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Teaching Tips

BEFORE READING

- Discuss what a biography is. What kinds of things might a biography tell a reader?
- Look through the glossary together. Read and discuss the words.
- Go on a picture walk, looking through the pictures to discuss vocabulary and make predictions about the text.

DURING READING

- Encourage readers to point to each word as it is read. Stop occasionally to ask readers to point to a specific word in the text.
- If a reader encounters an unknown word, ask them to look at the rest of the page. Are there any clues to help them understand?

AFTER READING

- Check for understanding.
 - ▶ Where did Zendaya grow up?
 - ▶ What does she do?
 - ▶ What does she care about?
- Ask the readers to think deeper.
 - ▶ If you met Zendaya, what question would you like to ask her? Why?

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Movie Star of the Year

Zendaya stepped onto the stage.

She was very happy.

She had just won **Female**
Movie Star of 2019.



Zendaya's Life

Zendaya grew up in California.

She has five brothers and sisters.

Both of her parents are very tall!



↑
Zendaya's
father

↑
Zendaya's
mother