

Reading Comprehension Basics

Reading Comprehension · Practice Test · 18 Questions

1. Which part of a book lists the chapter titles and page numbers?

- A) The index
- B) The table of contents
- C) The glossary
- D) The cover

2. What is the person who writes a book called?

- A) The illustrator
- B) The reader
- C) The author
- D) The printer

3. Where do you usually find the title of a book?

- A) On the spine or front cover
- B) Only on the last page
- C) Inside the glossary
- D) In the table of contents

4. What is the main purpose of an index in a non-fiction book?

- A) To list all the characters
- B) To explain difficult words
- C) To list topics alphabetically with page numbers
- D) To tell the story

5. What does an illustrator do?

- A) Writes the sentences
- B) Draws the pictures
- C) Prints the books
- D) Sells the books

6. Where would you look to find the definition of a difficult word in a book?

- A) The spine
- B) The cover
- C) The glossary
- D) The page number

7. What is the 'spine' of a book?

- A) The edge that holds the pages together
- B) The cover page
- C) The back page
- D) The title page

8. What is the front part of a book that protects the pages called?

- A) The jacket or cover
- B) The spine
- C) The index
- D) The appendix

9. In a story, what is the 'setting'?

- A) The person who is talking
- B) The time and place where the story happens
- C) The problem to solve
- D) The lesson learned

10. What do we call the list at the end of a book that defines new words?

- A) Table of contents
- B) Index
- C) Glossary
- D) Title page

11. What is the main character of a story?

- A) The person the story is mostly about
- B) The person who prints the book
- C) The person who sells the book
- D) The page number

12. What is the title page of a book?

- A) The back cover
- B) The page that shows the title and author
- C) The page with the index
- D) The page with the glossary

13. Which part of a book shows the page number of each chapter?

- A) The spine
- B) The glossary
- C) The table of contents
- D) The cover

14. What is a 'fiction' book?

- A) A book that tells a made-up story
- B) A book about real history
- C) A book about science
- D) A book with only facts

15. What is a 'non-fiction' book?

- A) A book about dragons
- B) A book about real facts
- C) A book with no words
- D) A book of poems

16. What does an author do first when making a book?

- A) Draws the cover
- B) Writes the words
- C) Prints the paper
- D) Binds the spine

17. What do we call the words printed at the bottom of an illustration?

- A) A caption
- B) An index
- C) A spine
- D) A title

18. Which of these is found on the back cover of many books?

- A) A summary of the story
- B) The table of contents
- C) The index
- D) The glossary