

## K-2 Common Literacy Vocabulary

Title	The name given to something (such as a book, poem, or passage).
Illustration	A picture or drawing in a book.
Character	A person or animal who appears in a book.
Setting	Where and when the story takes place.
Who	A person or an animal in a story.
When	What time did the story happen.
Where	At what place does the story happen.
How	What was the way the story happen.
Why	What was the reason.
Retell	To tell a story again in your own words
Question	To ask about something I don't know.
Wonder	To have interest in something, to be curious about something.
Prediction	Talking about what might happen next.
Compare	To find how 2 or more things are the same.
Contrast	To find how 2 or more things are different.
Summarize	To tell the story again using your own words.
Details	Information about the story, characters, setting, etc.
Problem	A question, puzzle, or difficult situation that needs to be solved.

Solution	The answer to a problem or difficult situation.
Text Features	Anything that helps the reader.
Sequence	The order in which things happen, like first, then, last.
Plot	The main idea or problem of a story.