Information for Parents

Comprehension Strategies

This folder contains information on Comprehension Strategies to assist parents in understanding strategies used at school to enhance children’s comprehension of different text types. They are the same strategies that your child’s teacher uses during reading lessons at school.

The information includes focus questions and ideas to assist with comprehension. These ideas and activities are for optional use at home, they are not homework. As parents, we have become more and more involved in our children’s school lives and assist them in striving to achieve their very best. It is important to remember, however, that sharing experiences with your child and allowing them ample time to play is equally important for their social, emotional, physical and academic development. Reading and doing activities together is enormously beneficial to their learning.

We hope that the information provided is helpful for both you and your child as we work together to ensure each and every child reaches his/her full potential.