

# Reading Response Sentence Leads

1. This (character, place, event) reminds me of ..... because .....
2. I like/dislike this part of the book because .....
3. This situation reminds me of something that happened in my own life. (Tell the story and talk about the connection.)
4. The character I (like best, admire, dislike the most) is ..... because .....
5. The setting of this story is important because .....
6. This book makes me think about (an important social issue, a problem, etc.)
7. A question that I have about this book is ..... because .....
8. When I read this book I felt .....
9. If I were this character, I would .....
10. (Character) reminds me of (myself, a friend, a family member) because .....
11. If I could talk to one of the book's characters I would (ask or say) .....
12. I predict that ..... because .....
13. I didn't understand the part of the book when .....
14. This book reminds me of another book I've read. (Explain how.)
15. The most exciting part of the book was .....
16. The big ideas in this book were .....
17. My favorite part of the book was ..... (Explain why.)
18. I think the author wrote this book because .....
19. The author got me interested when .....
20. I learned .....
21. This book makes me want to (action, further reading). (Explain why.)
22. After reading the first (paragraph, page, chapter) of this book, I felt .....
23. If I could be any character in this book, I would be ..... because .....
24. I'd like to read another book by this author because .....
25. My feelings about (the book, characters) changed when .....
26. I thought this book was (realistic, unrealistic) because .....
27. If I were the author, I would have changed the part of the story when .....
28. To summarize the text, I would say .....

**Do not choose the same sentence lead each day.**