

Y3&4 Comprehension Discussion Points

How did the story 'hook' you and make you interested in it?	What was your favourite part in the story? Explain why you liked it.	Pick 5 WOW words from the book. Why have you chosen them? Can you use them in a sentence?	Pretend you are one of the characters in the book. Who will you be? How would you feel at the different points in the story?	Which chapter or part of the story is the most important? Why?
Think of 5 questions you would like to ask one of the characters in your book. What do you think their answers might be?	Can you summarise the story in less than 30 words?	What would you change about the story if you could rewrite it?	Who is your favourite character? Why? What do you like about them?	Find 3 words that you aren't sure of the meaning of and look them up.
What might happen next? Give reasons and evidence for your thoughts.	Retell the events of the book in 1 minute.	Paint a picture of your favourite part of the story and explain why you picked it.	Find a word that you weren't sure of the meaning but worked out from the context. How did you work it out?	If you were to write a sequel to the book, what would happen?
Were there any parts of the story you didn't understand?	Pick a brilliant phrase from the text that really helps you to picture it.	Choose a part of the story and focus on the main character. What are they thinking at this point? What's the evidence for this?	Would you recommend this book to your classmates? Why/why not?	Read aloud a page, making sure you are reading with expression.