

Comprehension-
Word meaning

understanding through intonation, tone,
volume and action
*recognising some different forms of poetry

Comprehension-
Understanding

*using dictionaries to check the meaning of
words that they have read

*checking that the text makes sense to them,
discussing their understanding and explaining
the meaning of words in context

*asking questions to improve their
understanding of a text

*identifying main ideas drawn from more than
one paragraph and summarising these

Comprehension -
Inference

*drawing inferences such as inferring
characters' feelings, thoughts and motives
from their actions, and justifying inferences
with evidence

Comprehension-
Prediction

*predicting what might happen from details
stated and implied

Comprehension-
Authorial Intent

*discussing words and phrases that capture the reader's interest and imagination
*identifying how language, structure, and presentation contribute to meaning

Comprehension -
Non-fiction

*retrieve and record information from non-fiction

Comprehension-
Discussing reading

*participate in discussion about both books that are read to them and those they can read for themselves, taking turns and listening to what others say