

A mom put this sign on her teenage son's door:

ENTER

AN UNKNOWN BACTERIA IS SAID

AT YOUR

TO BE GROWING IN THIS ROOM.

OWN RISK.

In a football team's locker room:

I AM YOUR

NOT YOUR MOTHER

COACH

At the veterinarian's office:

**PUDDLES
ARE FOR**

NOT WALKING THROUGH

**JUMPING
OVER**

Bumper sticker on a highway patrolman's car:

**DON'T
SLOW DOWN**

**BUT IF YOU DON'T,
IT MIGHT HURT YOUR ACCOUNT**

**ON MY
ACCOUNT**

At the library:

CHECK

REALLY!

IT OUT

Cut out some cartoons from the newspaper and put them on transparency. Think aloud about inferences that allow the cartoon to be funny.



Show students signs (or bumper stickers) and have them write the internal text that comes from the external text.

