

Reading Skills Ladders

Inference

Identify the things you are looking for:

Key concept or question words.

Scan the text to find the part the concept relates to.

Re-read that section of text.

Think about what you know from the text.

Think about what you think because of that part of the text.

Make your inference.

Check your choice makes sense.

Infer



KS1

1d

Make inferences from the text

Identify the things you are looking for:

- Key words
- Key concept
- Question words

Think of possible synonyms the text may use instead.

Skim the text to find the part the concept relates to.

Re-read that section of text.

Think about what you know from the text.

Think about what you think because of that part of the text and (if relevant) your background knowledge.

Make your inference.

Check your choice makes sense.

If needed, justify your inference with evidence from the text.

Infer



KS2

2d

Make inferences from the text/Explain and justify inferences with evidence from the text