

Note that we have a list of concepts related to this story. Concepts are generalized ideas which can be challenged and stretched. We can do this by questioning the assumptions we make and thinking about alternative perspectives in order to further shape and define our ideas. The sample questions we have listed will encourage dialogue about the story, but you can also explore any of the concepts listed using the following question stems.



What is ....

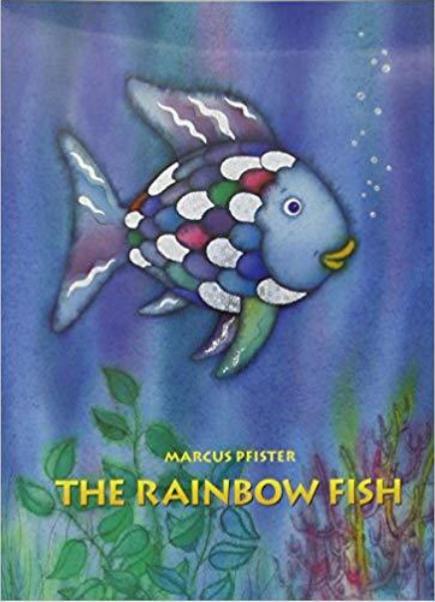
What do you already know about...

Is it the same as....

What would happen if...

How does... compare to ....

How did the story change your thinking?

Front cover	Book details	Concepts	Ages	Overview and potential questions
 <p><a href="#">Amazon link- UK</a></p> <p><a href="#">Amazon link- US</a></p> <p><a href="#">Alt: YouTube</a></p>	<p><b>The Rainbow Fish</b></p> <p><b>Marcus Pfister</b></p> <p><i>North South Books</i></p>	<p>Arrogance</p> <p>Beauty</p> <p>Humility</p> <p>Popularity</p> <p>Self-satisfaction</p> <p>Vanity</p>	<p>4 – 9</p>	<p>The Rainbow Fish is the most beautiful fish in the sea, but he has no friends because he is just too beautiful to play with any of the others. The wise octopus tells him to share his beauty with the other fish in order to make friends. The Rainbow Fish gives away his shiny scales one by one, but gains a sense of satisfaction from pleasing others as well as gaining a group of new friends.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Should we change ourselves in order to be popular?</li> <li>• Is it important to please other people?</li> <li>• What makes something beautiful?</li> <li>• Is vanity a weakness?</li> <li>• Is popularity the same as being liked?</li> </ul>