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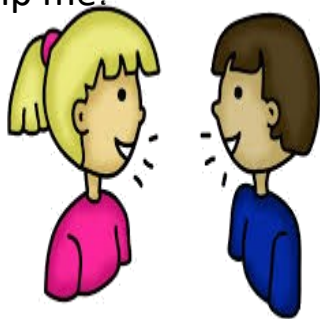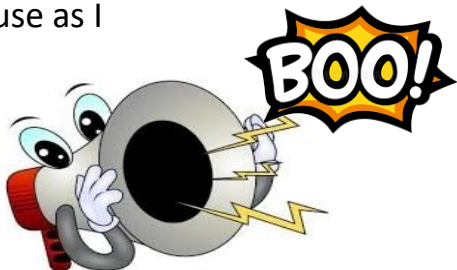
When I am reading I can use all these things to help me:

I can talk through how I feel, what I think and my own ideas about what I am reading.

I use punctuation to help me make sense of what I am reading.

I use punctuation to help me know what expression to use as I read.

BOO!

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I can make links between the book I am reading and other books that I have read.

MAKING CONNECTIONS

TEXT TO TEXT

TEXT TO SELF

THIS REMINDS ME OF THE BOOK I READ YESTERDAY!

TEXT TO WORLD

THIS REMINDS ME OF THE BONE I ATE LAST NIGHT!

Dinosaur Museum

I can make life links e.g if the story is set on a beach...Have I been to a beach?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

I can talk about my favourite kinds of books - fiction, non-fiction, action, thriller, funny...

FANTASY   MYSTERY   ADVENTURE

SCIENCE FICTION   REALISTIC FICTION   HISTORICAL FICTION

NONFICTION Biography   NONFICTION Information   FREE CHOICE

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I can use the pictures to help me.

Phonics and Reading

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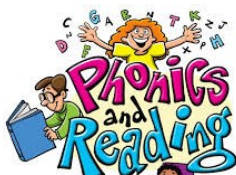
I sound out and use phonics for the words I don't know.

I can look for smaller words inside bigger ones.

but-ter-fly

mASKed

I can break down words into their syllables.

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When I am reading I can use all these things to help me:

I can check that I am right by going back and looking at the words carefully.

When I make a mistake I go back and try again so that I can put it right.

If I do not understand I ask questions to help me.

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When I am reading I can use all these things to help me:

If I don't know a word I know to read on to see if I work out the meaning.

I listen as I read to make sure what I am reading makes sense.

If I do not understand I ask questions to help me.

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When I am reading I can use all these things to help me:

I think about what might happen in a book and can make some predictions.

When I read I use my imagination to make a picture in my mind.

I can talk about the characters in a book and give my thoughts and ideas about them.