

# Narrative Writing Challenge

Your challenge is to write a story using one of the video clips below as inspiration. You might choose to turn one of the clips into a story, write a prequel or sequel to the video clip or use the clip as inspiration for a completely new story! The decision is up to you. Be as creative as possible!

You can watch all of the clips before deciding what to do - some of you may even merge several clips together to form a new story!

## Fantasy Themes

A Drift

<https://www.literacyshed.com/adrift.html>

Partly Cloudy

<https://www.literacyshed.com/partly-cloudy.html#>

## Ghostly Themes

Alma

<https://www.literacyshed.com/alma.html>

Francis

<https://www.literacyshed.com/francis.html>

## Adventure Themes

The Lighthouse

<https://www.literacyshed.com/the-lighthouse.html>

Ruin

<https://www.literacyshed.com/ruin.html>

## Fun Themes

Pigeon Impossible

<https://www.literacyshed.com/pigeon-impossible.html>

Catch it

<https://www.literacyshed.com/catchit.html>

Remember, authors edit their work over and over again. They check for spelling, punctuation and grammar errors, as well as looking for things they can improve. Please do the same! As usual, Dojo Points will be awarded for pieces of work with lots of effort put into them!

## Try and add into your story...

- Varied sentence starters
- Advanced, high-level vocabulary
- Variety of sentence lengths to create tension and suspense
- Setting and character descriptions
- Figurative language (MAPSO - metaphors, alliteration, personification, similes and onomatopoeias)
- Variety of punctuation