

How to help your child when reading

Here are some questions you can use to help monitor your child's comprehension when reading at home.

1. If you close your book, can you retell what you have just read?
2. Can you make a connection to the text you have just read?
3. Can you make a prediction as to what will happen next? Why do you think that will happen?
4. Can you tell me about the story elements in the text you have just read? Setting? Main characters? Problem? Solution?
5. What was your favorite part of the text you have read? What makes it your favorite?
6. What do you think the lesson of the story is? What do you think the character learned in this chapter?
7. What do you think the MOST IMPORTANT PART of the story was? Why?