

**Draw upon knowledge of vocabulary
in order to understand the text.**

What does the word _____ mean in this sentence?

Find and copy a word which means _____.

What does this word or phrase tell you about _____?

Which word in this section do you think is the most important?

Why?

Which of the words best describe the character/setting
or mood?

Can you think of any other words the author could have used to
describe this?

Why do you think _____ is repeated in this section?

I know this word means _____.

I know another word which has the similar meaning.

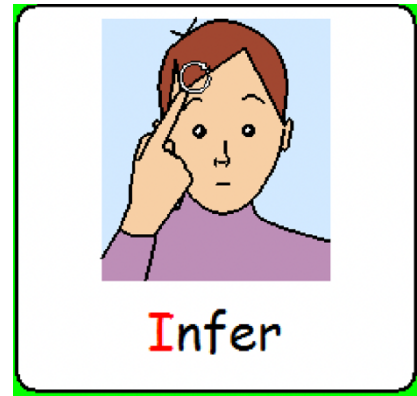
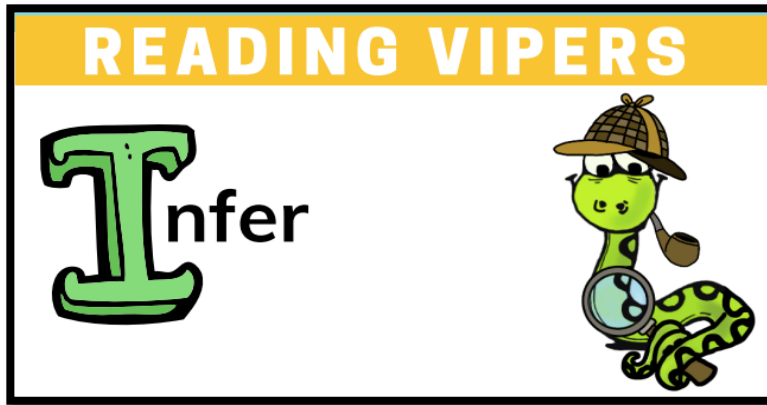
I know another word which has the opposite meaning.

This word tells me that _____.

This word is important because _____.

This word is interesting because _____.

This word is the best to describe the character or the setting
because _____.



Make and justify inferences using evidence from the text.

Why was _____ feeling _____?

Why did _____ happen?

Why did _____ say _____?

Can you explain why _____ happened?

What do you think the author intended when they said _____?

How does _____ make you feel?

She or he felt _____ because _____.

It shows that _____.

I got the impression that _____.

She or he was thinking that _____ because _____.

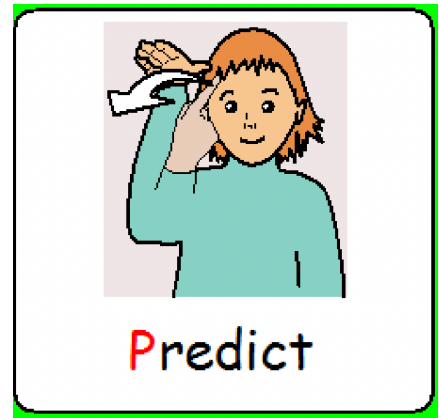
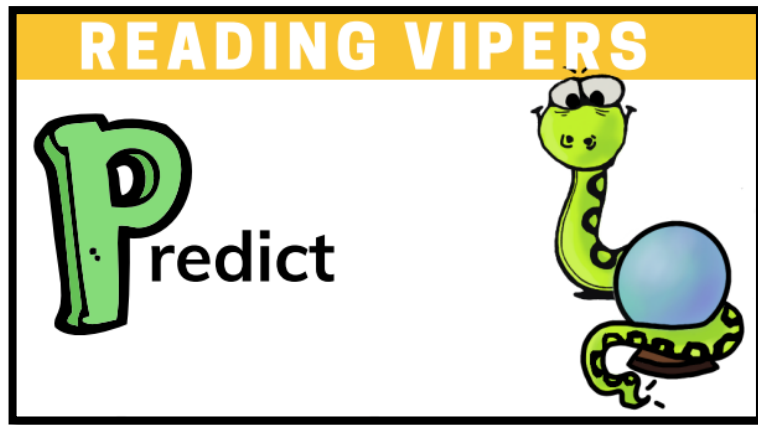
She or he was feeling _____ because _____.

It happened because _____.

She or he said _____ because _____.

The author said that because _____.

I felt _____ because _____.



Predict what you think will happen based on the information that you have been given.

Look at the book cover/blurb – what do you think this book will be about?

What do you think will happen next?

What makes you think this?

How does the choice of character or setting affect what will happen next?

What is happening?

What do you think happened before?

What do you think will happen after?

I think this book is about _____.

I predict that _____.

