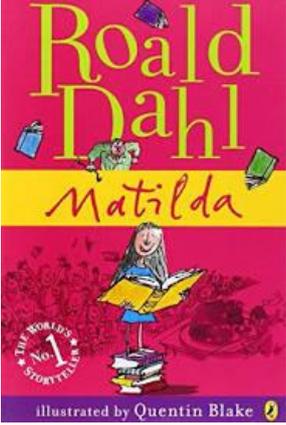


Year 5 Bingo Book questions

<p>Vocabulary Infer Predict Explain Retrieve Summarise</p> 	
Before you start reading:	
PREDICT	
Look at the front cover, can you predict what might happen in the story by using the pictures for clues?	
Now read the blurb, have your predictions changed?	
Now start reading 'The Reader Of Books'	
VOCABULARY Why do you think Dahl uses the word blister to describe some children? What does he mean by this?	
INFER How can you tell the Wormwoods don't care for Matilda?	
RETRIEVE What are the names of Matilda's parents?	
Mr Wormwood, The Great Car Dealer	
VOCABULARY What is a car dealer?	
INFER How much money do you think the Wormwoods have? What makes you think this?	
RETRIEVE What does Mr Wormwood use sawdust for?	
The Hat and the Superglue	
VOCABULARY What does 'spluttered' mean?	

EXPLAIN

Do you feel sorry for Mr Wormwood in this chapter? Why?

INFER

Why do you think Mr Wormwood stayed very silent?

The Ghost

VOCABULARY

What does subtle mean?

RETRIEVE

How could the family tell Mr Wormwood was in a bad mood?

EXPLAIN

Do you feel sorry for Mr Wormwood in the chapter? Why/why not?

Arithmetic

VOCABULARY

What does it mean if you put up with something?

INFER

Why does Matilda's Dad assume she's cheating?

RETRIEVE

How old is Matilda now?

The Platinum-Blond Man

VOCABULARY

What does 'smothered' mean?

EXPLAIN

How does the author build tension at the start of this chapter?

Miss Honey

VOCABULARY

What does 'reluctantly' mean?

INFER

Why does Miss Honey lie to Lavender?

RETRIEVE

Why did Matilda start school late?

The Trunchball

VOCABULARY

What is an interval?

INFER

Why was it strange that Miss Trunchball got her job?

The Parents

EXPLAIN

How do you think Miss Honey felt during this chapter? Why?

RETRIEVE

What does Miss Honey get for Matilda?

Throwing the Hammer

VOCABULARY

What does enthralled mean?

INFER

Why don't parents complain about the Trunchball?

Bruce Bogtrotter and the Cake

VOCABULARY

What is a riding crop?

RETRIEVE

How old is Bruce?

Lavender

VOCABULARY

What does it mean to mull something over?

INFER

Why doesn't Lavender tell anyone about the newt?

The Weekly Test

EXPLAIN

Do you think Miss Trunchball sounds like a good teacher? Why?

RETRIEVE

Who didn't wash their hands?

The First Miracle

VOCABULARY

What is blancmange?

INFER

Why did Miss Trunchball yell and leap?

The Second Miracle

VOCABULARY

What does astounding mean?

EXPLAIN

Would you believe Matilda? Why?

Miss Honey's Cottage

VOCABULARY

What does it mean to become animated?

RETRIEVE

Where does Miss Honey live?

Miss Honey's Story

VOCABULARY

What is an exception?

INFER

Why do you think Miss Honey's hands tremble?

The Practice

VOCABULARY

What does vital mean?

The Third Miracle

EXPLAIN

What do you think Matilda wrote? Why?

A New Home

EXPLAIN

How did the last chapter make you feel?

SUMMARISE

Summarise the whole story in less than 100 words