

Comprehension Differentiation with Corrective Feedback (Kindergarten)

| Comprehension Focus | | If the Student | Then |
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| Asking and Answering Literal Questions | Scaffold | Has difficulty asking and answering literal questions | Point to a specific sentence. Give the student the question word to use to create a question about that sentence. Show the student a picture and have them ask or answer a |
| | Enrich | Successfully asks and answers literal questions | question about it. Extend the rigor of the activity by having them ask and answer inferential questions. |
| Asking and Answering Inferential Questions | Scaffold | Has difficulty asking and answering inferential questions | Point out places in the text where an inference can be made. Make sure the student has a literal understanding of the text. |
| | Enrich | Successfully asks and answers inferential questions | • Have the student practice asking and answering analytical questions (ex. cause/effect, compare/contrast, etc.). |
| Retelling | Scaffold | Has difficulty retelling the story | Ask the student to identify the main character. Show the student a picture depicting the main character (setting or main event) and have them identify the main character (setting or main event). After reading each paragraph or page, have the student identify who and what they read about. |
| | Enrich | Successfully retells the story | Ask the student, What do you think is going to happen next? Ask the student, What would happen if? Have the student describe an alternate ending. |
| ldentifying and Analyzing Characters, Setting, and Major Events | Scaffold | Has difficulty identifying and describing characters, setting, or major events | Show a page where a character says/does something and have the student select a trait from a short list of words to describe the character. Provide a short list of character feelings and/or trait words for the student to choose from. Define each word, using a gesture if possible. Show a picture that shows how a character feels and have the student describe how they feel and why. Show a picture that depicts a setting and have the student describe the setting. Show a picture that depicts a major event and have the student describe the event. |
| | Enrich | Successfully identifies and analyzes characters, setting, or major events | Have the student compare and/or contrast two characters and/or settings. Have the student analyze connections between major events. |
| Analyzing Relationships | Scaffold | Has difficulty comparing and/or contrasting | Have the student either compare or contrast. Have the student describe features of what is being compared or contrasted. Tell the student what particular feature you want them to compare or contrast (e.g., size, shape, etc.). |
| | Enrich | Successfully compares and contrasts | • Ask the student to make inferential comparisons (e.g., feelings, personality traits, etc.) |
| Using Text Features | Scaffold | Has difficulty identifying details in the pictures | Point to specific details in the pictures and have the student describe them. |
| | Enrich | Successfully identifies relevant details in the pictures | • Have the student use the pictures to make comparisons or connections to other texts. |

