



RAISING READERS
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Create your own book cover!

Questions to think about:

- What is your book's title?
- Are you going to be the author, or will you make up a name?
- What type of book is it? Adventure, funny, scary? How can you show that in the drawing?
- Who is the main character?

Describe your book in two sentences:

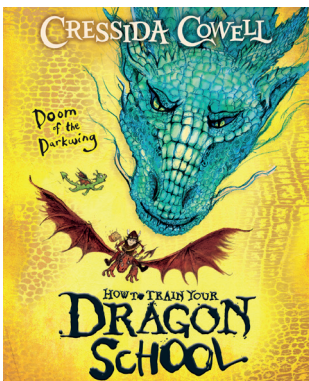
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Here are some examples



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Story starters!

Ever get stuck starting a story? Use the below to help you!

Character ideas:

Dinosaur • Giant • Fairy • Owl • Detective • Cat • Talking dog • Child

Setting ideas:

School Castle • Space rocket • Submarine • Island • Farm

At the beginning of the story, the main character:

Wakes up and finds themselves in the past

Makes an invisible friend

Realises they have a magic power

Gets set a challenge by a teacher that sounds impossible

Opens a door to another world

Finds an old treasure map

Has an argument with a brother or sister

Story title.....

One upon a time in (describe your setting).....

..... There lived (describe your main character).....

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One day (describe what happens to your character, or an exciting thing they do).....

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But then... (something happens to make your character's life tricky – what is it?).....

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Luckily... (how do they deal with the tricky thing?).....

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At the end of the story.....

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Find a friend to share your story with!



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Wordsearch

Can you find all 12 book titles and bookish words hidden in the puzzle? They might be up, down, or even diagonal! Circle each one as you find them and cross them off the list.

E W R R I B D Q Y S P H U C E
W S G H T L M O R N A A U A B
U U R B Z S L O N B G R M V O
G R E G U G J U S P E B A T O
V F A E R M U U S D S E G M K
K I D P O T A T O T D I I S M
H L E J A D A D Y G R D C C A
U V R H K X E T U W P A T H R
M T H E D G E W I T C H T O K
O A D V E N T U R E W Z F O W
U R Y Z Z O K J H I U L C L R
R C L I B R A R Y J U B Z X V
H Q F C R O O K H A V E N L O
K G D B N G A D R H J X F Z O
Q K J J G F R T Q Z E N W Y F

CROOKHAVEN

HEDGEWITCH

KID POTATO

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ADVENTURE

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