Sixty-Second Reads Guidance

Vocabulary Questions

Vocabulary Victor is there to help you work out the meaning of unknown words and phrases using context clues.

Give / explain the meaning of words in context.

Retrieval Questions

Rex Retriever is there to help you to go into a text and just simply retrieve the facts and key details.

Retrieve and record information / identify key details from fiction and nonfiction.

Summary Questions

Summarizing Sheba is there to remind you to summarize the main point(s) or main event(s) of a paragraph or text.

Summarize main ideas from more than one paragraph.

Inference Questions

Inference Iggy will help you hunt for clues in a text about how someone might be feeling or why something is happening.

Make inferences from the text / explain and justify inferences with evidence from the text.

Prediction Questions

Predicting Pip tries to see the future and she will help you to work out what might happen next from clues in the text.

Predict what might happen from details stated and implied.

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Compare, Contrast, and Comment Questions

Cassie the Commentator discusses the content of a paragraph/text and compares events and characters. Can you do the same?

Identify/explain how information/narrative content is related and contributes to meaning as a whole.
Make comparisons within the text.

Author Choice Questions

Arlo the Author likes to help you to spot examples of ambitious vocabulary and figurative language, and explain how these words/phrases add to the meaning of the text.

Identify/explain how meaning is enhanced through choice of words and phrases.

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