

## Year 3 questions and prompts



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What does this word mean? Can you use it in another sentence?

Why has the author used this word?

How have they built up excitement for the reader?

What type of story is this? How does the vocabulary tell you that?

Can you tell me the character's name?

Where do they live?

When did they .....?

What person is this writing written in? Explain.

How do you know it is written in the 3<sup>rd</sup> person?

Tell me what features are in a letter/diary/recipe/instruction text/etc.

What is their purpose?

How do they help the reader?

Why has the character.....?

It stated that the character 'stamped their feet' why do you think this is? What does it tell you about them?

This character is feeling surprised, explain what actions tell us this.

What does the character want to do? Is there a problem they face?

What was your favourite part and why?

What was your least favourite part and why?

Who would you recommend this to and why?

How many stars would you rate it and why?

Are the characters friends or family? Do they get on? Are they polite to each other?

What does one character say that shows they respect the other?

What other words/phrases in this passage tell us that he is a sinister character?

Predict at various points in the text, use evidence to support.

Allow children to change their prediction in light of new information.

Tell me in one or two sentences what this was about.