

## Narrative Writing: Story Starters

For this week's narrative, I would like you to pick a story starter from the list posted below. Write a two page narrative story based on this starter!

Here is a checklist of what you should work on throughout your writing!

- Character and Setting Description - is it detailed with lots of wow words?
- Spelling - have you used a dictionary to double check words you are unsure of?
- Punctuation - have you correctly included capital letters, full stops and commas?
- Handwriting - is your handwriting neat and joined?
- Paragraphs - is your writing organised into paragraphs?

### Story Starters

1. Closer and closer it came, it was getting bigger and bigger, soon it filled the sky above, was the moon falling?

2. He wandered aimlessly through the house seeking any form of distraction to avoid the inevitable doom. Why did it feel like he was nearing the gallows?

3. Peeking through the window her surprise turned to horror...

4. I woke up with a start, something was in my room. The wardrobe doors opened and ...

5. "Witches don't exist!" My gran's words echoed around my head as the horrific visage glared at me through my bedroom window.

6. Keeping watch at the side of the ship, George was tiring; his eyes

wearied from constantly searching the horizon, were they also playing tricks on him? What was that waving from the rocks?

7. The two coins in his pocket clinked together as he stumbled down the cold pavement, the holes in his shoes turning his feet into blocks of ice. His heart was warmed though in the knowledge that he was rich.

8. The day had come... they had been warned... they hadn't listened and now it was happening...