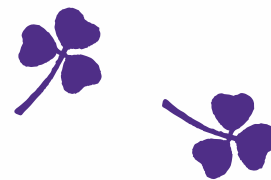


Write like a **VICTORIAN**



Handwriting was very important in Victorian Times. You couldn't just pick up the phone to talk someone, so the only way to keep in touch was to write letters.

By the end of Victorian Era nearly all children got a chance to learn to read and write. Victorian teachers loved neat handwriting, with no crossings-out. People learned to write in a style we now call 'Copperplate' – the name comes from engraving work.

In *Clover Moon*, the teachers at *The Sarah Smith School for Destitute Girls* are surprised that Clover can write so neatly, when the other girls in her class all struggle. Have a go at writing in Copperplate style in the space below and see how you get on!

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Qq Rr Ss Tt Uu Vv Ww Xx

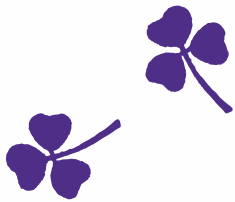
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Try writing a sentence in Copperplate style below:

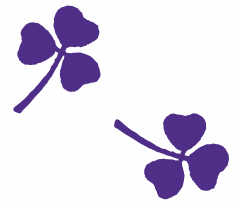
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Draw like **CLOVER MOON**



Clover loves sketching and is greatly inspired by Mr Rivers' drawing of her and her siblings. Mr Rivers' portraits were shown at the Royal Academy and, although not quite as impressive, Clover's sketches of the girls at *The Sarah Smith School for Destitute Girls* become very in demand!

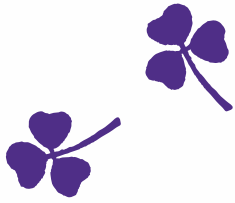
Use the space below to draw a portrait of someone you know.



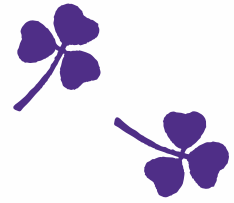
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Clover Moon WORDSEARCH



Clover has a tough life in poverty-stricken Victorian London, but her bravery and imagination helps her on the way to a better life. Below are some words that help to represent Clover's life. Can you find them in the word search below?

I	C	F	R	C	N	Y	L	P	T	K	P	W	D	K
W	S	M	F	F	G	R	T	Q	N	U	Y	I	M	G
B	R	C	W	O	P	E	P	R	A	Z	P	R	S	N
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B	L	U	C	K	Y	S	R	T	M	R	V	E	O	A
F	Y	T	M	P	R	A	Y	S	S	E	G	R	L	H
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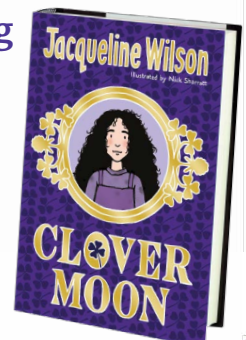
Clover
Lucky
Sisters
Stepmother

Scullery
Maidservant
Destitute
Bonnet

Dollmaker
Portrait
Handwriting
Piccadilly

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LIFE AS A VICTORIAN

How is your life different to a child, like Clover Moon, growing up in the Victorian era? Use this table to compare the different lives.

	You	Clover Moon	Poor child living during the Victorian era	Wealthy child living during the Victorian era
Do you have a family? If so, who are they?				
What is your home like?				
Do you attend school? If yes, what do you think of it? If no, would you like to?				
Do you have any hobbies? If so, what are they?				
Do you work either at home (i.e doing chores) or outside of the home to earn money? Explain your answer.				
What are your hopes and dreams for the future?				

VICTORIAN LIFE

Using the completed table, pick one Victorian era child and create a detailed character profile for them. You need to give them a name, draw a picture of them and write a description about them.

Name

Description

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Draw your picture in this box: