

SUMMER READING

Comprehension Questions for Parents



BEFORE YOU READ

- What do you think this book is about? Why do you think that?
- Why did you pick this book?
- Make a **prediction** about what will happen in the story.
- What kind of book is this (fiction or non-fiction)?

WHILE YOU READ

- **Stop and think.** Can you tell me what just happened?
- Who is the **main character**? How do you know?
- Describe the **setting** of the story.
- What is the **problem** in the story? How do you think the problem will be **solved**?
- **Stop and think.** What do you predict will happen next? Why do you think that?
- What **kind of person** is this character? How do you know?
- Do you have a **connection** to this book?

AFTER YOU READ

- Can you **retell** the beginning, middle, and end of the story?
- Was your prediction about the story correct? Why or why not?
- What was your favorite part of the story?
- Did you like this story? Why or why not?
- If you could change the ending of the story, what would happen?
- Who is your favorite character in the story? Why?
- What **lesson** did this story teach you? What details support that?
- Think of a different title for this story.
- Pick a character. How did this **character change** from the beginning to the end of the story?
- What was the **problem** in the story? What was the **solution** to the problem?
- What do you think happened after the story ended? Why do you think that?
- Could this story happen in real life? Why or why not?