

Create a setting: Floating city in the clouds

Grade 5 Writing Worksheet

Imagine the setting below and help bring it to life. Creatively answer the questions as you develop this setting in more detail:

Setting: A magical floating city high in the clouds

When creating a setting, think about:

1. Temporal Details: When does your story take place?
For example: During the 1990s
2. Environmental Details: In what general geographic area does your story take place?
For example: In New York City
3. Individual Details: Where specifically does your story take place?
For example: The fourth floor of the Palace Hotel

Temporal Details:

- In what year does your story take place?
- Is it during a certain season - like summer or winter?
- Are there any special events or holidays happening?
- What time of the day is your story happening?
- How long does your story last? For instance, does it occur during an hour, a day, a week, a month, a year or another amount of time?
- Other important temporal details:

Environmental Details:

- Is your story in a city, a small town, or the countryside?

- What's the weather like most of the time?

- What kind of plants and animals live there?

- Are there mountains, rivers, lakes, or forests?

- Can you think of any famous places or landmarks in your setting?

- Other important environmental details:

Individual Details:

- Where does your story *mostly* take place?

- What does the place look like?

- What can you smell, hear, or touch in this place?

- How does this place make you feel?

- Who spends time or lives in this place?

- Other important individual details: