

## Our Daily Reciprocal Reading Strategy

**Predict** - Before starting the reading, students are asked to predict what they think will happen in the next chapter/extract of the text. They may be prompted with the title name, images or quotations.

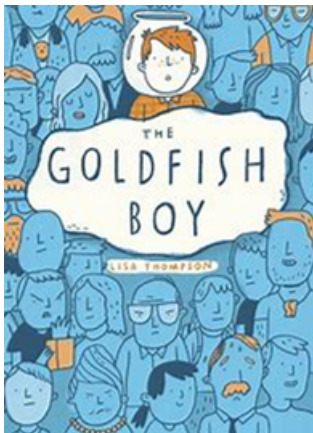
**Clarify** - In order to make sure students get the most out of their reading, words that they may not have encountered before are clarified allowing for better understanding of language and meaning.

**Question** - Throughout their reading session, students are questioned on understanding and meaning of the extracts read. This presents students with the chance to create their own questions and develop their own thinking.

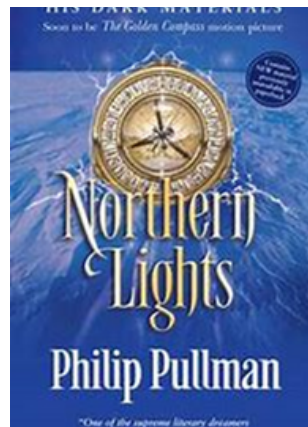
**Summarise** - Finally, students are asked to summarise information they have read, whether this be in a short paragraph, bullet points or sometimes images. This aids in consolidating learning and allowing students time to recall and think chronologically.

### Key Stage 3 Term 1

#### Year 7

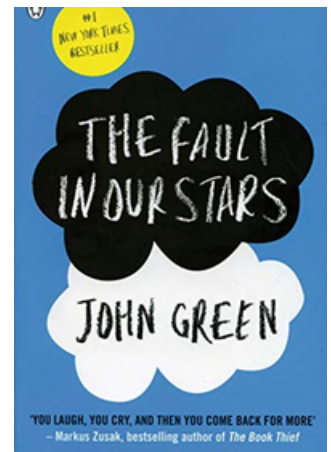


Twelve-year-old Matthew is trapped in his bedroom by crippling OCD, spending most of his time staring out of his window as the inhabitants of Chestnut Close go about their business. Until the day he is the last person to see his next door neighbour's toddler, Teddy, before he goes missing. Matthew must turn detective and unravel the mystery of Teddy's disappearance - with the help of a brilliant cast of supporting characters. Page-turning, heartbreaking, but ultimately life-affirming. It is a book that will make you laugh and cry.



When Lyra's friend Roger disappears, she and her daemon, Pantalaimon, determine to find him. The ensuing quest leads them to the bleak splendour of the North, where armoured bears rule the ice and witch-queens fly through the frozen skies - and where a team of scientists is conducting experiments too horrible to be spoken about.

#### Year 9



The Fault In Our Stars is a fabulous book about a young teenage girl, Hazel who has been diagnosed with lung cancer and attends a cancer support group, where she gets to meet one of the cancer survivors, Augustus.

#### Year 8