

KS1 VIPERS

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Vocabulary</b></p> <p><b>Draw upon knowledge of vocabulary in order to understand the text.</b></p> <p>Example questions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What does the word ..... mean in this sentence?</li> <li>• Find and copy a word which means .....</li> <li>• What does this word or phrase tell you about .....</li> <li>• Which word in this section do you think is the most important? Why?</li> <li>• Which of the words best describes the character/setting/mood etc?</li> <li>• Can you think of any other words the author could have used to describe this?</li> <li>• Why do you think ..... is repeated in this section?</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Infer</b></p> <p><b>Make inferences from the text.</b></p> <p><b>Example questions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Why was..... feeling.....?</li> <li>• Why did ..... happen?</li> <li>• Why did ..... say .....</li> <li>• Can you explain why.....?</li> <li>• What do you think the author intended when they said.....?</li> <li>• How does ..... make you feel?</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Predict</b></p> <p><b>Predict what you think will happen based on the information that you have been given.</b></p> <p>Example questions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Look at the book cover/blurb – what do you think this book will be about?</li> <li>• What do you think will happen next? What makes you think this?</li> <li>• How does the choice of character or setting affect what will happen next?</li> <li>• What is happening? What do you think happened before? What do you think will happen after?</li> <li>• What do you think the last paragraph suggests will happen next?</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Explain</b></p> <p><b>Explain your preferences, thoughts and opinions about the text.</b></p> <p>Example questions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Who is your favourite character? Why?</li> <li>• Why do you think all the main characters are girls in this book?</li> <li>• Would you like to live in this setting? Why/why not?</li> <li>• Is there anything you would change about this story?</li> <li>• Do you like this text? What do you like about it?</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Retrieve</b></p> <p><b>Identify and explain the key features of fiction and nonfiction texts such as: characters, events, titles and information.</b></p> <p>Example questions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What kind of text is this?</li> <li>• Who did.....?</li> <li>• Where did.....?</li> <li>• When did.....?</li> <li>• What happened when.....?</li> <li>• Why did ..... happen?</li> <li>• How did .....?</li> <li>• How many.....?</li> <li>• What happened to.....?</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sequence</b></p> <p><b>Sequence the key events in the story.</b></p> <p><b>Example questions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can you number these events 1-5 in the order that they happened?</li> <li>• What happened after .....</li> <li>• What was the first thing that happened in the story?</li> <li>• Can you summarise in a sentence the opening/middle/end of the story?</li> <li>• In what order do these chapter headings come in the story?</li> </ul>