

# Powerful Words to Recognize



## Predict:

an educated guess

What will happen next?



# Trace:

outline, follow, list steps



# Analyze:

break down or break apart



# Infer:

read between the lines,  
educated guess



# Evaluate:

simplify, judge it, rate it,  
study it



# Formulate:

solve, follow, list steps



# Describe:

tell all about who, what  
when, where, why, & how



# Support:

back up with details, add to it, give reasons



# Explain:

tell who, what, when, where,  
why, & how



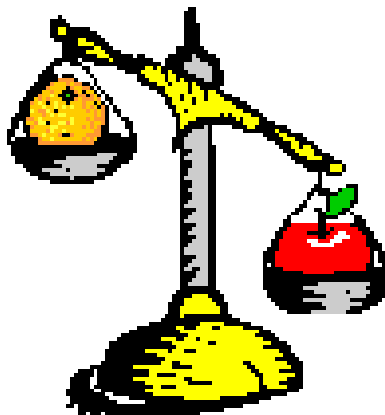
# Summarize:

restate, list main ideas in  
your own words



# Compare:

What is alike and different?



# Contrast:

How are things different?

