## **Learning Strategy**

Learning Strategies are the thoughts and actions that help make learning easier or more effective.

The learning strategy for this lesson is *Predict*. When we *predict*, we are using what we know to say what will happen in the future. In using English, it is helpful if you can predict what is coming up in a story that you are reading or something that you are listening to. This helps your brain prepare to understand the next part of the story.

In this lesson, Anna shows Marsha her long list of places she wants to see. She *predicts* that they will be busy on their trip back to Washington, D.C.

Do you ever *predict* when you are reading or listening in English? Write to us about it in the Comments section or <u>send us an email</u>. Teachers, see the <u>Lesson Plan</u> for more details on teaching this strategy.