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**Copper**

Please encourage your child to:

- Relate events in texts to own experiences, prior knowledge and other texts read and discuss in more detail.
- Discuss characters in stories and say how events influence their motives and behaviours.
- Use evidence from the text to identify and discuss themes or key messages.
- Use information in non-fiction texts to find answers to a broader range of questions.
- Express opinions about texts read, state preferences and provide evidence to support viewpoint.

Questions to ask:

Fiction	Non-fiction
What clues tell us about _____?	What page could I find out about ___?
Why did the author use that word?	Why do we need a glossary?
What does that mean?	(looking at the cover) What do you think you will learn about in this book?
What other words are like this one?	What can you use to find information quickly?
What type of story is this? E.g. adventure, scary, sad	What is the text about?
What words does the author use to create this mood?	What page could I find out about ___?
How has the text been organised?	What does that mean?
Can you find examples of powerful adjectives?	How do the pictures/diagrams/labels help you?
Can you think of another story with a similar theme? E.g. good over evil, weak over strong	

**Black**

Please encourage your child to:

- Relate events in texts to own experiences, prior knowledge and other text read and discuss in detail.
- Analyse changes in characters and discuss how events might have influenced this.
- Use evidence from the text to identify and discuss themes or key messages.
- Use information in non-fiction text to find answers to a broad range of questions and summarise key points. Express opinions about text and make observations about the overall effect on the reader.
- Take account of punctuation and understand how it affects meaning.
- Read longer passages fluently, with expression, putting appropriate stress on words and phrases.

Fiction	Non-fiction
What clues tell us about _____?	What page could I find out about ___?
Why did the author use that word?	Why do we need a glossary?
What does that mean?	(looking at the cover) What do you think you will learn about in this book?
What other words are like this one?	What can you use to find information quickly?
What type of story is this? E.g. adventure, scary, sad	What is the text about?
What words does the author use to create this mood?	What page could I find out about ___?
How has the text been organised?	What does that mean?
Can you find examples of powerful adjectives?	How do the pictures/diagrams/labels help you?
Can you think of another story with a similar theme? E.g. good over evil, weak over strong	

**Grey**

Please encourage your child to:

- Make a range of predictions based on personal experiences prior knowledge and other text read and provide evidence to justify viewpoint.
- Analyse changes in characters and discuss how events might have influenced this.
- Use evidence from the text to identify and discuss themes or key messages.
- Formulate questions and search for information in a range of non-fiction texts and summarise results.
- Understand and discuss key features of fictional texts from a range of genre and begin to understand that books are set in different times and places.
- Identify and discuss language features of fictional texts.
- Use context of sentence, paragraph or whole text to decode and understand unfamiliar words.
- Take account of punctuation and understand how it affects meaning.
- Read longer passages fluently, with expression, putting appropriate stress on words and phrases.

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How does that make you feel?	