

Questions for interactive read alouds

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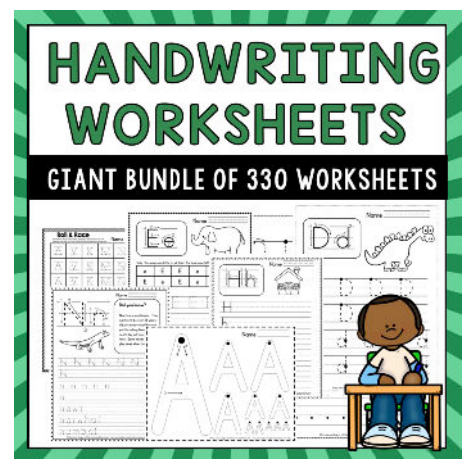
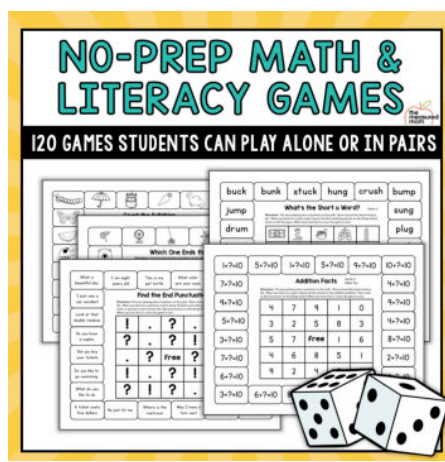
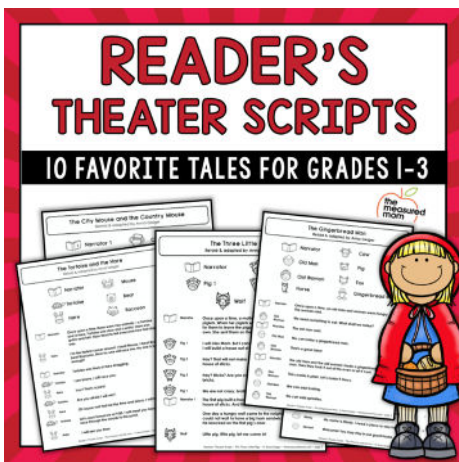
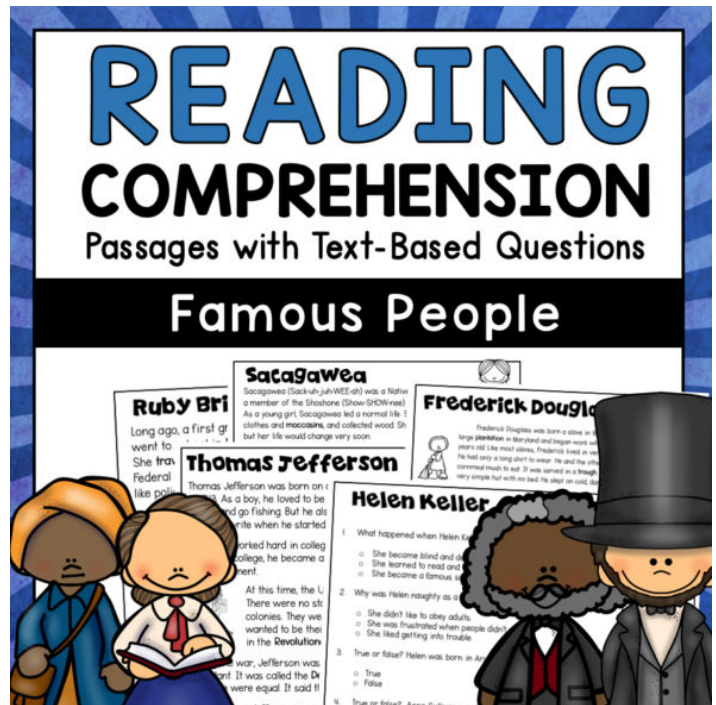
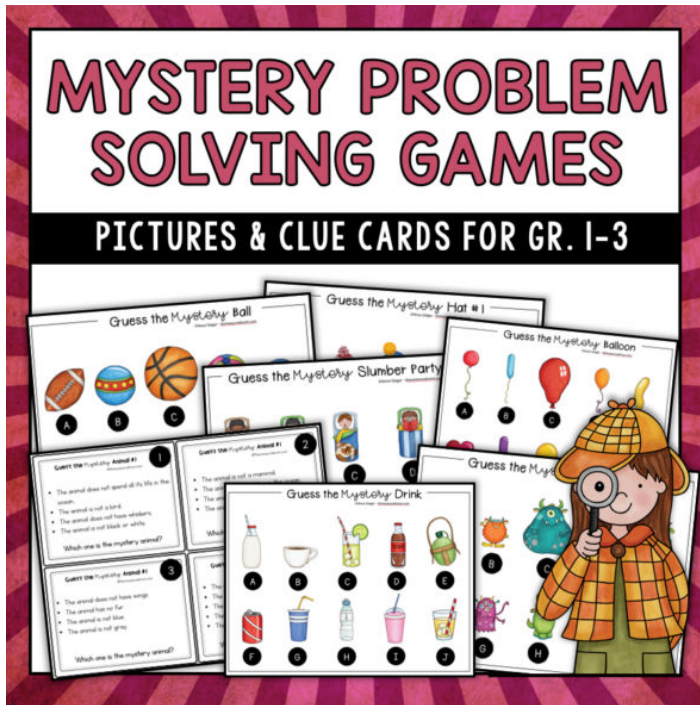


