

Year 5 English

In response to our visit to Narnia with Lucy this week, Isobel (5C), responded to an optional dramatic task on the VLE to imagine entering the wardrobe in Narnia and seeing a new and wonderful creature appear from behind a tree. This is what her mum said in her message: "Izzy has been to Narnia via my wardrobe. She went for a cup of cocoa with a 'Flocksnea'. They sat by the fire and talked about 'how mesmerising the fire was'. She really enjoyed it."



Lizzie (5B) has been thinking about what could be behind her own magical door and has produced this piece of writing. This was an introductory writing activity before seeing what was behind the wardrobe door in *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*. Lizzie imagined going into a hospital and opening a door to a beautiful, underwater world - such a super description for the current time.

Behind the Hospital Door

The back door of the hospital is a mystery. This white modern door hides a secret world. The glass on the door is blank, you can't see through it. All you see is white, it's like something is blocking its view. There is no peeling paint like most of the other doors in the hospital. Its handle is spotlessly clean and there is something mystical about it, the way it glints so brightly. It is as if when you touch it you can feel the magic behind this mysterious door.

As the door swings open, a magical scene takes view, an underwater sea of magic. You would think all the water would come rushing out into the hallway. But no, it stays put like an invisible barrier is blocking its way. All marine life from fish to sharks swim and glide through the glistening water. Bubbles form as the animals and fish spin and swirl in the water. Miraculously, you can actually breathe underneath.

As you rise to the surface, water lilies and lotuses surround your head. The sun shines making the water glisten like diamonds. A spectacular, rushing waterfall cascades over a cliff. Birds swoop over the land, the sky a cloudless blue. Little islands are dotted over the water. Palm trees sway in the gentle breeze, coconuts lay sprawled on the fresh grass. Flowers dance like wildfire, while the water splashes rapidly.

As you swim back down to the door, you pass all the dolphins, turtles, fish and sharks. When you emerge from the water back to the hallway it makes a noise like popcorn popping as you step back onto dry land. But the strangest thing is, that you come out fully dry as if you were never in water. The mystery behind this white, modern door, is truly a marvel.

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