

# Setting Expert Role Card

Levels 4-5

Book Title: .....

Student: .....

Date: .....

## YOUR TASKS:

- Research the geographical location of the story
- Find connections between the setting and the life of the characters
- Learn about the time the story is set in
- Explore further aspects of the setting

### 1 Where is the story set geographically? Find information about the place and share it with the other members of the Book Club. Find out about the landscape, the animals, the plants, the architecture and the weather.

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- Collect examples of geographical features in the text.

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- What is the relationship between the place and the life of the characters in the story?

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### 2 In what period is the story set?

Some stories are set in the past, and other stories are set in our times. Find information about the following aspects of the period: lifestyle, work, society, traditions, and technology.

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### 3 Further research

- **Setting & Characters:** What does the setting (landscape, building) tell you about the lifestyle, job and personality of the main character?
- **Atmosphere:** What does the landscape, the weather or the city tell you about the mood of the characters?
- **Symbolic places:** Are there any symbolic places in the story? For example, caves, labyrinths, forests or the sea often have symbolic meanings.