BURKE READING INTERVIEW MODIFIED FOR OLDER READERS (BIMOR)

Name ___________________________ Age ___________ Date _______________
Occupation ________________________ Education Level ______________________
Sex _______ Interview Setting ______________________________________________

1. When you’re reading and you come to something you don’t know, what do you do? Do you ever do anything else?

2. Who is a good reader that you know?

3. What makes _______________ a good reader?

4. Do you think _______________ ever comes to something that gives him/her trouble when he/she is reading?

5. When _______________ does come to something that gives him/her trouble, what do you think he/she does about it?

6. How would you help someone having difficulty reading?

7. What would a teacher do to help that person?

8. How did you learn to read?

9. Is there anything you would like to change about your reading?

10. Describe yourself as a reader: What kind of reader are you?

11. What do you read routinely, like every day or every week?

12. What do you like most of all to read?

13. Can you remember any special book or the most memorable think you have ever read?

14. What is the most difficult think you have to read?