



# Script: Open Books Three-peat

**Teacher:** Class!

**Students:** Yes!

**Teacher:** You each have a textbook in your desk. I'm going to say, "Reading book 18." When I say that, you say, "Reading book 18, Reading book 18, Reading book 18." You get out your Reading book and open your book quickly to page 18. Then snap your fingers three times to let me know you are at the correct page. Let's practice. Reading book 18!

**Students:** Reading book 18, Reading book 18, Reading book 18! (Students open their books and snap their fingers three times.)

**Teacher:** Oh, class!

**Students:** Oh, yes!

**Teacher:** (Mark a Frowny on the Scoreboard.) That wasn't too bad for the first time, but I want you to be a bit quicker. (Have students return their books inside their desks.) I'm going to count to 10. If everyone has their book open to the correct page with 3 snaps, I will give the class a Smiley. Remember to repeat what I say and snap your fingers three times when you're ready. Reading book 18!

**Students:** Reading book 18, Reading book 18, Reading book 18! (Students open their books and snap their fingers three times.)

- Continue practicing, awarding a Smiley or Frowny as needed.
- Create a Class Goal for opening books.
- Practice this procedure BEFORE you teach a lesson requiring a textbook/workbook!