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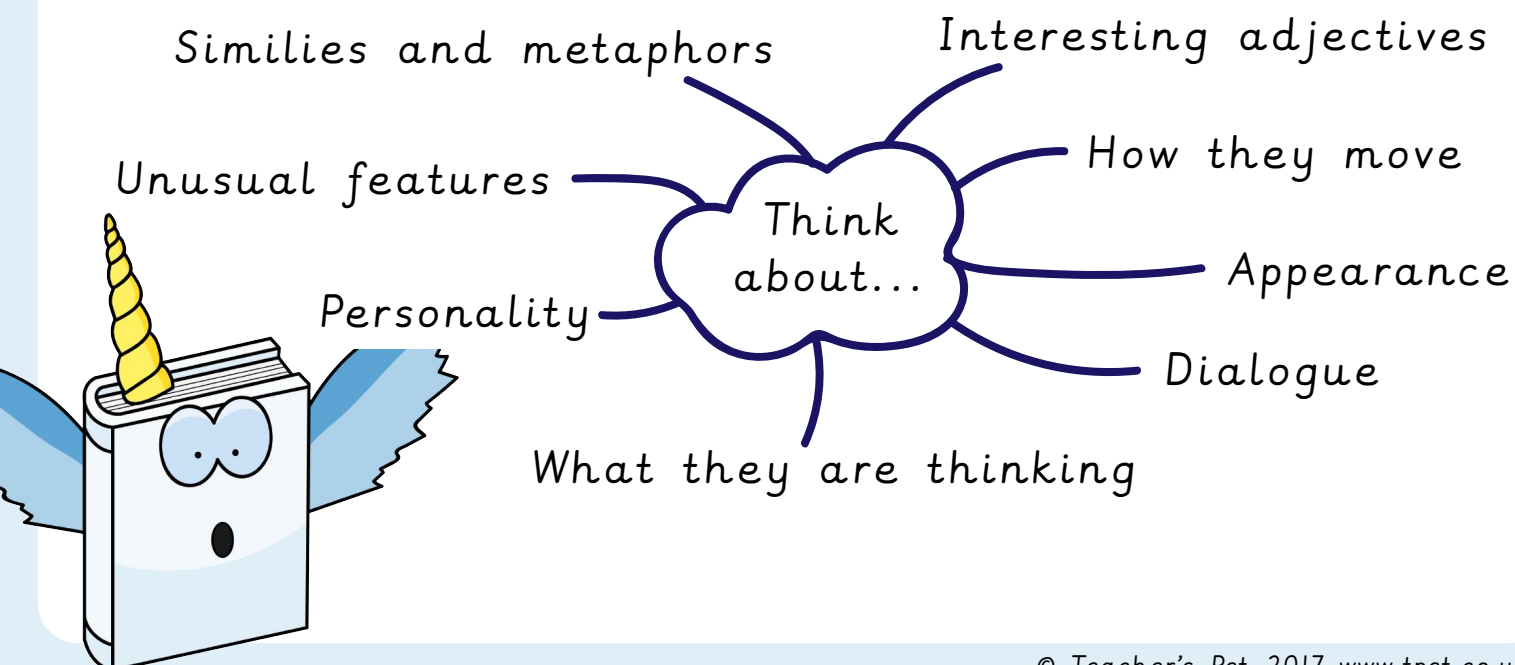


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1 Out of Character

Take a look at the photo and use the activity sheet to help write a good character description. You might want to jot down some ideas first.



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2 Location, location, location

Take a look at the photo and use the activity sheet to help write an interesting story setting. You might want to jot down some ideas first.

Using the senses...

- What can you **feel**?
- What can you **hear**?
- What can you **taste**?
- What can you **smell**?
- What can you **see**?

Example: the weather, how you feel by being there or something you touch.

This helps the reader to imagine they are there.

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1 Out of Character

Look at the photo and write down your ideas.

How would you describe their appearance? _____

Do they have any unusual features? _____

What do you think their personality is like? _____

Can you think of a simile or metaphor you could use? _____

Give them something to say that will tell the reader something about them. _____

Andrew had never seen an elf before, it was quite a shock.

1 Out of Character



Wizard

2 Location, location, location

Look at the photo and write down your ideas.

