







VIPERS Questions for EYFS

Vocabulary Draw upon knowledge of vocabulary in order to understand the text. 	Infer Make inferences from the text. 	Predict Predict what you think will happen based on the information that you have been given. 	Explain Explain your preferences, thoughts and opinions about the text. 	Retrieve Identify and explain the key features of fiction and non-fiction texts such as: characters, events, titles and information. 	Sequence Sequence the key events in the story. 
<p>Example questions</p> <p>What does the word mean?</p> <p>Find a word that means the same as...</p> <p>Which words tell us about how the character is feeling?</p> <p>Can you use another word that means...?</p>	<p>Example questions</p> <p>Why was ... feeling...?</p> <p>Why did ... happen?</p> <p>Can you tell me about ...?</p> <p>How does ... make you feel?</p>	<p>Example questions</p> <p>What do you think the book is about?</p> <p>What is happening?</p> <p>What do you think will happen next?</p> <p>Why do you think that?</p>	<p>Example questions</p> <p>Who do you like best? Why?</p> <p>Would you like to be in the story?</p> <p>Why or why not?</p> <p>Would you like to change the story?</p>	<p>Example questions</p> <p>What is this book about?</p> <p>Who did...</p> <p>Where did...</p> <p>What did you find out about...?</p>	<p>Example questions</p> <p>How did the story start?</p> <p>What happened next?</p> <p>How does the story end?</p>