

Day 13 - A Day In The Life

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KING

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going to pay off

Putting your phrase to
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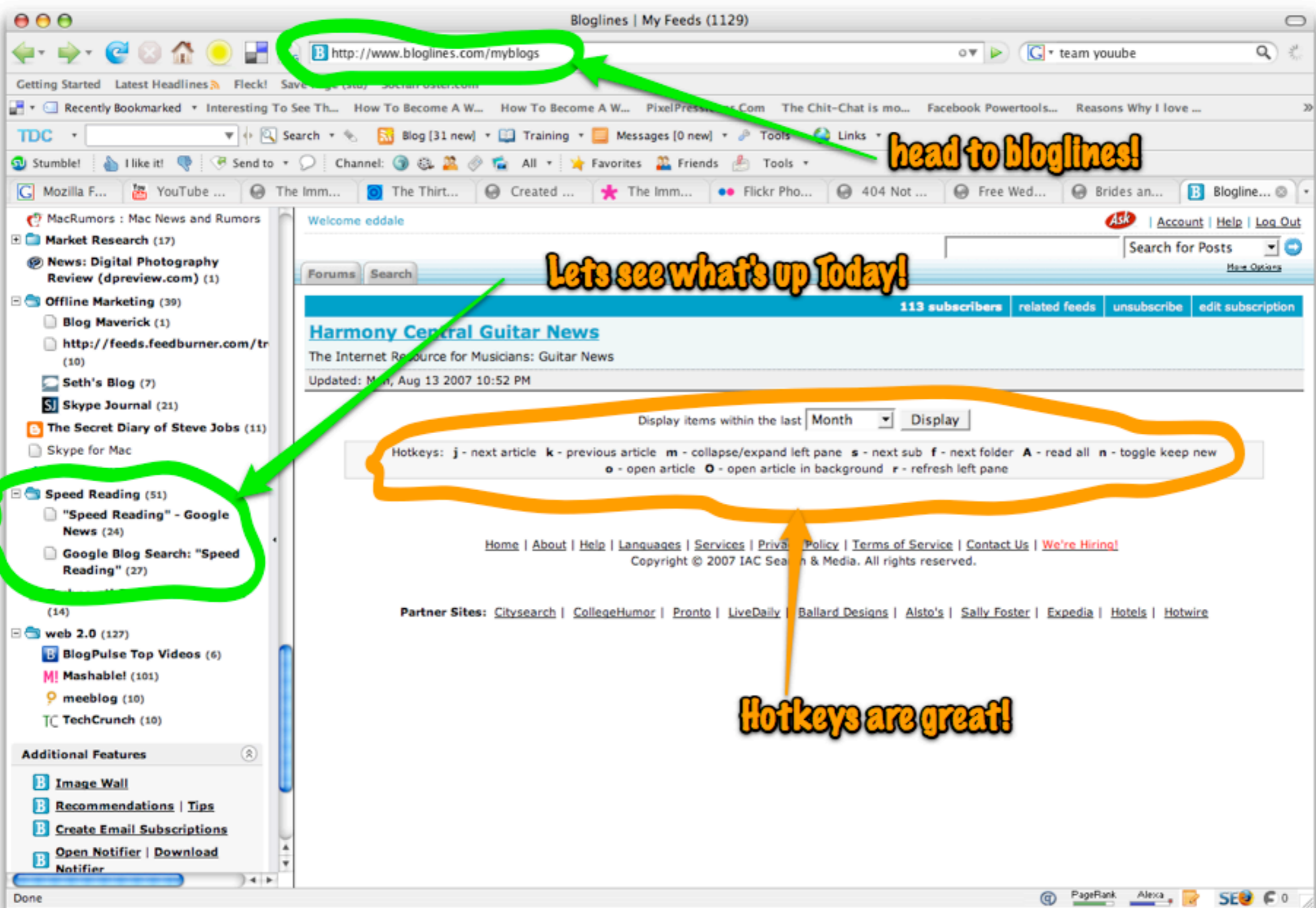
**ACTION - Create
three mini articles for
each phrase!**

Step 1 - Inspiration

Golden Nuggets!

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[Hurry Potter: speed-reading critics rush reviews](#)

Washington Post, United States - 21 Jul 2007

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Charlotte Observer, NC - 12 Aug 2007

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Washington Business Journal, DC - 20 Jul 2007

by Catherine Dominguez Local entrepreneur Lee Johnson has launched a new company around an innovative product that is designed to make people read faster. ...

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USA Today - 8 Aug 2007

Q: Reading your account of a teacher dropping nonsense words into lessons to prep for their appearance on a vital **speed-reading** test, I thought about ...

