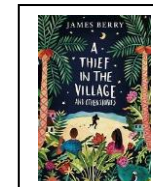


Week 1 Core text reading comprehension tasks: Year 5

A thief in the village and other stories



Day	Pages	Stem	Questions
Monday	Read pages 1 - 3	Predicting. I wonder... I think... The next part will be about... ...because....	What do you think the story will be about? What clues do you have to make you think this? What do you think will happen next? Give your prediction – using evidence from the text
Tuesday	Read pages 4- 7	Asking Questions Who is... Where are... How does he.... What might happen if...?	Write 5 questions of your own. Who, What, When, Where How? True or false?
Wednesday	Read pages 8 - 9	Inferring The word * tells me... The part * suggests... This makes me think that... I think the character is.. I think the setting/mood is... because....	Give two word that tell you how Nenna felt about the pineapple thieves? What do these words tell you? What kind of character is Nenna? What do you learn about each main character's thoughts and feelings from this chapter?
Thursday	Read pages 7-9	Making Connections I know about this because... I have seen this... This reminds me of.....because This character is similar too	Is this similar to any other books you have read? Can you explain how? Is this similar to any films you have watched? Can you explain how? Is this similar to any experiences you have had? Can you explain how?
Friday	Read pages 1-9	Evaluating The word _____works well... I like the way the author uses... This sentence has high impact... It is clever how the author... because....	How does the author's use of language effect the reader? How has the author used figurative language effectively? Which words create the mood of the text? Give two impressions this gives you?