

Responding to the Text 2

Can you think of another story that is similar to this one?

Which text is...?

Which elements of this text are persuasive?

Why does this section begin with a question?

Does the author like...? How do you know?

How does the author make you feel?

Why were... included?

What do you think the writer thinks about this topic and why?

What kind of magazine would you expect to find an article like this?

Look at the descriptions of 3 people. Who is most likely to buy this book?

What can you tell about the viewpoint of the author?

How does the writer show their positive/negative attitude towards...?

How were the purposes of the texts different?

How would you start this story?

How does this article create the impression that...?

How does the author make you feel...?

Was there any part of the story you didn't like and why?

Which of these texts would inspire you to...?

What is the main purpose of this text?

Was this text trying to...?

How can you recognise the attitude of this character?

Why has the author included...?

Why do you think the author chose this setting?

Which text do you think is more/most effective?

Reading Questions

Language for Effect

Explain why... is used.

Can you find any amazing adjectives?

Which phrase best describes...

Why does the writer use the word...?

What is the effect of...?

How does the author make you want to continue reading the story?

Why are... used?

Why is the word... in inverted commas?

Explain how the use of language in this sentence shows...

Why did the author use...?

Choose a word to describe this character and explain why you chose it.

What do phrases such as... tell you?

Can you find any powerful verbs?

What words help the reader to imagine...?

How does... help you to understand?

Which parts of the text tell you...?

Explain two ways in which this sentence makes the reader...

What does... tell you about...?

Why is the description of... a good metaphor to use?

Why is this style of formal / informal language used in this text?

In what way is... like...?

How has the choice of words created a feeling of...?

How does the choice of language create the impression that...?

Why does the writer compare... to...?

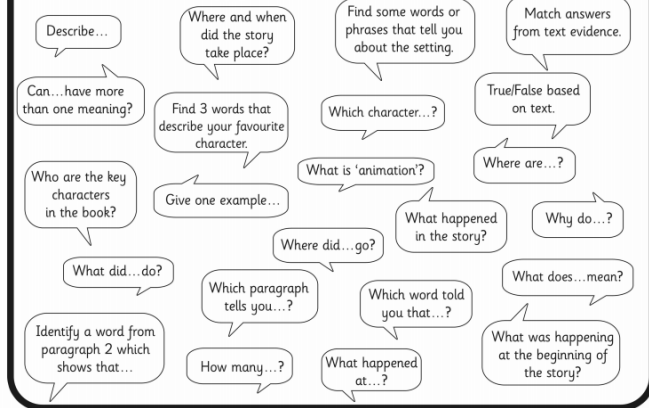
Underline the word/noun/verb/phrase which shows that...

Why did the author choose the verbs... and...?

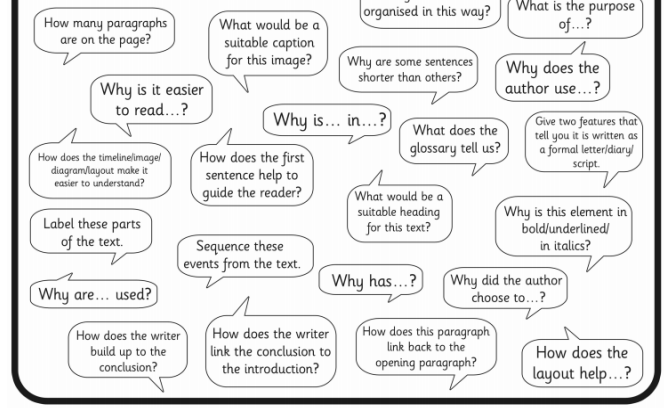
Which part of the story best describes the setting?

What does the choice of language suggest...?

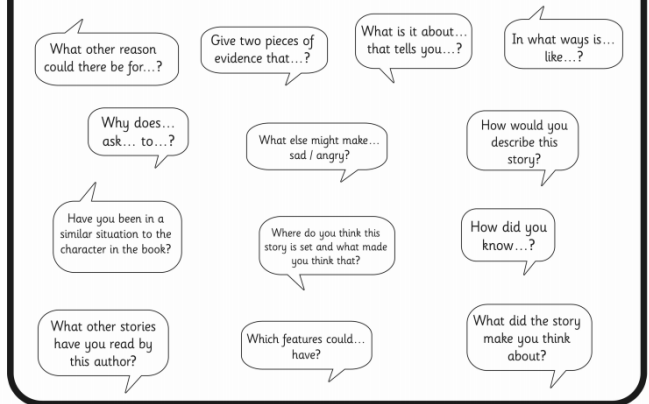
Literal Comprehension



Responding to the Text



Themes and Conventions



Inference