I can see... _____



I can hear... _____



I can smell... _____



I can touch... _____



I can taste... _____



As they entered the enchanted woods, they saw...

2 Location, location, location



Enchanted woods

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Let's get creative! Part 1

The key to any great story starts with the characters that you create.

Use the activity sheet to draw and describe a main character for a fantasy story.

It could be...

- a mermaid
- an elf

• a fairy

• a gnome

• a magician

These are just a few ideas. Don't be afraid to use one of your own.



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Let's get creative! Part 2

As well as having exciting characters, it is equally important to have interesting settings for your story.

Use the activity sheet to draw and describe a main setting for a fantasy story.

It could be...

• in the clouds • a castle

• woods

• the ocean

• a garden

• an imaginary land

These are just a few ideas. Don't be afraid to use one of your own.



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3 Let's get creative! Part One

Draw and write about a main character for your fantasy story.

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Name:


Remember to think about:

- Appearance
- Personality
- Unusual features
- Similes and metaphors
- Interesting adjectives
- Dialogue
- How they move
- What they are thinking

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4 Let's get creative! Part Two

Draw and write about a main setting for your fantasy story.



Setting:

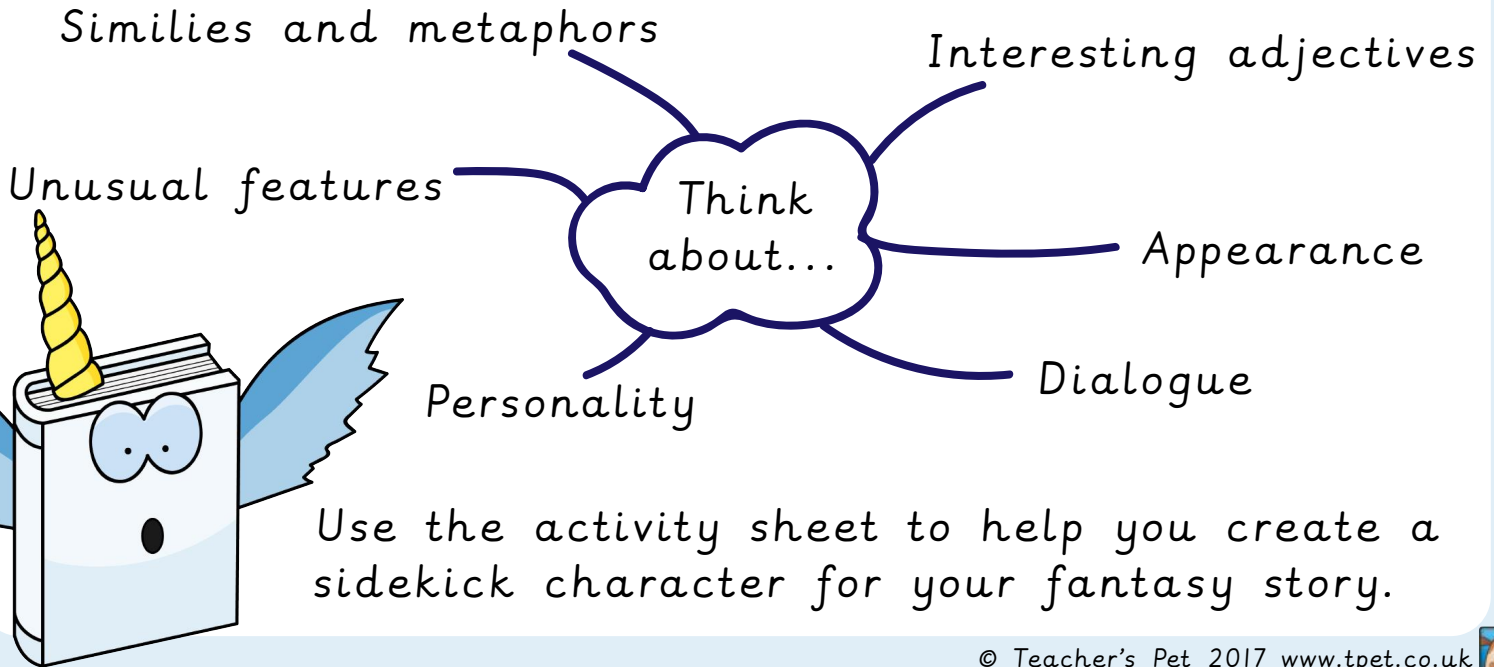
Remember to think about:

- What can you feel?
(How your character feels being there or something they touch.)
- What can you hear?
- What can you see?
- What can you smell?
- What can you taste?

