Overview	Strand	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Reading Comprehension Lessons	Vocabulary	-Use dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read	-Use dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read	-Exploring the meaning of words in context, confidently using a dictionary	-Evaluate how the author's use of language impacts upon the reader -Find examples of
VIPERS		-Discuss words that capture the readers interest of imagination -Identify how language	-Use a thesaurus to find synonyms -Discuss why words have been chosen and the	-Discuss how the author's choice of language impacts the reader -Evaluate the authors use	figurative language and how this impacts the reader and contributes to meaning or mood
These skills are also covered during our carousel slots daily and during		choices help build meaning -Find the meaning of new words using substitution	effect these have on the reader -Explain how words capture the interest of	of language -Investigate alternative word choices that could be made	-Discuss how presentation and structure combine to meaning
interventions. They are woven through our curriculum.		within a sentence	-Discuss new and unusual vocabulary and clarify the meaning of these	-Begin to look at the use of figurative language -Use a thesaurus to find synonyms for a larger	-Explore the meaning of words in context by 'reading around the word' and independently explore its meaning in the
See separate document for appropriate question stems			-Find the meaning of new words using the context of the sentence	variety of words -Re-write passages using alternative word choices -Read around the word and explore its meaning in	broader contest of a section or paragraph

per year group for each skill WOW links to vocabulary objectives	Inference	-Children can infer character's feelings, thoughts and motives from their stated actions -Justify inferences by refencing a specific point in the text -Ask and answer questions appropriately, including some simple inference questions based on character's feelings, thoughts and motives -Make inferences about actions or events	-Ask and answer questions appropriately, including some simple inference questions based on character's feelings, thoughts and motives (I know this because questions) -Infer character's feelings, thoughts and motives from their stated actions -Consolidate the skill of justifying them using a specific reference point in the text -Use more than one piece of evidence to justify their answers	the broader context of the paragraph -Drawing inferences such as inferring character's feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, justifying them with inferences -Make inferences about actions, feelings, events or states -Use figurative language to infer meaning -Give one or two pieces of evidence to support the point they are making -Begin the draw evidence from more than one place across the text	-Drawing inferences such as inferring character's feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence - Discuss how characters change and develop through texts by drawing inferences based on indirect clues -Make inferences about events, feelings and states and backing these up with evidence -Infer character's feelings, thoughts and motives, giving more than one piece of evidence to support each point made. They can draw evidence from different places in the text
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Prediction	-Justify predictions using evidence from the text -Use relevant prior knowledge to make predictions and justify them -Use details from the text to form further predictions	-Justify predictions using evidence from the text -Use relevant prior knowledge as well as details from the text to form predictions and to justify them -Monitor these predictions and compare them with the text as they read on	-Predicting what might happen from detail stated and implied -Support predictions with relevant evidence from the text -Confirm and modify predictions as they read on	-Predicting what might happen from details stated and implied - Support predictions by using relevant evidence from the text -Confirm and modify predictions in light of new information
Explaining	-Discussing the features of a wide range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction and reference books -Identifying how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning in both fiction and non-fiction texts	-Discussing words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination -Identifying how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning -Recognise authorial choices and the purpose of these	Explaining -Provide increasingly reasoned justifications for their views -Recommend books for peers in detail -Give reasons for authorial choices -Begin the challenge points of view -Begin to distinguish between fact and opinion	-Provide increasingly reasoned justification for their views -Recommend books for peers in detail -Give reasons for authorial choices -Begin to challenge points of view

	-Recognise authorial choices and the purpose of these		-Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning -Discuss and evaluate how an author's use language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader -Explain and discuss their understanding of what they have read, including through formal presentations and debates	-Begin to distinguish between fact and opinion -Identifying how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning -Discuss and evaluate how an author's use of language, including figurative language, considering the impact on the reader -Explain and discuss their understanding of what they have read, including through formal presentations and debates -Distinguish between fact, opinion and bias explaining how they know this
Retrieval	-Use contents page and sub-headings to locate information	-Confidently skim and scan texts to record details	-Confidently skim and scan and also use the skill of reading before and after to retrieve information	-Children confidently skim and scan, and use the skill of reading before and after, to retrieve information *They use evidence from

	-Learn the skill of 'skim and scan' to retrieve details -Begin to use questions from the text -Retrieve and record information from a fiction text -Retrieve information from a non-fiction text	-Using relevant quotes to support their answers to questions -Retrieve and record information from a fiction or non-fiction text	-Use evidence from across larger sections of text -Read a broader range of texts including myths, legends, stories from other cultures, modern fiction and archaic texts -Retrieve, record and present information from non-fiction texts -Ask their own questions and follow a line of enquiry	across whole chapters and texts -Read a broader range of texts including myths, legends, stories from other cultures, modern fiction and archaic texts -Retrieve, record and present information from a wide variety of non- fiction texts -Ask their own questions and follow a line of enquiry
Sumn	rarise -Identify main ideas drawn from a key paragraph or page and summarising these -Begin to distinguish between the important and less important information in a text -Give a brief verbal summary of a story -Teachers begin to model how to record summary writing	-Use skills developed in year 3 in order to write a brief summary of main points, identifying and using important information -Identifying main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph -Identify themes from a wide range of books -Summarise whole paragraphs, chapters or texts -Highlight key information and record it	-Summarising the main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph, page, chapter or the entire text, identifying key details to support the main ideas -Make connection between information across the text and include this in an answer - Discuss the themes or conventions from a chapter or text	-Summarise information from across a text and link information by analysing and evaluating ideas between sections of text -Summarising the main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph, identifying key details to support the main ideas -Make comparisons across different books -Summarise entire texts. In addition to chapters

-Identifying themes from a wide range of books	in bullet points, diagrams, maps etc.	-Identifying themes across a wide range of	or paragraphs, using a limited amount of words
-Make simple notes from one source of writing		writing	or paragraphs