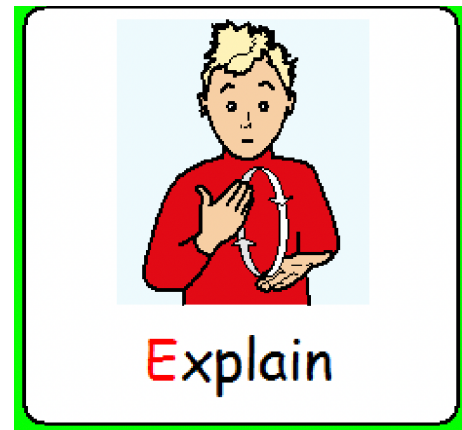
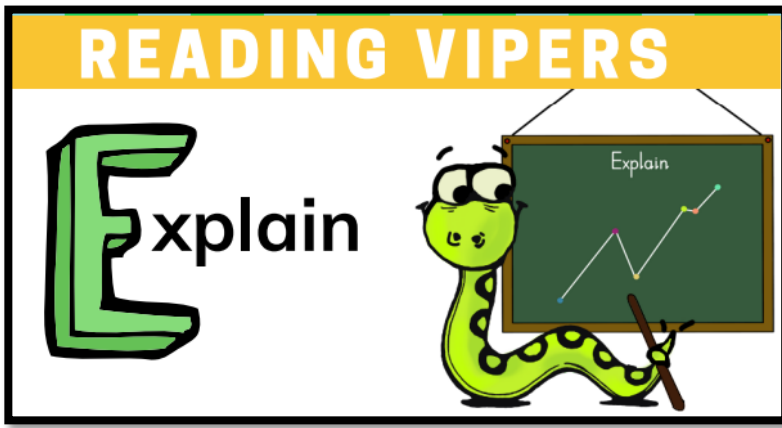
It is because _____.

I think it will happen because _____.

I don't think it will happen because _____.

This shows that _____.

This has given me a clue to show that _____.



Explain your preferences, thoughts and opinions about the text.

Who is your favourite character? Why?

Why do you think all the main characters are girls in this book? Would you like to live in this setting?

Why/why not?

Is there anything you would change about this story?

Do you like this text?

What do you like about it?

My favourite character is _____ because _____.

My favourite part is _____ because _____.

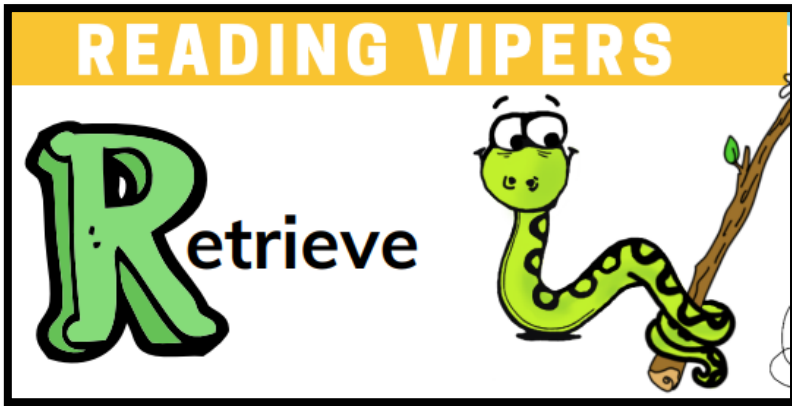
I would like to live in this setting because _____.

I would not want to live in this setting because _____.

If I can change the story, I would _____.

I like this book because _____.

I dislike this book because _____.



Identify and explain the key features of fiction and nonfiction texts such as: characters, events, titles and information.

- What kind of text is this?
- Who did _____?
- Where did _____?
- When did _____?
- What happened when _____?
- Why did _____ happen?
- How did _____?
- How many _____?
- What happened to _____?

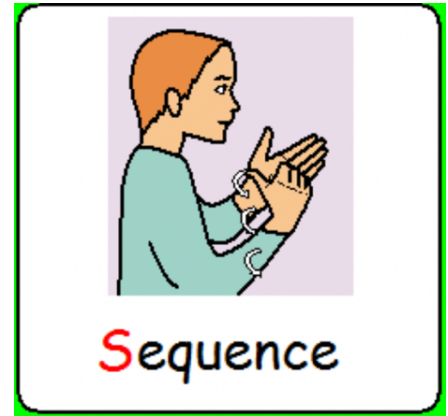
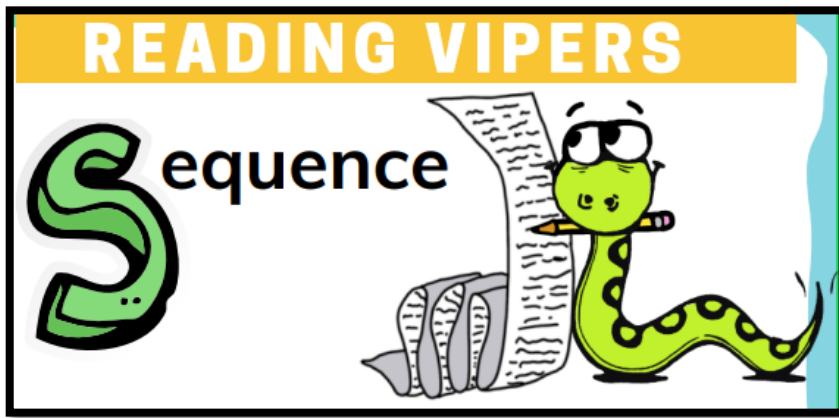
This text is a _____ because _____.

It happened in _____.

It happened when _____.

It happened because _____.

I can find the information from _____.



Sequence the key events in the story.

Can you renumber these events 1-5 in the order that they happened?

What happened after

What was the first thing that happened in the story?

Can you summarise in a sentence the beginning/middle/end of the story?

In what order do these chapter headings come in the story?

First

At the beginning

Next

Then

After that

Finally

In the end

