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| QUESTIONS YOU CAN ASK YOUR CHILD WHEN READING WITH THEM – KEY STAGE 1 | | |
| Reading for Pleasure and Enjoyment | Word Reading and Decoding | Knowledge of Vocabulary |
| |  | | --- | | Did you choose this book? Why?    What did you like about the text? Why? What did you dislike about the text? Why?  Would you read the book again? Why? Why not?  Would you recommend the book to your friend? Why? Why not?  What will you read next? | | |  | | --- | | What do you do if you are stuck on a word?  Where do you start reading the word? Where do you look first?  When you blend those sounds together, what word does it say? Can you tell me the word?  Are there any clues in the word?  Does it look like any other words you know?  Can the pictures help you? | | What word in the text tells you…?    The author uses this word \_\_\_\_\_\_What does it mean?  The writer uses words such as \_\_\_\_\_\_to describe \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. What does this tell you about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_?    The writer uses words such as \_\_\_\_\_\_to describe \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. How does it make you feel?  Find and copy a word that describes how… |
| Key Aspects of the Text | Sequence of Events | Infer |
| Which character \_\_\_\_\_\_?  Where/when does \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ take place?  What did \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ look like?  How did \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ feel? Why?    Who was \_\_\_\_\_\_?  Where did \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live?  Who are the characters in the book?  What happened in the story?  How does the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ help me to find information in this book? | What happened after \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  What happened before \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  Which of these events happened last?  Use three sentences to describe the beginning, middle and end of this text?  Sum up the story in \_\_\_\_\_\_ words | Why do you think \_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  How do you know that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  When do you think \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  How can you tell that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  Why did \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  How do you feel about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?    Can you explain why \_\_\_\_\_\_\_?  How does \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ feel? |
| Prediction |  | Other Reading Ideas |
| What do you think will happen next?  What do you think would happen if \_\_\_\_\_\_?  What do you think will happen to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_? Why do you think this?    Where do you think \_\_\_\_\_\_\_? |  | Signs when out and about  Comics/Magazines  Recipe books  Instructions for a game/toy  Visit the library |