

## 'Alice in Wonderland' Comprehension

Use the text to help you answer the questions below.



If you see a light bulb next to the question, you will need to think about your own thoughts or opinions, based on what you have read.

1. What is Alice beginning to get tired of as the story starts?

She was beginning to get tired of sitting by her sister

2. What caught Alice's attention as she thought about daisy chains?

A white rabbit with pink eyes ran close by her.

3. What does this phrase mean: 'Alice started to her feet...'?

It means that Alice got to her feet quickly.



4. Do you think Alice is falling quickly or slowly? How do you know?

I think Alice is falling down the well slowly because she has time to see the things around her and even put a jar of marmalade back on the shelf. She also has time to doze off.

5. What fact had Alice learnt in the schoolroom?

That there are 4000 miles to the centre of the earth

6. Where does Alice think she'll end up?

In Australia or New Zealand

7. What is the effect of repeating the word 'down' at the beginning of paragraph 2 on p.11?

It shows how far Alice was falling and how much time passes.

8. What does 'earnestly' mean? Circle one:

Seriously

Truthfully

Interestingly

9. Which simile does the author use as Alice chases the rabbit?

Like the wind...



10. Why does Alice choose to drink from the bottle labelled 'DRINK ME'?

She reads the bottle and decides that it isn't poison, so she chooses to drink it.

