










The FANTASTIC FLYING Books of MR MORRIS LESSMORE

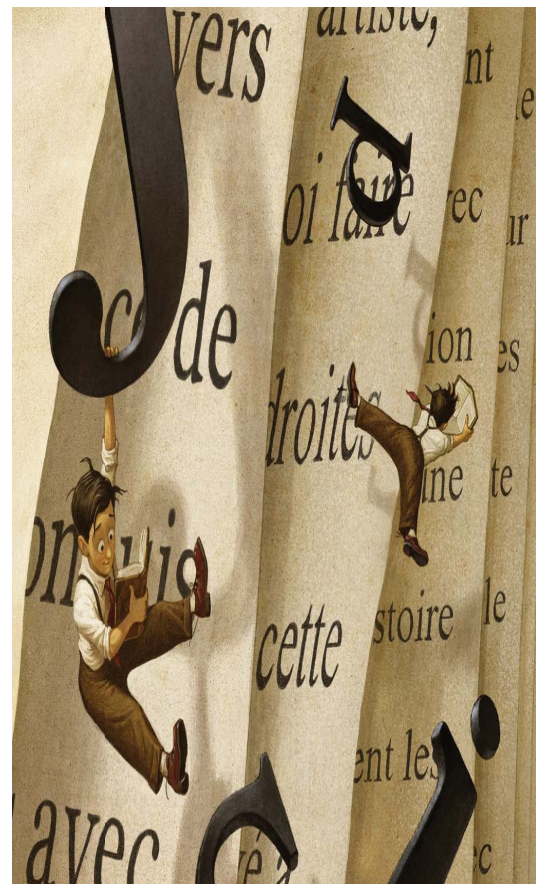


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Try to predict: What will this film be about?

-  Do you like books? Why? Why not?
-  What kind of book do you enjoy reading?
-  What qualities of the book make you like it?
-  What book would you recommend?
-  What difference do you think books and reading can make in your life?
-  Have you ever become 'lost in a book'?
-  "We read to know that we are not alone." (C.S. Lewis). Do you agree?
-  What is your favourite book? Why is that book special to you?
-  'Books never change but always have the power to change you'. Do you agree?



Books VS Films



"I love reading because it is like a movie in your mind. It is better than a movie because you can make the characters look how you want them to look and what you want their voices to sound like. It is a way to escape the world for a little bit." (Goodreads.com). What's your opinion?



How important was reading to Mr. Lessmore?



Have you noticed something about the use of colour in the story?



What did the grey images indicate? The coloured ones?



Why did grey people line up to come get books?



What difference did books make in Mr. Lessmore's life?



What was different about the book in the end?



Why did his book fall in the beginning but fly at the end?



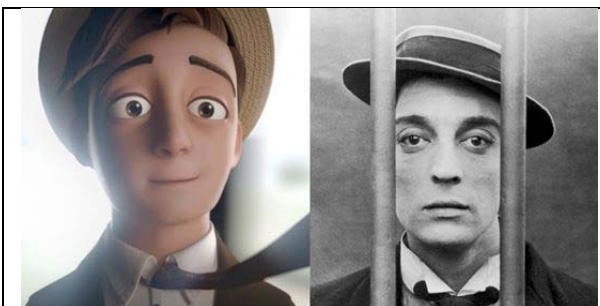
How did the film make you feel?



Which was your favourite scene?



Who is your favourite character? Why?



Buster Keaton, an American silent film actor, comedian and stunt performer was the model for the character of Morris Lessmore. The film drew inspiration from the storm scene in Keaton's film 'Steamboat Bill, Jr.' and the tornado from 'The Wizard of Oz'. Also an inspiration was the real-life Hurricane Katrina which devastated New Orleans in 2005.