

Question Prompts

Level	Prompts
Remembering	Where is... What did... Who was... When did... How many... Locate it in the story... Point to the...
Understanding	Tell me in your own words... What does it mean... Give me an example of... Describe what... What is the main idea of...
Applying	What would happen to you if... How would you solve the problem... If you were there, would you... Find information about...
Analyzing	What other ways could... What things are similar/different? What kind of person is... What things could not have happened in real life? What caused ___ to act the way she/he did?
Evaluating	Rank the events in order of importance. Which character would you most like to meet? Why? Select the best ... why is it the best? Was _____ good or bad? Why? Would you recommend this book? Why or why not?
Creating	What if... What would it be like if... What would have happened if... Tell/write a different ending... Use your imagination to draw a picture of... Pretend you are a... Design a...

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