

Friday 26th March 2021

L.O: To find evidence in the text to answer questions.



Benchmarking!

Can you move up a level?



The text this week is
'How a Parachute Works.'

Scan over the text.

What type of text do you think it will be?



Read the text out loud.



Without looking back, can you retell
the text?



Inferential

When would a parachutist have to use his reserve parachute?

I
do

Applied knowledge

Explain what is meant by 'the force of gravity'.

We
do

1. What does a parachutist have to do before entering the aircraft?
2. . How does the parachutist know when to jump?
3. Give a reason why the pilot gives the signal for the parachutist to jump.
4. Why is it important for the parachutist to be able to steer the parachute?
5. Parachutes are used for sport, but they are also used for other reasons. Give another reason.
6. Replace the noun 'descent' in this sentence: At the right time during the descent, the parachutist pulls a rip-cord on his backpack.

1. What does a parachutist have to do before entering the aircraft? (Check his main parachute and his reserve chute to make sure they will open properly.)
2. . How does the parachutist know when to jump?(The pilot gives him a signal.)
3. Give a reason why the pilot gives the signal for the parachutist to jump. (He knows when and where it is safe for the parachutist to jump. / He knows when the aircraft is high enough.)
4. Why is it important for the parachutist to be able to steer the parachute? (so that he can control where he will land)
5. Parachutes are used for sport, but they are also used for other reasons. Give another reason. (to slow a space shuttle as it lands / to drop food or building supplies in disaster areas)
6. Replace the noun 'descent' in this sentence: At the right time during the descent, the parachutist pulls a rip-cord on his backpack.(fall / way down)

