

# ACTIVITY PACK READING



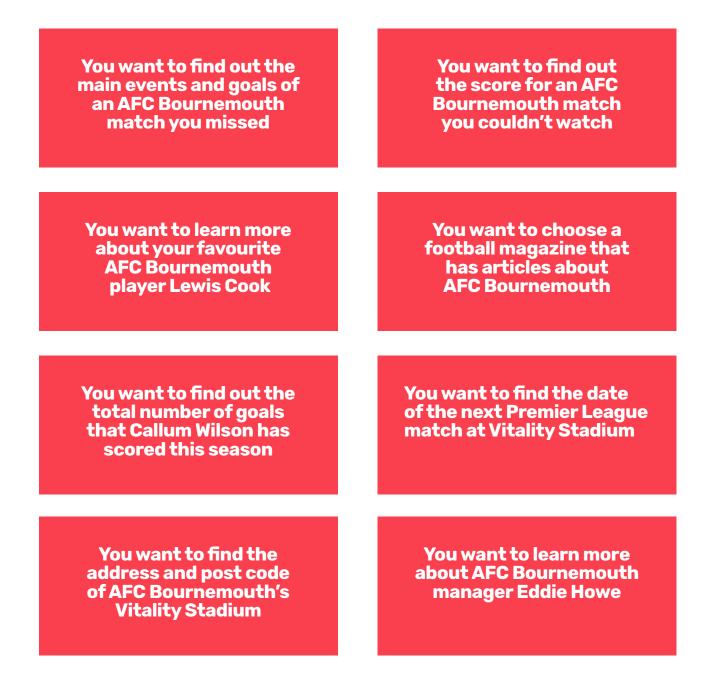




## **SKIM AND SCAN GAME**

#### Identify the four skim techniques and the four scan techniques

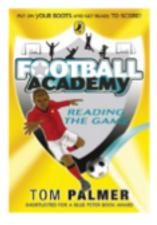
**Skim** When you want to read something quickly to get a general idea **Scan** When you want to read something quickly to get specific information



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## **BLURB QUIZ**



#### Football Academy – Reading the Game

Tom Palmer (Penguin Random House)

"Ben is at his happiest playing for United, and he's getting top marks from the coach. But every day at school is a trial for Ben, as he struggles to hide a huge secret from his teachers and classmates. Then Ben's secret starts to affect his game. Can he swallow his pride and ask for help before he's put on the bench – for good?"



#### The Unlikely Adventures of Mabel Jones

Will Mabbitt (Penguin Random House)

"Dear Mum,

Hope you'll get this message in a bottle. It's just a quick note to let you know not to worry about me not being in my bedroom this morning. I've been kidnapped by pirates, who plan to make me walk the Greasy Pole of Certain Death.

Anyway, hope this finds you well.

Love and kisses,

Mabel Jones.

P.S. Please don't forget to feed Hamish.

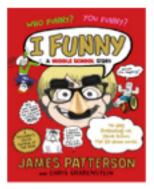
P.P.S, Hamish is the secret pet slug I keep in the shoebox under my bed. He likes to eat Dad's pork pies.

P.P.P.S. He doesn't eat that much, so usually I put the pork pies back in the fridge after he's had a bit so Dad can still have them in his packed lunch."





## **BLURB QUIZ**



#### A Middle School Story: I Funny

James Patterson (Penguin Random House)

"Hi, I'm Jamie Grimm – And I want to make you laugh! Do zombies eat doughnuts with their fingers? What do you get when you cross a parrot with a shark? What do mallards wear at a wedding? To find out the punchlines to these jokes and TONS of others, read on!

You'll hear the story of my insanely un-funny stepfamily, my mostly funny friends, an amazing person called Cool Girl, and the school bully, who happens to live in the same house as me – plus a secret I'm not exactly ready to tell you yet.

But I WILL tell you that I'm on an unforgettable mission to win the Planet's Funniest Kid Comic Contest and I want you there with me every step of the way!

So sit back, relax, and get ready to how!... till there are tears in your eyes... till you shiver and shake... till your sides start to split... and then you BUST A GUT!"



#### Doctor Noel Zone Presents Danger is Everywhere

David O'Doherty (Penguin Random House)

"Hello, Reader. My name is Doctor Noel Zone and I am a dangerologist. I used to work as a swimming-pool lifeguard. Until I realised what actually makes swimming pools dangerous: WATER! So I got rid of all of the water.

What is the point of this book? That is a good question. Good questioning!

- To remind you that DANGER IS EVERYWHERE!
- To make YOU into a qualified DANGEROLOGIST (Level 1)





### **BLUB QUIZ**

#### Questions

1. Who does Ben play for?
2. What is Ben trying to hide from his parents and friends?
3. Who is Hamish?
4. Where does Mabel tell her mum she has gone?
5. Name two of the jokes on the 'I Funny' blurb.
6. Who does Jamie describe as insanely un-funny?
7. What does Doctor Noel Zone think is the most dengerous thing in the swimming Pool?
8. Name the two things that 'Danger is Everywhere' says it will teach you.





### **PLAYER PROFILE**

### Write down 5 questions you would like to ask your favourite AFC Bournemouth football player

Question 1:	
Question 2:	
Question 3:	
Question 4:	3)
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Question 5:	MANSION
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## FACT OR OPINION

Fact Something based on observation and is considered true

#### **Opinion** Is an assumption or belief

Can you arrange the cards into three facts and three opinions?

Callum Wilson is the best player at AFC Bournemouth Joshua King has scored the most goals this season

I think AFC Bournemouth are so hard to play against when playing at Vitality Stadium Nathan Ake is the best defender to ever play for AFC Bournemouth

Steve Cook has won more headers than anyone else in the Premier League this season

Aaron Ramsdale has made 102 saves in the Premier League this season







