

**Lights, Camera, Literacy!**  
**High School Edition**  
**Magical Realism Short Film Project**

Create a short film (four minutes or less) in the magical realism genre.

Use one of the following scenarios as your inciting incident (LCL! 3x3 Act I Step a):

- A character does not allow someone to get what they want
- A character deals with peer pressure
- A character wants to belong but is an outsider

You must include the following in your film:

- Elements of Magical Realism: (a character possesses magical powers; the fantastical is accepted as reality)
- A main character with a magical quality that makes them different than everyone else
- Non-linear LCL! 3x3 Story Path by use of flashback(s)
- Film Theme → Empathy: Caring for Others