Kindergarten English/Language Arts Academic Vocabulary Words

Word	Meaning/Definition	Visual
alphabet	A set of letters	Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj Kk LI Mm Nn Oo Pp Qq Rr Ss Tt Uu Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz
author	The person who writes the book	H
beginning sound	First phoneme in a word	= /a/
capital/uppercase	Capitalized letters	ABCDEF GHIJKL MNOPQ RSTUV WXYZ
detail	Information from the story	big ears big teeth eats people scary sneaky
ending sound	The last phoneme in a word	= /x/

Exclamation mark/point	Punctuation mark for excitement	!
setting	When and where a story takes place	
front cover	The surface of the book that has the title	Stephanie's Ponytail Sterk Backer Black Ricky Black Blicket Blackerske
illustrator	The person who draws the pictures	
illustration	Pictures	
left/right	direction	left —
		right 📥
long vowels	A,e,i,o,u (they say their names)	Long Vowels: a graves Feet i stre gas o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o
lowercase	Small letters	abcdef ghijkl mnopq rstuvw xyz

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main idea	What the story is mostly about	Main Idea Details
noun	Person, place, or thing naming word/	person place thing
period	Punctuation mark for a telling sentence	•
poem	A piece of writing that has rhythm and sometimes rhymes	The fry-birty spicier Climbed up the water spout Down come the rain And washed the spider out Out come the sun And direct up all the rain And the fray-birty spicier Climbed up the spout again
question mark	Punctuation mark for an asking sentence	?
question word	Words that start a sentence that asks you something	Who? What? Where is that parten? Where? Where? Why? Who does it start? Where? Why? Who does it start? Whore is he? Why? Who does it start? Whore is he? Why? Who do se you?
rhyme	Same final sound(s)	frog dog
sequence	Putting a story in order	
short vowels	a,e,i,o,u	Short Vowels: ă copie elegtront j cortopus unitarella

sight word	Words that you read quickly	here in I is it like
sound	A single phoneme	
story	An account of events	
title	Name of the book	Stephanie's Ponytail Stey by Robert Manda Reis Marchanic
top/bottom	Directionality	top bottom
verb	Something you can do. An action word.	swin read
word space	Gap in between words	Leave a finger-space between each word you write! The tog is black.