

Reading Indicators



Grade K

- With prompting and support ask and answer questions about key details in a text.

Grade 2

- Ask and answer questions such as who, what, where, why and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text.

Grades 3-5

- Ask and answer questions to demonstrate understanding of a text, referring explicitly to the text as the basis for the answers.

Examples of Higher Order Questions



Inferring

- Infer causes of problems or of outcomes in fiction and nonfiction texts.



Synthesizing

- How did your thinking change as a result of what you learned from the story?



Analysis

- What did the writer do to make the (character, topic, setting) interesting ?



Critiquing

- How does the author communicate the mood of the story and its effect on the characters ?