Making Predictions

A good reader makes predictions as they read.

A prediction is an educated guess about what may happen in the story based on pictures or text.

Before Reading

Make predictions using the title and illustrations in the book.

"Based on the title and pictures, I think…"

During Reading

Pause to think about what you think will happen next in the story.

"I think _____ because…"

After Reading

Was your prediction correct?

"Yes!"

"No, but this is what happened…"