

Name: _____

Recipe for...

A SPOOKY STORY SCENE

Recipe Card:

Servings: _____

Prep. Time: _____

Total Time: _____

Ingredients: _____

Directions: _____

Notes: _____

Main Ingredients:

- 1-2 characters (add more if you like!)
- Spice (a problem or tension)
- Setting (where/when it takes place)
- Seasoning (3 or more sensory details)

Instructions:

- Write a scene for a spooky story that develops character, problem, and setting, using sensory details, the "Zoom In" strategy, and the "Show, Don't Tell" strategy.
- Your scene should be 1 - 2 pages long, typed in 12-point font, double-spaced (250 - 500 words). It must be written in paragraphs.

SPOOKY SCENE RECIPE CARD

Name: _____

Title of Your Scene: _____

Ingredients

What to Include

Your Notes

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- Main Character Name: _____
At least 1 physical detail:
One habit that shows emotion (e.g, bites nails when nervous)
 - Setting Where does your scene happen?
What is the atmosphere like (dark, quiet, stormy, etc.)?
 - Spice (Problem / Tension). What small but spooky thing is going wrong or starting to feel off?
 - Seasoning Sensory details: Choose at least 3 sensory details to sprinkle into your scene (sight, Sound, smell, touch, taste)
 - Extra Flavour (Show, Don't Tell) Use actions or details instead of directly saying feelings.