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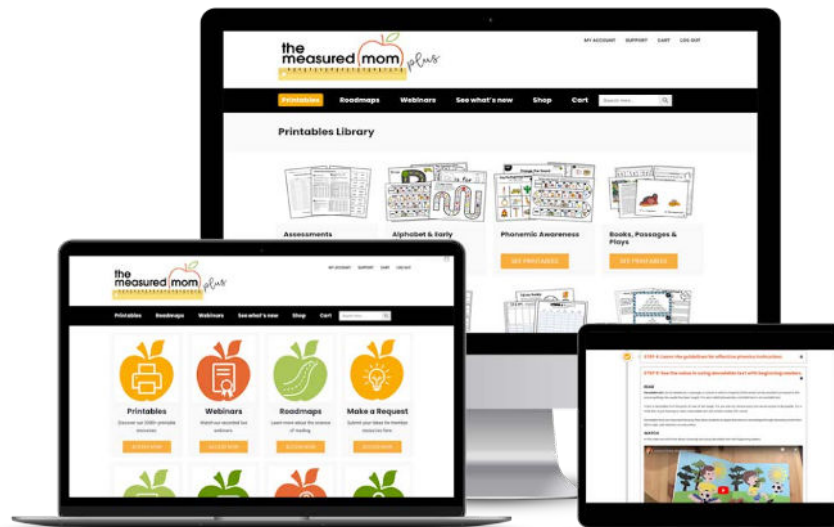
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Questions for Interactive Read-Alouds

Use this list as a starting point when you prepare your interactive read alouds.

- Today I'll be reading _____, by _____. What genre do you think this book is? Why do you think so?
- What does the title tell you about the book? What do you think it will be about?
- What challenges do you think the characters might face? What clues helped you make that prediction?
- How is the setting important to this story?
- What do you think will happen next? What clues make you think so?
- Why do you think the character said that?
- Who is going to be the hero in this situation? How can you tell?
- Who is the key character in this book?
- Why is the minor character _____ important to the story?
- What do the character's actions tell you about him or her?
- How does the author show you how the character is feeling?
- Could the characters in the story exist in real life? Why do you think so?
- Who is telling the story? What clues helped you figure this out?
- Does this remind you of another story you know?
- What does the word _____ mean? Why do you think so?
- Was there a word on this page that you don't understand? What might it mean?
- What do you think the author is trying to tell you on this page?
- What was the turning point of the story?
- Was this story realistic? Why or why not?
- What is your opinion of _____?
- If _____ happened, what might the ending have been?
- How would you have handled _____?
- If you could ask _____ a question, what would it be?
- What is the theme of this story?
- Can you think of another story with a similar theme?
- Why do you think the author wrote this story?
- What is the most important thing the author wants you to think/remember?
- What clues did the author use to help you predict the ending?