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Vocabulary

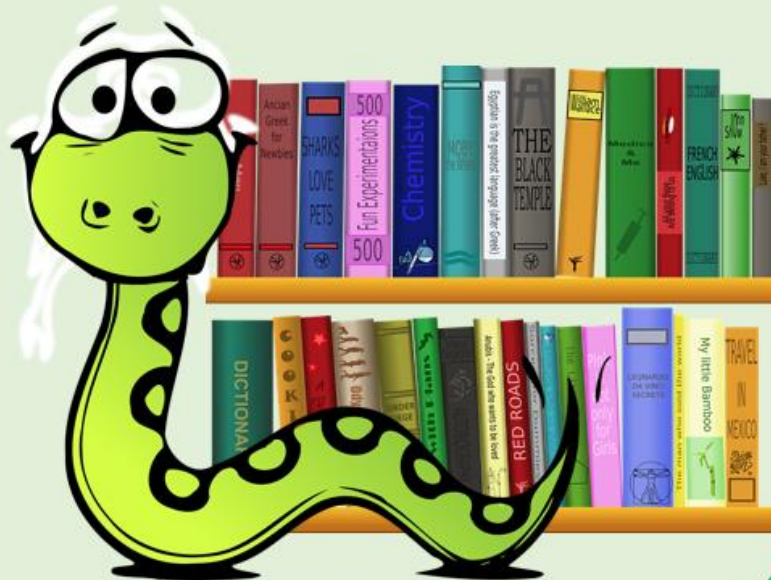
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Predict

Explain

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Sequence or Summarise



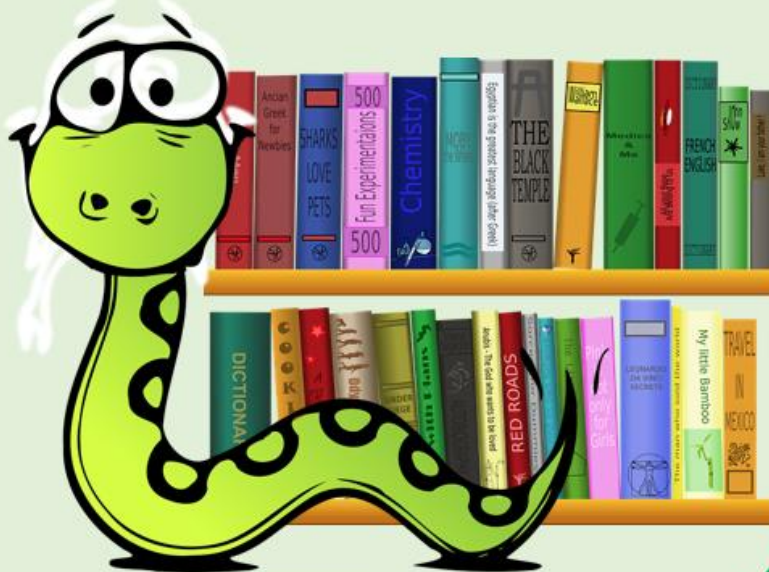
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Vocabulary

Draw upon knowledge of vocabulary in order to understand the text.

Example Questions

- What does the wordmean in this sentence?
- Find and copy a word which means.....
- What does this word or phrase tell you about.....?
- Which word in this section do you think is the most important? Why?
- Which of the words best describes the character/setting/mood etc?
- Can you think of any other words the author could have used to describe this?
- Why do you think.....is repeated in this section?



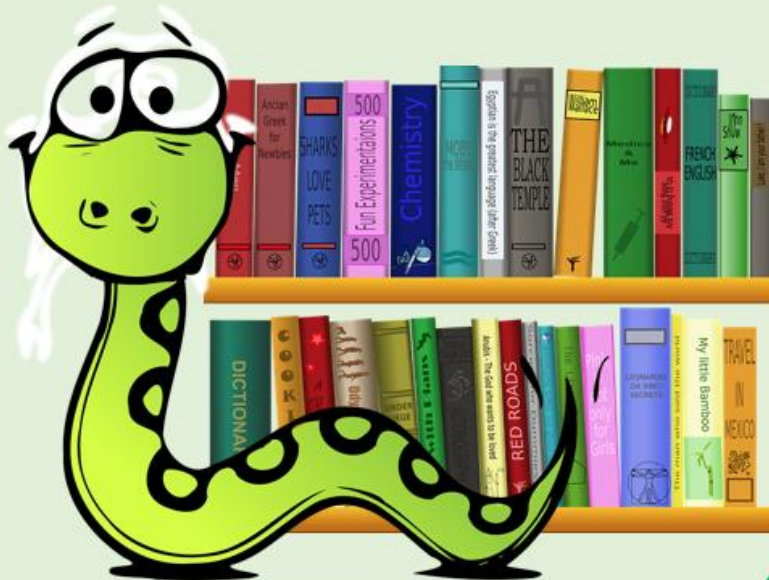
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Infer

Make inferences from the text.

Example Questions

- Why was.....feeling.....?
- Why did.....happen?
- Why did.....say.....?
- Can you explain why.....?
- What do you think the author intended when they said.....?
- How does.....make you feel?



