



Year 1 questions and prompts

Questions to ask

- What words are being repeated?
- What phrases are repeated?
- Why has the author used this word?
- What does mean?
- Can you use in a new sentence?
- What is your favourite part and why?
- What is your least favourite part and why?
- What do you think to and why?
- Why has the author used that title?
- What does the title tell the reader?
- What other titles could they use?
- How do we change our voice if we read a '?' ?
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- Can you tell me the name of?
- What day did they?
- What colour is the character's?
- Where did they go?
- If the story starts with 'once upon a time' what kind of story is it?
- What was the ending like? Was it happy?
- Tell me about some of the features you can see.
- Point to a sub heading.
- Why is there a list?
- What does a caption do?
- Is this text the same as a recipe? Explain.
- What does want to do?
- What is the problemhas?
- Give me a reason why wants to go to.....
- Allow and encourage children to use different voices and model this to them
- What will happen at the end?
- What will happen when.....
- Do you think he/she will.....
- Find an adjective in the text.
- Tell me 3 facts you have learnt from the text.
- What happened at the beginning/middle/end?