

# Reading Inference Strategies

Ensure you use the reading strategies each time you read to ensure you connect with the text and get a full understanding

BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE	PREDICT	VISUALISE	INFERENCE
<p>Use what we already know to connect to the text</p> <p>Text to self Text to world Text to text</p>	<p>Predict what will happen Ask questions</p> <p>I wonder... I think... How...? Why...?</p> <p>Read on to find out the answers</p>	<p>Get Visual</p> <p>What image can you see based on what you've read?</p> <p>Is it the same as your partner?</p>	<p>Be a detective</p> <p>What words and phrases in the text help us to work out what is happening?</p> <p>Actions? Descriptions? Dialogue? Vocabulary?</p>
BREAKDOWN	REPAIR	VIP	SUMMARISE
<p>Stop when you have lost understanding</p> <p>Identify what has stopped you understanding</p>	<p>Try your breakdown strategy:</p> <p>Re-read Read on</p> <p>How do the parts connect?</p>	<p>What are the VIP words or phrases</p> <p>Without these you wouldn't understand the text</p> <p>They connect together to build understanding</p>	<p>Can you retell the text in no more than five points?</p> <p>What Headline would you write for the text?</p> <p>Does it include all the important main parts?</p>