EYFS/Early Readers Question Prompts

Before reading the book:

Encourage the child to handle the book and hold it the correct way around.

Can you find the front cover?

What can you see on the front cover?

What might this book be about?

Can you find/point to the title?

What might happen in the story?

During the reading of the book:

Encourage the child to talk about the pictures and what is happening in the story. They may also like to turn the pages, join in with repeated words and phrases, and listen to/identify any words that rhyme.

What is happening on this page?

What might happen next?

What does this word mean?

Do you like ...?

What might happen at the end of the story?

Can you turn to the next page?

After reading the book:

Encourage the child to talk about what happened in the book.

What happened in the story?

What happened to this character?

What did you find out?

Did you like this book? Why?

What was your favourite part?

Who was your favourite character?