



Improving Your Reading Skills with...

# Predicting Pip



# What Does Predicting Pip Do?

Predictive Pip predicts what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.

This means that she is there to help you to see into the future.

She will try to help you to work out what might happen next based on what you have already read and what you know about that type of text.





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# What Might Predicting Pip Ask?

**Predicting Pip might ask questions like these:**

- What do you think will happen next?
- What do you think the character will say in reply to that?
- What do you think that this book will be about?
- How do you think the story will end?
- Do you think that this story will end in the same way as another story you know?
- Draw what you think might happen next.

# Let's Explore **Predicting Pip** Questions Together

Read these pages from *Starry-Eyed Stan* and answer the questions as a class.

Click on the image to read the text.



Read the rest of the *Starry-Eyed Stan* story [here](#).

# Let's Explore Predicting Pip Questions Together

Read the extract from *Starry-Eyed Stan* and answer the questions as a class.

What do you think Lancelot is going to say?

Which of these are the eels most likely to do next? Tick **one**.

- stand up to Lancelot
- run away from Lancelot
- sing with Starry-Eyed Stan
- play together in front of the stage

How do you think the story will end?

# Summing Up Predicting Pip

Prove your understanding of what Predicting Pip does by answering the following questions:

- What does Predicting Pip help you to do?
- What sort of question might Predicting Pip ask?
- What is the trickiest thing about Predicting Pip questions?

