

Year 4 Reading Overview

First week of each term to be used for assessment. VIPERS skill to be missed that half term highlighted, other skills to be followed in order.

Year 4 Term 1					
Vocabulary	Inference	Prediction	Explanation	Retrieval	Summarise
	- ask simple inference questions.	- identify clues the writer has planted for the reader.	- identify, discuss and describe themes in a text.	- skim and scan texts to record details.	- write a brief summary of main points in a text, identifying and using important information.
Year 4 Term 2					
Vocabulary	Inference	Prediction	Explanation	Retrieval	Summarise
- use dictionaries to check the meaning of words read.		- justify predictions using evidence from the text.	- identify, discuss and explain conventions in a text.	- use relevant quotes to support answers to questions.	- identify main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph.
Year 4 Term 3					
Vocabulary	Inference	Prediction	Explanation	Retrieval	Summarise
- use a thesaurus to find synonyms.	- infer characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their stated actions.		- identify how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning.	- retrieve and record information from a fiction or non-fiction text.	- identify themes from a wide range of books.

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Year 4 Term 4					
Vocabulary	Inference	Prediction	Explanation	Retrieval	Summarise
- discuss why words have been chosen and the effect these have on the reader.	- answer simple inference questions based on characters' feelings, thoughts and motives.	- use relevant prior knowledge as well as details from the text to form predictions and to justify them.		- retrieve and record information from a non-fiction text.	- summarise whole paragraphs, chapters or short texts.
Year 4 Term 5					
Vocabulary	Inference	Prediction	Explanation	Retrieval	Summarise
- find the meaning of new words using the context of the sentence.	- justify inferences using a specific reference point in the text.	- use knowledge gained from other texts to inform predictions.	- recognise authorial choices and the purpose of these.		- identify key information and record it in bullet points or diagrams.
Year 4 Term 6					
Vocabulary	Inference	Prediction	Explanation	Retrieval	Summarise
- explain how words can capture the interest of the reader.	- use more than one piece of evidence to justify their inference.	- monitor predictions and compare them with the text as they read on.	- retell a narrative, recalling details which are important and appropriate.	- identify questions to be answered and use appropriate sources to find answers.	