Where does the story take place? When did the story take place? What did he/she look like? Where did he/she live? What happened in the story? What makes you think that? How do you feel about....? Can you explain why....? Do you agree with this opinion? Through whose eyes is the story told? Which is your favourite part? Why? Is this a place you could visit? What kinds of people are in the story? Who are the key characters in the book? What is happening at this point in the story? What words give you that impression? Do you think this is true/untrue? Why do you think this? Predict what you think is going to happen next. Why do you think this? Who would you like to meet most in the story? What is your opinion? What evidence do you have to support your view? What do these words mean and why do you think the writer chose them? How has the author used adjectives to make this character funny? Look at the verbs/adjectives/adverbs, what do these words tell us about....? What do you think is thinking? If it were you what would you be thinking? If you were going to interview this character/author, which questions would you ask?