

## **Within the Text**

Did you find any tricky words in your story? How did you solve the words?

If your child is reading aloud to you and they make an error and keep moving on say, "Let's go back to that word and try to solve it."

Encourage them to see ask themselves, "Does it look right, sound right, and make sense?"

If reading informational books, are they reading all of the text features? Help them notice the text features (labels, bold words, glossary, text boxes, etc).

Are they scooping words into 3-4 word phrases?

Are they reading with expression?

Summarize the beginning, middle, and end of the story or chapter.

## **Beyond the Text**

What do you predict will happen next? What makes you think that?

Can you relate to the problem the character is having in the story?

What problem is the character experiencing? How do you think the character will react to the problem?

What lesson did the character learn in the story?

What lesson does the author want you to learn?

