

Ghost Story Checklist



- The ghost story includes details that will help entertain listeners (or readers).**
What details in the story have you included to catch listeners' attention? How will you keep them listening?

- The characters in the ghost story are strong and interesting.**
What descriptive words have you used to make the personalities of your characters stand out?

- The setting is appropriate for a ghost story.**
What words and phrases in your story help build the location? How is the setting important to the story?

- An underlying code of behavior is communicated in the ghost story.**
What is the underlying lesson of the ghost story? How is the lesson taught to characters in the story and/or to listeners (or readers)?

- The ghost story connects to the history of a place or people.**
What aspects of the ghost story connect it to a particular location or a specific group of people? How do the connections strengthen the story?