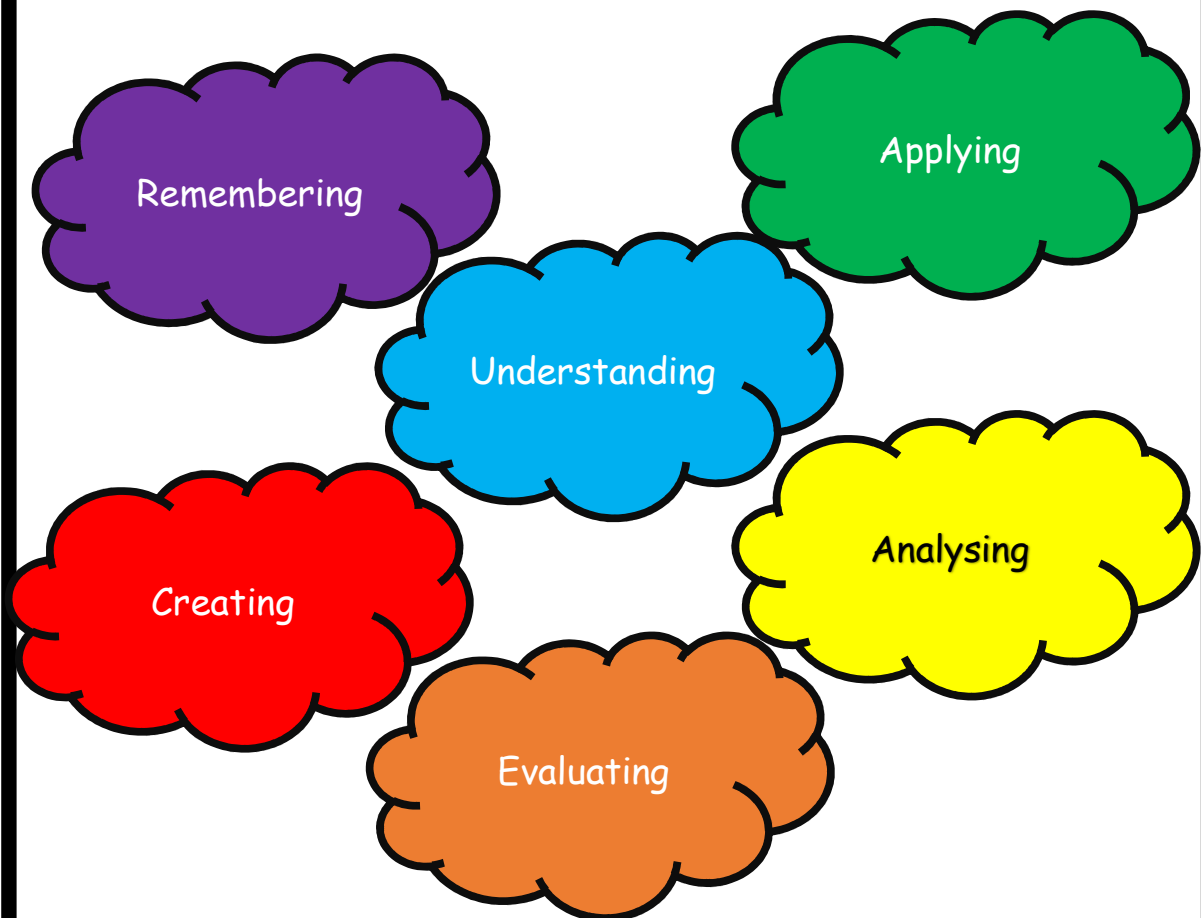


## HOT Reading Questions

Once you have read your chapter or book, answer some of these questions to help you to understand and think about what you have read more clearly.

Try to answer at least one question from each colour.



Who is the main character in the story? List one fact about them.

When and where does the story (or event) take place?

What has happened in the story so far?

What facts have we learned about the main character?

Who spoke to.....?

What happened before.....after?

Who or what were.....?

What is.....?



Re-tell the story so far in your own words.

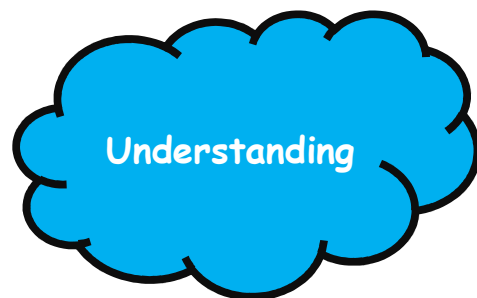
What do you think might happen next?

Can you explain what changes are happening to the character/events?

If you had to draw a character or picture, what would you draw?

What is the main idea of this chapter/section?

How would you describe the main character in the story?



What kind of person do you think the main character is?

What parts in the story could not happen in real life? Why do you think this?

Does this remind you of something that has happened to you? Describe this.

What would you do if .....happened to you?

What would you like to ask your favourite character?

Find an interesting word and write a sentence using this word.



Which part of the story is the most exciting/funniest/saddest? Why?

Did any of the characters change in the story?  
Was this for the best or the worst?

Did the character feel the same at the beginning, middle and end of the story?

Can you say what the main idea of the whole story is?

What does the author want readers to learn from the story?

Is this book better than another you have read? Why do you think that?



What was the author's main message? Do you think this message is an important one?

Do you think the main characters were good or bad? Find words in the text to show why.

What makes this story different from other stories which you have read?

What did you like about the story? Could you explain why?

Is there a villain or baddie in this story? Can you find anything good about them?

Rate the story out of 5. Why have you given it that score?



Can you think of another way you could solve one of the problems in the story?

Make up a new character. What would they be like? Write a few sentences to describe them.

Could the story have a different ending? What would it be?

Can you think of another message in the story?

If you were a character in the story what would you do?

How do you think the author could have improved the story?