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Ireland Online, Ireland - 21 Jul 2007

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To Read with Speed, Get Hooked on Phonics, and...

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By Nikhil Swaminathan

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In work that may one day narrow the gap between speedy, voracious readers and slower, disinterested ones, researchers at New York University (N.Y.U.) have determined that three different mechanisms are used to decode the words in a particular sentence.

The three processes: phonics (a letter by letter sounding out of words); contextual clues (earlier parts of sentences that help readers anticipate upcoming words); and holistic word recognition, or the physical shape of words.

Let's have a crack!

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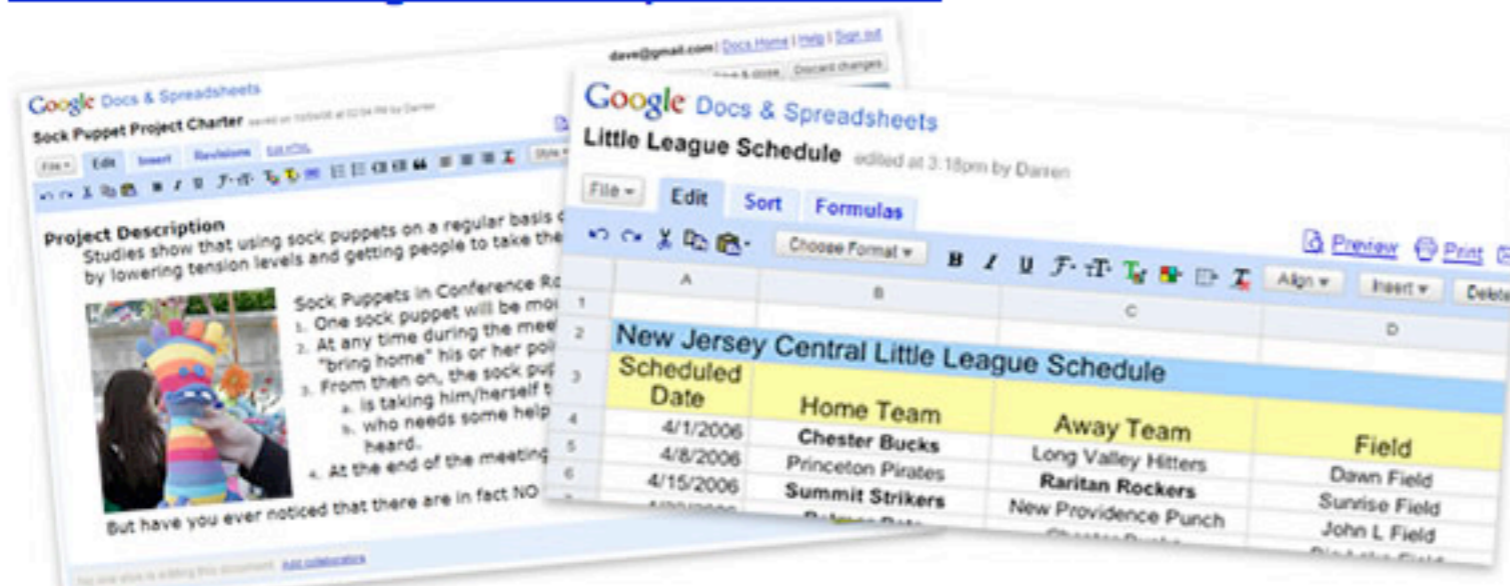
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an effort to determine the impact of the absence of each aid, researchers directed subjects to read passages that were either pure text, had one alteration or two of these manipulations combined. Their findings: that phonics, not surprisingly, the largest component of reading speed, determined 62 percent of the rate. The stunner was that the other two processes consistently contributed the same amounts to reading speed. Context clues controlled 22 percent of reading speed and word shape governed 16 percent. (according to the study.)

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The Pursuit Of Free Speed Reading - Scientific American Is Hooked On Phonics

Im constantly on the look out for free speed reading tips. I cam across this article in Scientific American's august edition

According to a study conducted by a New York University - Phonics (The sounding out of words) is responsible for a whopping 62% of a persons ability to speed read.

This surprises me - because I always thought that "Reading in your Head" was a sure way to slow down your reading speed.

Here's how the study and Scientific American broke it down.

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If these numbers hold out - it sure gives the phonics lobby more ammunition in thier fight to get phonics taught as the standard reading strategy for schools.

Here is a link to the article...

Love to hear what you think.

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Now It's Your Turn...

Today's Mission

- Write Three Short Articles for each phrase
 - Use Google Docs/Word/etc
- Remember To put your phrase
 - In The Heading
 - First Sentence
- Keep it light!