



Generic Questions

Narrative:

Why that simile/metaphor?
Why that word or phrase?
What kind of mood?
How does it make you feel?
What is the genre?
What are the features of that genre?
What will happen next - why?
Why has a new paragraph been used?
Use of grammar
Use of speech - evidence for character, moving story on
Personal response
Is the title appropriate?
Point of view
Verb tense
Meanings and themes
Select phrases as evidence

Non-narrative:

Arrangement of information - why this way?
What is it about?
Text type
Use of language
Use of headings, tables etc
Summarise paragraphs
How else could it be set out?
Target audience
Viewpoint or bias
Fact or opinion?

