

Reading Activities

Choose one of these activities to use alongside your regular reading (use Get Epic or your own books).

In a nutshell	Dear diary	Sam-I-Am	Word Detective
Write a ten-word summary of the pages (or book!) you have just read. Incredible Illustration Choose the favourite page you've read today and create an illustration for it.	Write a diary entry - as the main character using the first person — focusing on a key event. Perfect Prediction If you're starting a new book, before you begin write three predictions you can make from the front cover.	How are you similar to the character in the book? How are you different? Create a table. Front Cover When you finish the book, create a new front cover. Remember - don't give the story away!	Find 10 words that you are unsure of and, using the sentence / context, work out the meaning. Use a dictionary to check. Act it out Act out a scene from the book - can someone guess what's happening?
I say Draw a speech bubble - what was a character thinking during the events of the page?	Vocabulary Ninja Find 5 words or phrases which are fantastic choices by the author. Use them in your own sentence.	Question Time Write down 10 questions you'd want to ask the characters from the book. Challenge: answer as that character.	Decisions, decisions Choose a decision a character has made and write reasons 'for' and 'against'.
Hear, hear	Time to	Who dunnit	Valiant values
Write about the favourite part of your book, explaining why it's great, then read this to someone.	Create a timeline for your book with 5 main events on.	Find out and record five fascinating facts about the author.	How did a character show our school values?