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# Matilda

## Comprehension Questions

### Opening - Level 5

Chapters 1 and 2

1. Can you find a quotation that reveals something about how Matilda's parents treat her? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Can you summarise what happens in Chapter 2 in one sentence?

3. What evidence can you find to suggest Matilda is an unusual child?

4. Why do you think reading is so important to Matilda?

5. What style of writing do you think this is? Give evidence to support your answer. \_\_\_\_\_

6. Why does Matilda describe her father's profits as 'dirty money'? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Whose viewpoint is this story told from? Can you find evidence?

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## Comprehension Questions

### Middle - Level 5

Chapters 10 and 11

1. Can you find a phrase that Hortensia uses to scare Matilda?

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2. Can you describe Miss Trunchbull in one sentence? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. How do Matilda's feelings change over the course of Chapter 10?

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4. How do Miss Trunchbull's feelings change over the course of Chapter 11? \_\_\_\_\_

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5. How does Roald Dahl build up tension in Chapter 11?

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6. 'Her eyes were glittering with fury.' Is this a good way to describe Miss Trunchbull's reaction to Bruce finishing the cake? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. If you were Matilda, what would you do next and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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## Comprehension Questions

### Ending - Level 5

Chapters 20 – 21

1. What was 'the most sensational bit of news of all'?

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2. Why do Matilda's family have to leave? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Why do you think Miss Trunchbull treats children so badly?

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4. Why do neither Matilda nor Miss Honey say a word at the end?

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5. If this book wasn't called Matilda, what should it be called and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Is 'heaven' a good word to describe Matilda's choice to stay with Miss Honey? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Do you think Matilda was right to trick Miss Trunchbull? \_\_\_\_\_

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