

Cue Questions

Questions for meaning cues

Did that make sense?

You said _____. What does that mean?

Have you heard a word like that before?

What would make sense here?

What is happening in the story? Does this word make sense in the story?

Questions for syntax cues

Did that sound right?

Can you say it that way?

Would it be correct to say _____ ?

Can you think of a better word that fits?

What word would sound right?

Questions for visual cues

Did that look right?

Do you know a word that looks like that?

What do you notice about that word?

Do you notice something familiar about that word?

Do you see a part of the word you know?

Questions for self-correction

Were you right?

Why did you stop?

What did you notice?

What else could you try?

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