

| | |
|---|----|
| 3. Methodology..... | 27 |
| Participants..... | 27 |
| Instruments..... | 28 |
| Procedures..... | 31 |
| The Procedures of the Formal Reading Instruction..... | 32 |
| Phase One: Warm up and Instruction..... | 32 |
| Phase Two: The Instruction of the Reading Skills and Strategies...33 | |
| Phase Three: Review and Q & A..... | 48 |
| Data Analysis..... | 48 |
| 4. Results and Discussion..... | 49 |
| Results of the Question Types and Their Percentage..... | 49 |
| The Reading Pretest..... | 49 |
| The BCT in 2006..... | 52 |
| Results of the Participants' Performances in the Pretest..... | 57 |
| Results of the Participants' Performances in the BCT of 2006..... | 63 |
| 5. Conclusion..... | 81 |
| Summary..... | 81 |
| Pedagogical Implications..... | 86 |
| Limitations of the Present Study and Suggestions for Future Research...88 | |
| REFERENCES..... | 91 |

Appendixes

| | |
|---|-----|
| A. The Reading Pretest..... | 100 |
| B. The Warm-up Activities..... | 110 |
| C. The Handouts of the Formal Reading Instruction for the experimental group.. | 111 |