

Comprehension Questions for Emergent and Early Readers (Nonfiction)

Retell/tell the important information in the book.

***For nonfiction, retelling should include 1) telling the main topic
2) telling one or two facts from each heading/section 3) telling why
this topic/information is important.

How does the ____ (map, chart, etc.) help you on this page?

What did you learn from the ____ (picture, diagram, etc.) on page ____?

Before reading, what did you already know about ____?

What is something new that you learned about ____?

What does this writer want you to know about ____ (the topic)?

Does reading about ____ remind you of anything in your life?

Was the title a good one for this book? Why or why not?

Was this book interesting? What was interesting about this book?

What genre is this book? (Fiction/make-believe or nonfiction/true facts) How do you know?