Fiction

Literal

Key Concepts: Characters, setting, problem, plot detail

- What happened in this story?
- Who are the characters?
- Where does it happen?

Inference

Key Concepts: Connects details of story, grasps implicit meaning.

- Is it possible that....?
- What might have happened before/after...?

Critical

Key Concepts: Evaluates story information and meaning.

- Do you have opinions about the story?
- What do you like/not like about the story?

Creative

Key Concepts: Imagination sparked by story

- Has anything like this happened to you?
- Tell a story that comes to mind after reading this.

Non-Ficiton

Literal

Key Concepts: Characters, setting, problem, plot detail

- What is the book about?
- What is the most important info?
- What did you learn?

Inference

Key Concepts: Connects details of story, grasps implicit meaning.

- What details help you to know that ...?
- What did you learn from the pictures/charts?

Critical

Key Concepts: Evaluates story information and meaning.

- Did you like the book?
- What questions do you still have about...?

Creative

Key Concepts: Imagination sparked by story

- What else would you like to learn about this?
- Can you relate this book to your life?