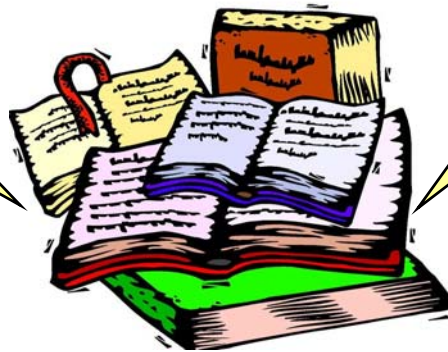




Skim and Scan

Skimming means to read quickly to get the **general idea**.



Scanning means to look quickly for **one thing** in particular.

On the line, write whether you would most likely **skim** or **scan** to do each of the following:

1. I would _____ through a table of contents to see what information a book contained.
2. I would _____ through the glossary of a book to look for a certain topic.
3. I would _____ through the headings of a report before I read it to see if the topic interested me.
4. I would _____ through the first paragraph of a book to see if it was about the same character as a previous book.
5. I would _____ to find a phone number in the telephone directory.
6. I would _____ to search for an unanswered question on an exam.
7. I would _____ to find a location on a map.
8. I would _____ to find my flight on a schedule at the airport.
9. I would _____ an advert to find out the cost of something.
10. I would _____ to refresh my memory about an article I'd read before.