What is kinship care?

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“Skip read” the rest of the section. Look for facts to answer the question:

→ What are good and bad things about kinship care?



Skim the section “Group Homes.”

Read the first paragraph of the section to answer the question:

→ What is a group home?



“Skip read” the rest of the section. Look for facts to answer the question:

→ What are some challenging things about group homes?



Read the text box “In It for the Money?” on p. 29.



Do you think foster parents are likely to take in foster children for the money? Why or why not?

Do you and your partner agree or disagree about this?

We agree

We disagree