FRANK'S RED HAT SEANE AVERY

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Writing

Ideas	✓
Organisation	✓
Voice	✓
Word Choice	
Sentence Fluency	✓
Conventions	✓
Presentation	

Reading

Determining Importance	
Inferring	✓
Making Connections	✓
Predicting	✓
Questioning	✓
Summarising & Synthesising	✓
Visualising	

Frank's Red Hat is an amusing tale about a penguin who likes coming up with new ideas and sharing them with his friends. Some of his ideas are good and some aren't. One day, he comes up with the idea to make knitted hats. Unfortunately, a tragic incident occurs when one of Frank's friends tries on one of his hats. After this, no-one seems willing to trust Frank's ideas.

Writing

IDEAS: The idea for this story is tight and manageable- it's essentially about someone who likes trying new things and gets shunned for being/thinking different. ORGANISATION: This story would be great to map out on a story mountain to show students the build up to the big problem, show the related problem of the whale incident and the final solution. VOICE: The voice in this text is the standout. What is the tone of this text? Funny? Sad? Grumpy? How do you know? Which specific sentences make you feel that? Pick out the sentences that sound like the author is speaking directly to the reader. What can you borrow from those sentences to trial in your own writing? CONVENTIONS: Study the use of dialogue. How has the author punctuated the dialogue? What do you notice? What can you apply in your own writing?

Reading

INFERRING: Discuss the main character, Frank. What do you know about him? What type of personality does he have? How do you know? Provide evidence from the text. MAKING CONNECTIONS: Make text to text, text to world and text to self connections. What does the story / problem / characters remind you of? QUESTIONING: What questions pop up for you as you before, during and after reading this book? SUMMARISING: Give a short summary of what happened in the book. Use the 'first, next then' framework to create your summary.