

Question Templates – Reading At Home

Vocabulary

- What impression of this group of words:, give you?
E.g. What impression of this group of words: old, dusty, derelict, give you?
- Can you give the meaning of the word in this sentence?
E.g. Can you give the meaning of the word deadly in this sentence?
- Can you suggest a word that matches the meaning of the word?
E.g. Can you suggest a word that matches the meaning of the word hopeful?
- Find and copy one word that suggests/shows that
E.g. Find and copy one word that suggests that Peter is frustrated with his friends.

Retrieval

- Can you give a reason why?
E.g. Can you give a reason why Paddington is scared?
- What was revealed (at a point in the story)?
E.g. What was revealed when James' mum arrived at the house?
- Can you write down two or three things you are told about in the text?
E.g. Can you write down two or three things you are told about the boy's dog in the text?

Summarise

- Can you summarise what has happened from point of view?
E.g. Can you summarise what has happened in the story so far from Sam's point of view?
- Can you summarise the character's attitude towards?
E.g. Can you summarise how Alfie feels about Mark? Can you summarise how Alfie feels about the party being cancelled?

Inference

- What impressions of do you get from these two paragraphs?
E.g. What impressions of Frankie do you get from these two paragraphs?
- In what ways might character appeal to readers (or not!)? Explain fully, referring to the text in your answer.
- What evidence is there of/that?
E.g. What evidence is there that the children are frustrated by the adults?
- Why do you think happened?
E.g. Why do you think Freddie shouted at his friends? Why do you think the boat was delayed leaving the harbour?

Predict

- Do you think that will? Explain your choice using evidence you found in the text.
E.g. Do you think Sally will tell her Dad what happened?
- What do you think will happen next? What clues are there to make us think that?