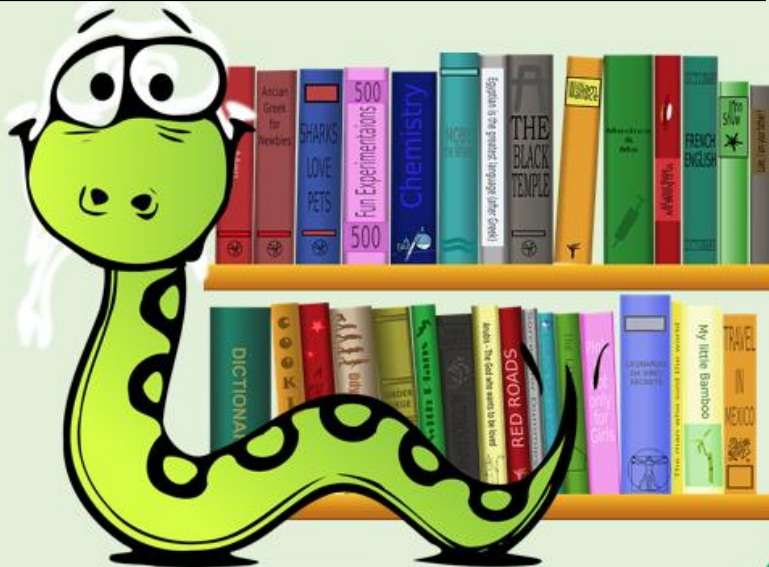
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Predict

Predict what you think will happen based on the information that you have been given.

Example Questions

- Look at the book cover/blurb – what do you think this book will be about?
- What do you think will happen next? What makes you think this?
- How does the choice of character or setting affect what will happen next?
- What is happening? What do you think happened before? What do think will happen after?
- What do you think the last paragraph suggest will happen next?



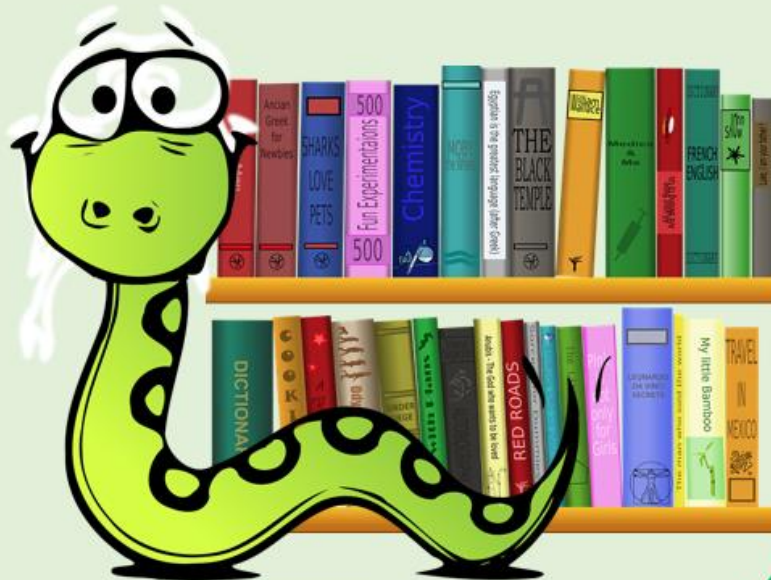
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Explain

Explain your preference, thoughts and opinions about the text.

Example Questions

- **Who is your favourite character? Why?**
- **Why do you think all the main characters are girls/boys in the book?**
- **Would you like to live in this setting? Why/why not?**
- **Is there anything you would like to change about this story?**
- **Do you like this text? What do you like about it?**



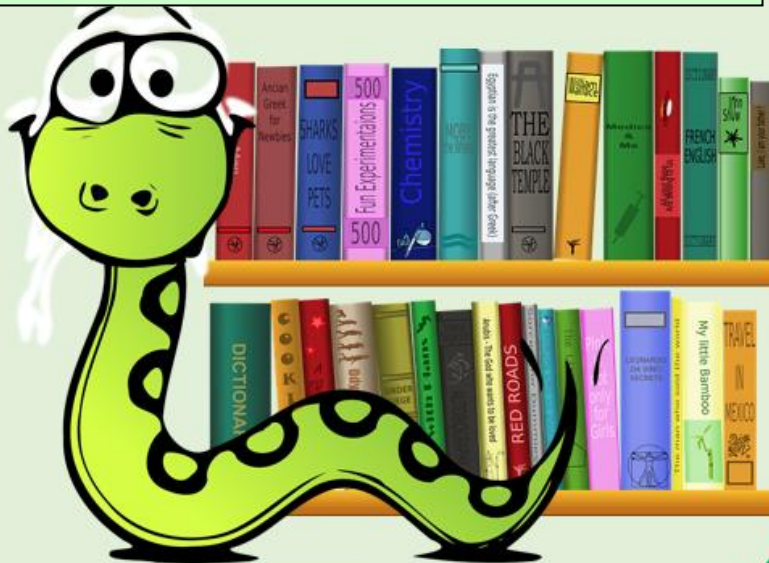
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Retrieve

Identify and explain the key features of fiction and no-fiction texts such as:
characters, events, titled and information

Example Questions

- What kind of text is this?
- Who did.....?
- Where did.....?
- When did.....?
- What happened when.....?
- Why did.....happen?
- How many did.....?
- How many.....?
- What happened to.....?



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Sequence

Sequence the key events in the story.

Example Questions

- Can you number these events 1-5 in the order that they happened?
- What happened after.....?
- What was the first thing that happened in the story?
- Can you summarise in a sentence the opening/middle/end of the story?
- In what order do these chapter headings come in the story?

