What do good readers do?

Before reading

- **Activate prior knowledge** → What do I already know about this topic?
- **Predict/make inferences** → I predict this book will be about . . . because . . .
- **Question** → I wonder why . . .

During reading

- **Make connections** → I know what that feels like because . . .
- **Visualise** → I can make pictures in my mind
- **Make inferences** → I think what the author is trying to tell me is . . .
- **Question** → I wonder why . . .
- **Revise and adjust predictions** → I predicted . . . would happen, but now I think . . .

After reading

- **Retell/summarise** → The main idea of the story is . . .
- **Synthesise** → My ideas have changed after reading this . . .
- **Revisit predictions** → At the beginning I predicted that . . .
- **Question** → I'd like to find out why . . .
- **Evaluate the text** → I found this book useful for my report because . . .

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