

# The Lighthouse - We are learning to use super adjectives to describe characters and settings.

Watch the animation called The Lighthouse.  
Watch it several times paying attention to the characters and the setting.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HfBbSUORvo>



Tick off the things you see in the animation.  
Use the separate tick sheet 'Keep Your Eyes Open' to help - you don't need to print it out!

## Word Wizard

Find definitions of these words - think about how they could be used in the story of The Lighthouse

magnanimous    perilous    cantankerous    uproarious

## Character Cop

Create 4 thought bubbles to show what you think is going through the Lighthouse Keeper's mind at these points in the story:-

1. When he reaches up and shuts the window
2. When the light goes out.
3. When he notices the ship.
4. When he opens the door and see the villagers.



## Amazing Adjectives

In your jotter make lists of words or phrases you could use to describe:-

- The lighthouse keeper
- The villagers
- The lighthouse
- The sea



## Be a writer

Write the story shown in The Lighthouse animation.

Steps to Success -

1. Start by making a plan - Write numbers 1-5 or draw 5 boxes in your jotter to plan 5 paragraphs you're going to write.
2. Write a great opener to hook your reader in.
3. Try to include the 4 words from the word wizard activity in your story
4. Think about other things you could use to up level your story -  
Wow words? Direct speech? Alliteration? Onomatopoeia? Similes?
- 5 Read your story back to yourself to check for mistakes before sharing with anyone else.

## Explore Some More

Pick as many ideas as you like from this box.

1. Use art materials of your choice to create an illustration for your story
2. Make a model of a lighthouse - could you include a working light? - ask an adult to help you.
3. Investigate lighthouses in Scotland - how many are there? - which is closest to Edinburgh? Can you find a link between Robert Louis Stevenson and lighthouses?
4. Create a cartoon strip which tells the story.
5. Act out the story of The Lighthouse
6. Watch this youtube clip to see how you can use a torch and mirror to make your own rainbow [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sp81xT7\\_bQY](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sp81xT7_bQY)