Spring 2 – Early Reading Newsletter

Dear parents/carers,

Your child has made steady progress in their reading this Spring term.
Let's keep them reading this Spring term to set them up for success.

Watch Virtual Classroom films

https://uphallprimary.co.uk/virtual-classroom/

We'll be sharing more links soon to:

1. Set 2 and/or Set 3 reading films to practise reading specific sounds and words
2. Pinny Time films to practise reading sounds speedily
3. 'Special Friends, Fred Talk' films for practice reading a range of new words.

The plan

- Set aside 10 minutes to watch a film with your child *at least* three times a week.
- Find a quiet space for your child to watch the film on a laptop or tablet.
- Praise your child as they join in with the lesson.

Use the eBook Library

Use the Phonics Practice at Home quizzes in your child's eBook Library on Oxford Owl.

Username: uphallschool Password: Reading

https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/login?active-tab=students

Listen to your child read every day

You will find *Read Write Inc.* Storybooks in your child's book bag / eBook Library for your child to read to you. Choose a quiet time when they are wide awake.

Help your child to:

- read the sounds and words at the front of the book, before they read the story
- sound out any new words as they read the story.

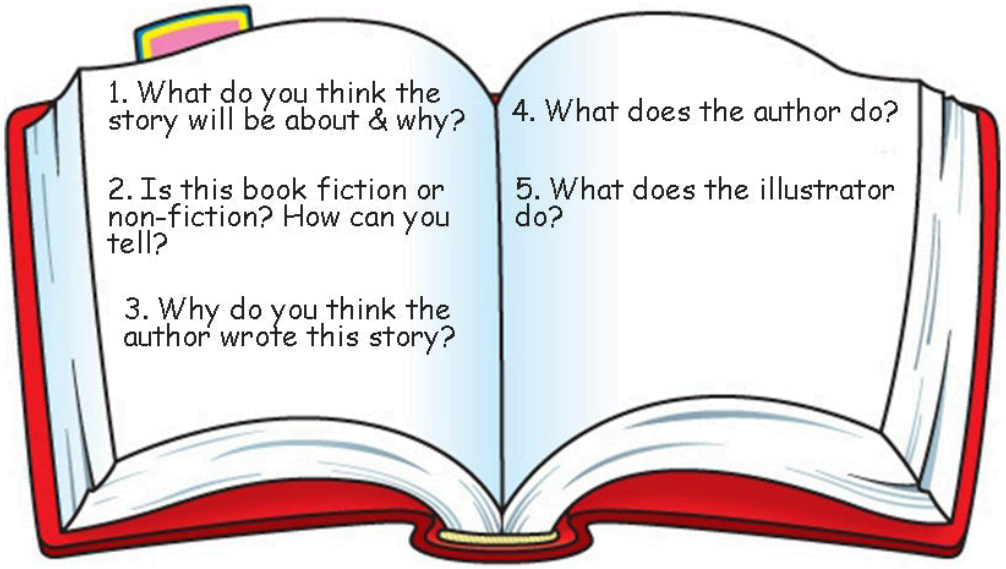
Read back each page to them, after they have read it.
If the child has enjoyed the story, encourage them to read it again on the next day to increase their fluency.
Most importantly...do it all with patience and love.

Read aloud to your child every day

Did you know that *being read to* develops children's comprehension, increases their vocabulary and grows their love of reading? Please use the ***'Reading Comprehension Questions for Parents'*** guide overleaf to support your child's reading for enjoyment.
Your child will love to hear these same stories read again and again. Visit your local library for more.

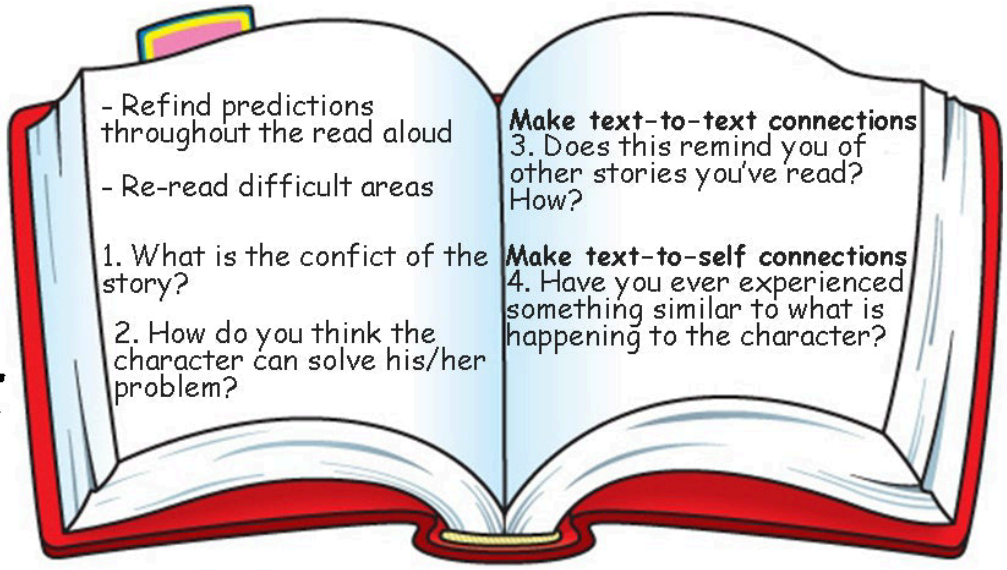
Your support matters.
Uphall family

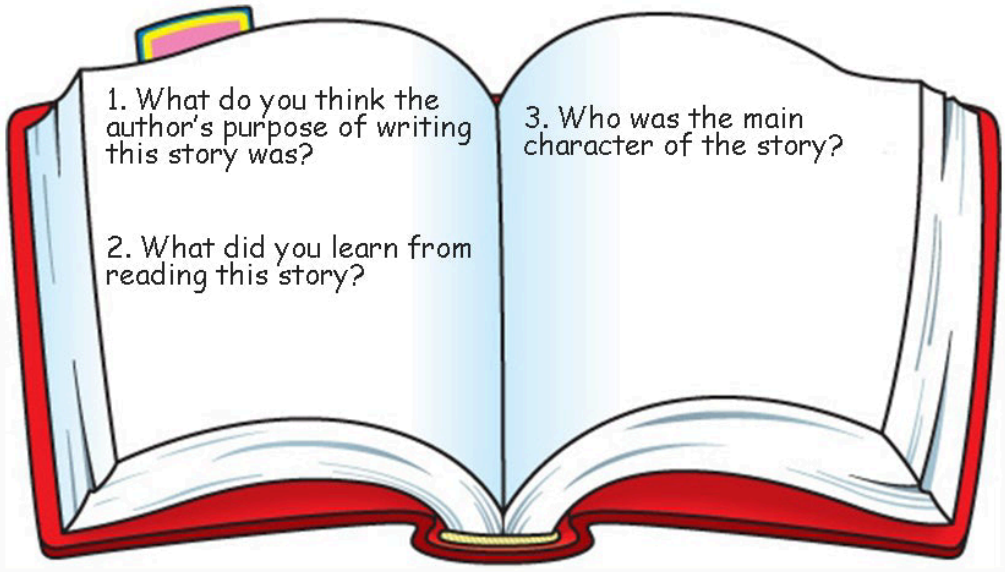
Reading Comprehension Questions for Parents



BEFORE READING

DURING READING





AFTER READING