

Adding details to settings

Practise creating more interesting settings by completing the activities below.

PART A

Match the following statements about settings to details that support them.

Statement	Detail
The coop was a masterpiece.	A pile of dust settled in the corner. Feathers were scattered in every direction.
The coop was tidy.	It had ladders to run up, dangling drinkers for when they were thirsty and swings made of old tree branches.
The coop was messy.	The surfaces were clear and polished until they sparkled. The eggs were arranged in neat piles.

PART B

Add detail to the settings below. The first one has been done for you.

Setting: A cold beach	Detail: The wind whipped the sand up in the air. The ocean was a deep blue and it crashed on the beach in angry waves.
Setting: A dark forest	Detail:
Setting: A busy school	Detail:

PART C

On the line below, describe your bedroom. Is it messy, tidy or somewhere in between?

Now add supporting details to describe your bedroom, e.g. if it's tidy, all the books are lined up in size order on the shelf.
