

The owl is very knowledgeable.

Remember to read around the words to help you understand what they mean.

Put words into the sentence to ensure they make



The fox is very sly.

You need to find clues, the answer will not just be there for you.

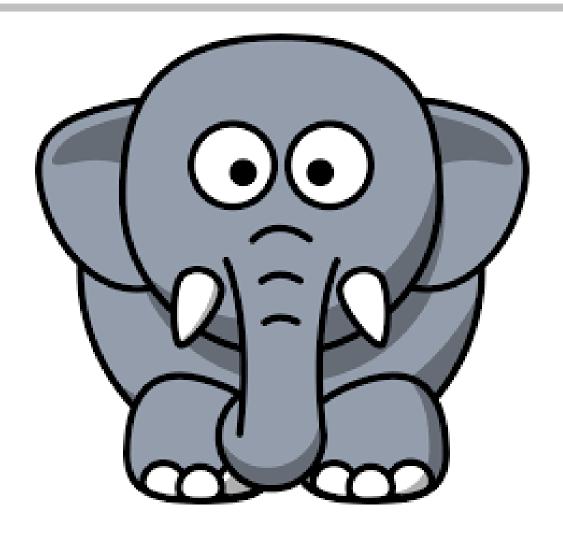
In the questions look for words such as; why,



Retrieving information

The lion hunts for information in the text.

Look for key words so remember to use your skimming and scanning skills.



Sequencing events.

The elephant never forgets.

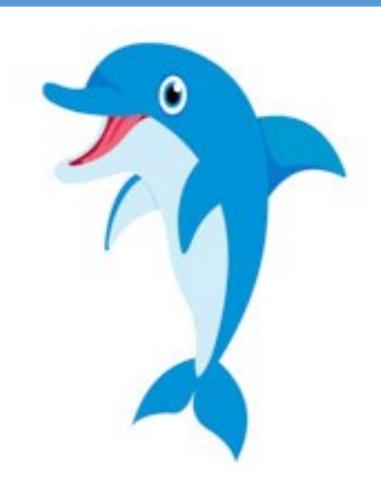
Put things into the order that they happened in the text.



Predicting what will happen

The hawk has fantastic eye sight.

Think carefully about what you have already read and what might come next.



Discussing author's choice and purpose. Making personal responses.

The dolphin is a communicator.

Think about reasons why the author may have chosen certain language and give reasons why you think



Looking at the structure and features of the text.

The beaver makes strong dams.

What are the features of different text types.

Are there clues in what you are reading that tell you the text type?



Making comparisons – spotting similarities and differences.

The meerkat is upright and looking around.

Some texts have similar things (themes, structure, language) look carefully and see if you can find similarities and differences between 2 or more texts.

