

Detective Skills: The Inference Word Mat

Learning objective: To identify and use key vocabulary for making inferences when reading.

Key Vocabulary

Use this mat to help you become a reading detective! Inference is when you use clues in the text and what you already know to understand what the author is thinking. Grouped by category to help you spot the clues.

Pip the caterpillar...	Max the monkey i...	If a story says, 'T... Is it summer or fall?)
Why is it importa...		