Phase 1 VIPERS - Question Stems

Content domain KS1	Example Questions
VOCABULARY	What does the word mean? Find and copy the word that means What do you think a is? Find and copy two words that also mean '' that are used in this extract. What does this word tell you about?
INFER	How do you know? What does this word/ phrase tell you about? Why did happen? Why did say? How does make you feel?
PREDICT	Look at the book cover/blurb – what do you think this book will be about? What do you think will happen next? What makes you think this?
EXPLAIN	Who is your favourite character? Why? Do you like this text? What do you like about it?
RETRIEVE	How many? Who didbelong to? Give two things that Where were at the beginning of the story? What kind of text is this? Where did? When did? What happened when? Why did happen? How did? What happened to?
	Numbers the sentence below 1-4 to show the order they happened in the story. What happened after? What was the first thing that happened in the story?