*“Important to understand both how to ask questions and where to find the answers”*

* Many students are unaware that answers might not be found “in the book.” They might need to rely on their prior knowledge.
* Question-Answer Relationships  
  (Raphael and Au)

**In the Text** (skimming and scanning text can help)

* *Right There* (I can “put my finger on the answer”)
* *Think and Search* (I need to look in more than one place in the book to find the answer)

**In My Head** (clues from title or chapter headings might help)

* *Author and Me* (Part of the answer is in the text and part of the answer I need to use what I already know)
* *On My Own* (I can answer this question without ever having read the book).

*Let’s look at some examples, and then try to make up our own*

Text: *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* (Eric Carle)

Example “Right There” Questions

* On what day of the week did the caterpillar eat two pears?

Example “Think and Search” Questions

* What did the caterpillar need to do in order to become a butterfly?

Example “Author and Me” Questions

* Why was the caterpillar in the book so hungry?

Example “On My Own” Questions

* If you were hungry what would you eat? Do you think the caterpillar would like to eat that? Explain.

*Let’s Create Our Own*

* In pairs, create two questions for each of the four types.