

## Story starter!

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A lone figure trudged along the road.

The sun was warm, and the figure felt the comforting warmth of the sun's rays as they shone down from a cobalt sky.

It looked like the pleasant scene was about to change drastically as the clouds gathered menacingly above the distant peaks of the mountain range.

To be caught in the chaos and carnage of a mighty storm is not a pleasant experience. The lone figure's trudge became a run; if he didn't find sanctuary soon who knew what might happen...

Can you describe what might happen next?



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## Question time!

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Have you ever been caught in a storm? What was it like?

Are storms the same all over the world, or are they different?

What causes a storm?

What do you think are the most dangerous aspects of a storm?

How can people avoid these dangers?

Do mountains play a part when storms build?

Can you think of other occasions when weather can be dangerous?

What is your favourite type of weather?

If you could live anywhere in the world where would it be?



## Sentence challenge!

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Can you describe what it is like to be caught in a storm?

**Try to use your senses to describe (what you can see, hear, smell, taste and feel).**

**You might also try to describe how you might be feeling, such as tense, afraid, alone.**



## Sick sentences!

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These sentences are 'sick' and need help to get better. Can you help?

- ▶ **The clouds moved across the sky. Rain started to come down. Thunder started. Lightning flashed.**



## Perfect picture!

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Can you draw the perfect storm?

