A Primary Reader’s Comprehension Q & A Template
Story Elements’ Questions & Answers
What was the story MOSTLY about?

**ANSWER**

~ Include several Story Elements ~

. Character ~ Who

. Setting ~ Where & When

. Cause/Effect or Problem/Solution ~ Did What & Why or How

The story is mostly about ......................
How did the story begin?
What happened in the middle of the story?
How did the story end?

**ANSWER**

~ Re-tell the story in the order things happened ~

- First, ........
- Next, ........
- Finally, ............
Where in the story did you find the answer?  
Can you prove your answer is correct?

**ANSWER**

~ Locate where you see the answer in the story ~

I know this happened in the story because on page......,
the words say/the picture shows..................
What do you think will happen next in the story?

Why do you think that will happen?

**ANSWER**

~ Think about what has happened in the story ~

I think.................................................will happen next in the story because.............................
Has anything like what happened in the story ever happened to you or anyone you know?

**ANSWER**

~ Think about things in the story that you already know & why you know them ~

One time..........................when.........................
How are the characters and/or the events in the story similar to each other?
How are they different from each other?

**ANSWER**

~ Think about how things and/or characters are alike & different~

................................. are the same because.................................

.................................are different because.................................
Informational Text’s Questions & Answers
What is the information in this book telling you?
Did you find answers to the questions you had about this topic?

**ANSWER**

~ Think about why you chose to read this book ~

I want to learn more about........................................

The facts are telling me........................................
What Images helped you learn about the topic you are exploring?
Did you read the captions & labels?
Did you use the Glossary to help you understand special vocabulary words?

**ANSWER**

~Helpful Images: photos, drawings, diagrams, charts, tables, graphs~

~Helpful specific Info Locators: Table of Contents, Index, Glossary~
Why do you think the author wrote this story?
Were you entertained, informed, taught how to do something?

**ANSWER**

~ Think about how you felt after you read the story ~

- Now, I feel..........................
- Now, I know why....................
- Now, I know how to.....................................