

Reading Comprehension - Task Cards

1. Find the main idea/ key sentence in the paragraph.	2. Find names – what do they relate to?
3. Find numbers – what do they relate to?	4. Find connectors of contrast. Explain the contrast.
5. Find connectors of examples / addition. Explain.	6. Find connectors of cause & effect. Explain.
7. Find words that indicate fact / opinion / the writer's opinion. Explain.	8. Find words that indicate sequence of events. Explain.
9. Identify special punctuation, such as dashes, quotes and exclamation marks. What can we learn from them?	10. Read the first line of each paragraph and predict what it may be about.

11. Find 3 nouns. How do you know they are nouns?	12. Find 3 adjectives. How do you know they are adjectives?
13. Find 3 adverbs. How do you know they are adverbs?	14. Find 3 verbs. What tenses are they? Active / passive?