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**WALT: Write the build-up and problem**

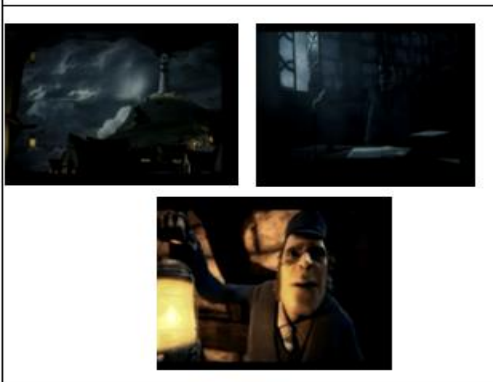
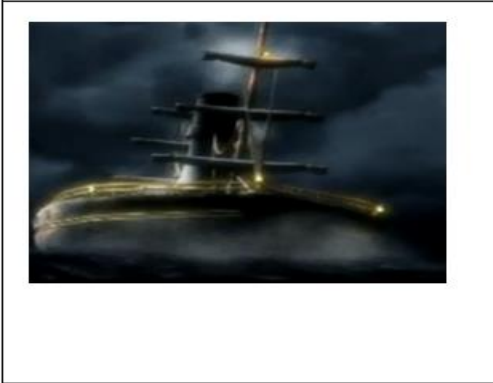

Watch the video again to recap the sequence from when the lighthouse keeper hears the noise, sees the ship and smashes the lantern.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HfBbSUORvo>



Continue your story. Remember:

- Use your vocabulary word bank to use powerful language
- Keep it in the third person – He / Lighthouse keeper (or his name if you have given him one)
- Vary your sentence starts
- Describe his feelings and thoughts – use your work from Monday to help you

	<p>Just then, high above, the lighthouse- keeper hears a creaking sound and looks up. The light has stopped working! -Suddenly the window blows open and the wind extinguishes the candle. The LHK gets up, trips, lights a lantern and runs upstairs to investigate the problem. How is the LHK feeling? He picks up his tool box and heads to the light – looks inside</p>
	<p>Suddenly he hears the wailing sound of a ship's horn as it swiftly approaches (steams towards) the rocks! How can he stop it? What can he do? (Build suspense here.)</p>
	<p>Frantically, he seeks to fix the light and lifts it up. Unfortunately, as he staggers back under the weight, he trips over his tool box and the lantern smashes into a thousand tiny pieces! The situation is not looking good – how would he be feeling? Suddenly he hears the ship's horn again – it is now even closer to the rocks!</p>

**Here's an example to finish the section:**

The huge glass dome, which covered the inner workings of the light, lay in pieces on the floor. A feeling of helplessness hovered in the air and hope lay shattered just like the glass. His heart pounded faster and faster until the drumming in his ears was unbearable and he felt sick to the very depths of his being. What was he going to do now? He thought to himself.

The horn sounded again. The ship was getting closer... closer... closer. Distraught, he sat on the floor, desperate to find a solution. The waves crashed below, his breathing came in ragged gasps and fear clogged his mind.