This image shows a single sheet of white paper with horizontal ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the paper.

5 I've got your back!

A story writer will often introduce humour and fun into a story through a character known as a sidekick. They're not always human in a fantasy story, sometimes they are a magician or mythical creature.



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6 We have a problem!

To keep the reader interested, the story writer will always add a problem or event into the story.

Use the activity sheet to help you plan and write a problem for your fantasy story.

It could be...

- a magic spell gone wrong
- the hero must go on a quest
- the kingdom is put under a curse

These are just a few ideas. Don't be afraid to use one of your own.

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5 I've got your back

Draw and write about a sidekick for your fantasy story.

Case No.	Case Name	Case Type	Case Status	Case Date	Case Time	Case Location	Case Description	Case Notes	Case Comments
1	John Doe	Medical	Open	2023-01-01	10:00	Room 101	John Doe, 45 years old, male, presented with chest pain and shortness of breath. Vital signs: BP 120/80, HR 90, RR 20, SpO2 98%.	ECG: Sinus tachycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.38, PaCO2 35, PaO2 100, HCO3- 24.	Diagnosis: Acute coronary syndrome. Treatment: Aspirin, Nitroglycerin, Morphine.
2	Jane Smith	Medical	Closed	2023-01-02	11:30	Room 102	Jane Smith, 60 years old, female, presented with dizziness and lightheadedness. Vital signs: BP 110/70, HR 80, RR 18, SpO2 96%.	ECG: Sinus bradycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.35, PaCO2 38, PaO2 95, HCO3- 23.	Diagnosis: Hypotension. Treatment: IV fluids, Atropine.
3	Michael Brown	Medical	Open	2023-01-03	14:00	Room 103	Michael Brown, 30 years old, male, presented with abdominal pain and nausea. Vital signs: BP 130/90, HR 100, RR 22, SpO2 97%.	ECG: Sinus tachycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.36, PaCO2 36, PaO2 98, HCO3- 24.	Diagnosis: Acute gastritis. Treatment: PPI, Antacids.
4	Sarah Johnson	Medical	Closed	2023-01-04	16:00	Room 104	Sarah Johnson, 55 years old, female, presented with headache and blurred vision. Vital signs: BP 140/90, HR 85, RR 19, SpO2 97%.	ECG: Sinus tachycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.37, PaCO2 37, PaO2 99, HCO3- 24.	Diagnosis: Hypertension. Treatment: IV antihypertensives.
5	David Wilson	Medical	Open	2023-01-05	18:00	Room 105	David Wilson, 70 years old, male, presented with confusion and disorientation. Vital signs: BP 150/100, HR 110, RR 24, SpO2 96%.	ECG: Sinus tachycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.34, PaCO2 39, PaO2 96, HCO3- 23.	Diagnosis: Delirium. Treatment: IV fluids, Oxygen.
6	Emily Davis	Medical	Closed	2023-01-06	19:00	Room 106	Emily Davis, 25 years old, female, presented with fever and chills. Vital signs: BP 120/80, HR 95, RR 21, SpO2 98%.	ECG: Sinus tachycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.38, PaCO2 35, PaO2 100, HCO3- 24.	Diagnosis: Acute infection. Treatment: Antibiotics, Antipyretics.
7	Robert Miller	Medical	Open	2023-01-07	20:00	Room 107	Robert Miller, 65 years old, male, presented with weakness and fatigue. Vital signs: BP 110/70, HR 80, RR 18, SpO2 96%.	ECG: Sinus bradycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.35, PaCO2 38, PaO2 95, HCO3- 23.	Diagnosis: Anemia. Treatment: Iron supplements, Blood transfusion.
8	Lisa Anderson	Medical	Closed	2023-01-08	21:00	Room 108	Lisa Anderson, 40 years old, female, presented with chest pain and palpitations. Vital signs: BP 130/90, HR 120, RR 22, SpO2 97%.	ECG: Sinus tachycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.36, PaCO2 36, PaO2 98, HCO3- 24.	Diagnosis: Atrial fibrillation. Treatment: Beta-blockers, Anticoagulants.
9	James Taylor	Medical	Open	2023-01-09	22:00	Room 109	James Taylor, 50 years old, male, presented with dizziness and lightheadedness. Vital signs: BP 110/70, HR 80, RR 18, SpO2 96%.	ECG: Sinus bradycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.35, PaCO2 38, PaO2 95, HCO3- 23.	Diagnosis: Hypotension. Treatment: IV fluids, Atropine.
10	Maria Garcia	Medical	Closed	2023-01-10	23:00	Room 110	Maria Garcia, 35 years old, female, presented with abdominal pain and nausea. Vital signs: BP 130/90, HR 100, RR 22, SpO2 97%.	ECG: Sinus tachycardia. CXR: Clear lungs. ABG: pH 7.36, PaCO2 36, PaO2 98, HCO3- 24.	Diagnosis: Acute gastritis. Treatment: PPI, Antacids.

