

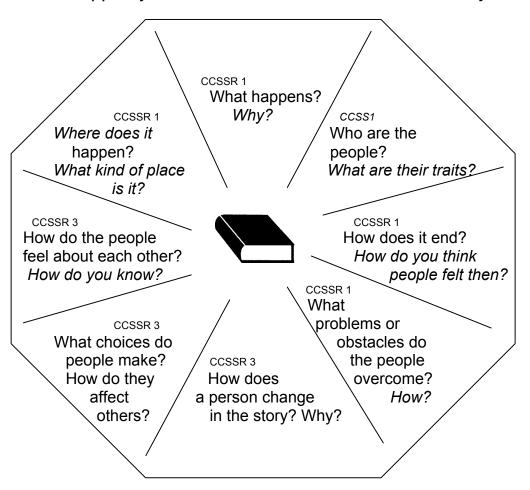
Common Questions for Thoughtful Fiction Readers

Common Core Anchor Standards: KEY IDEAS AND DETAILS

- 1. Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text.
- 2. Determine central ideas or themes of a text and analyze their development; summarize the key supporting details and ideas.
- 3. Analyze how and why individuals, events, and ideas develop and interact over the course of a text.

Questions for Independent Reading.

Support your answers with evidence from the story.



What lesson can people learn from this story? (CCSSR2)

How did the writer help you understand that? (CCSSR5, 6--craft and structure) RE-visit the story and look for ways the author made the theme clear.