



Spooky Story Starters

Why not try these spooky story starters with your children this month! Give each child in your class one of the following story starters with which to begin their own short story. When they have finished writing, why not get the children to share their story in groups. Or, compile all the stories to create a class book full of exciting, creative and maybe even scary tales.

1. Do you believe in ghosts? I didn't until...
2. The mad scientist was in his lab creating a new monster when suddenly...
3. I could hear a strange noise in my cupboard, so I opened the door and...
4. They said the house was haunted but I didn't believe them so I went inside...
5. You won't believe this story but it's true...
6. I knew my friends would never believe me when I told them our new teacher was a werewolf...
7. I was cycling home from school when I saw a strange shape in the sky...
8. When the black cat crossed my path I knew bad luck would follow...

Or why not make up your own Scary Story Starters?

