



The Magnificent 7



Good readers VISUALISE. This means that they:

- Paint pictures in their minds as they read
- Think about the senses (sight, hearing, touch, taste, smell) when reading to help them do this



Good readers CONNECT. This means that they:

- Think about their own experiences when reading and link these to what they read
- Compare a text to others that they have read



Good readers QUESTION & PREDICT. This means that they:

- Ask themselves questions as they read — who, what, where, why, when, how, what if, how could?
- Think about what will happen next and can explain why they think this will happen



Good readers MONITOR. This means that they:

- Check whether the text makes sense to them
- Know what to do when they can't read a word



Good readers INFER. This means that they:

- Use clues from the text to understand what the author means
- Back up their thinking with evidence from the text



Good readers SUMMARISE. This means that they:

- Can point out a moral in a story
- Are able to give an overview of something that they have read
- Retrieve important information from a text



Good readers **EVALUATE**. This means that they:

- Talk about what they have read, and share whether they liked it and why
- Discuss the authors use of language and features of a text