Name:

Remember to think about:

- Humour/fun
- Are they human?
- Appearance
- Personality
- Unusual features
- Similes and metaphors
- Interesting adjectives
- Dialogue

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6 We have a problem!

Plan and write about a problem for your fantasy story.

What is the problem?

Why does the problem occur?

Who is involved?

Where does the problem take place?

When will the problem be resolved?

How does the problem make the character(s) involved feel?

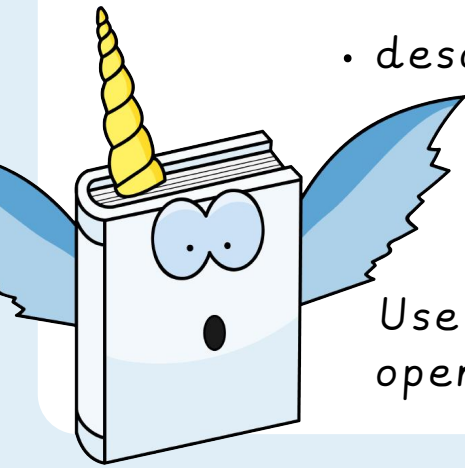
Write the problem portion of your story...

7 Once upon a time...

How you start your story is very important. The first few lines are essential because they make the reader want to read on. This is known as a 'hook'.

Start with...

- time
- a flashback
- a question
- describing a character
- describing a setting
- direct speech
- the weather
- a statement



Use the activity sheet to plan the perfect opening to your fantasy story.

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8 Let's get planning!

The key to any great story is creating a story plan. This gives you the chance to get all your ideas down on paper and make changes, before you start writing.

Time to think about...

- characters
- settings
- vocabulary
- story opening
- the ending
- problems



Use the activity sheet to help you to plan your fantasy story.

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7 Once upon a time...

Plan and write the opening to your story, including a hook.

What sort of 'hook' will you use?

- A flashback
- A question
- Description of a character or setting
- Direct speech
- The weather
- A statement
- Time

My Hook... _____

Who is my story about? _____

Where and when is it set? _____

What is going to happen? _____

My story opening... _____

8 Let's get planning!

Plan out your fantasy story.

Characters

Settings

Vocabulary

How will my story begin? Think about your 'hook'.

What will the main problem(s) or event(s) be?

How will my story end?

9 Storyboard time!

A great way to plan the events in your fantasy story is by creating a story board.

This can help you to picture your story before you write it and help you to spot any problems with the story.

Your storyboard should show...

- opening
- characters
- settings
- problem
- resolution
- ending



Use the activity sheet to help create a storyboard for your fantasy story.

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10 Make a list, check it twice!

Now you have all the skills you need to write the perfect fantasy story, it's your turn to pass on that information.

Create a 'must have' checklist to help your friends write the perfect fantasy story.

What does every great story need?



Use the activity sheet to help you to create your checklist.

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9 Storyboard time!

Create a storyboard for your fantasy story

10 Make a list, check it twice!

Create a 'must have' list for writing the perfect fantasy story.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

9. _____

10. _____

What does every great fantasy story need?