

## Section 7. Writer study screenshots

# Study Overview

**Overview:** This study will consist of two parts and a short follow-up survey. In some parts, you will be asked understanding questions. You must answer these understanding questions correctly in order to proceed to complete the study.

**Payment:** For completing this study, you are guaranteed to receive a £3.00 within 48 hours. In addition, one part of the two parts will be randomly selected as the part-that-counts. Any amount (if any) you earn in the part-that-counts will be distributed to you as a bonus payment after 4-6 weeks.

**Understanding Question:** Which of the following statements is true?

- For completing this study, I will receive £3 within 48 hours, but I do NOT have a chance of receiving any additional bonus payment.
- For completing this study, I will receive £3 within 48 hours, and I will also receive the amount I earn in the part-that-counts as additional bonus payment
- For completing this study, I will receive £3 within 48 hours, and I will also receive the total amount I earn across all parts as additional bonus payment.

Next

# Part 1

## Instructions

Please enter 10 words that are as **different** from each other as possible, in all meanings and uses of the words.

## Rules

- Only **single words** in English.
- Only **nouns** (e.g., things, objects, concepts).
- **No proper nouns** (e.g., no specific people or places).
- **No specialised vocabulary** (e.g., no technical terms).
- Think of the words **on your own** (e.g., do not just look at objects in your surroundings).

## Enter words

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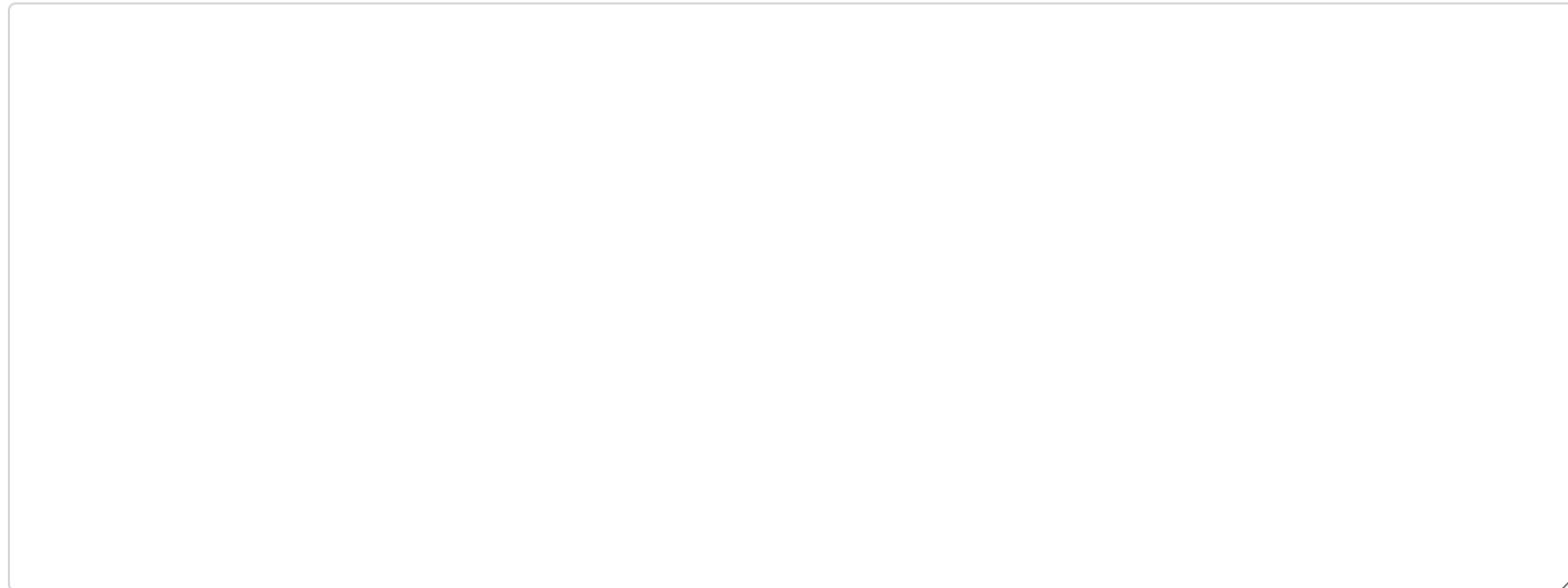
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## Part 2

### Instructions

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Please write your story (**exactly 8 sentences**) here:



Current sentence count: **0**

You need to write 8 sentences to enable the Next button.

Sentences end with a full stop (.) a question mark (?) or an exclamation mark (!)

**Next**

## Condition: *Human with 1 AI idea (before story has been generated)*

### Part 2

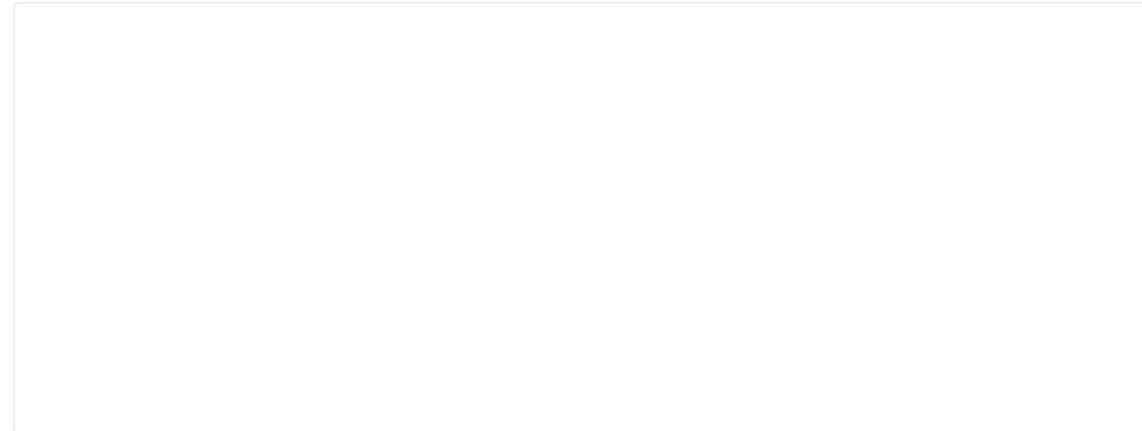
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In order to assist you, we have provided you **access to AI assistance** that, if you wish, will come up with a starting point for your story by clicking on "**Generate Story Idea**". The response from the AI assistant will be created in real time by a sophisticated AI algorithm. The response will be added in grey text below. **You are free to use or disregard any element of the AI assistant's story idea, or start over with your own idea.**

Generate Story Idea...

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**Next**

## Condition: Human with 5 AI ideas (before story has been generated)

### Part 2

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Here is a guide to the status of the AI request in each tab:

**Free** You have not generated a story idea in this tab. Click to start generating a new story.

**Used** The AI has provided you with a suggested starting point for your story. Click to view the AI's suggestion.

**Error** Sometimes the AI is busy and the request fails. Click to request a new story.

In each Used tab, the AI assistant will come up with another story idea that will be added to the list of starting points for your story. **You are free to use or disregard any element of the AI assistant's story idea, or start over with your own idea.**

Idea 1 **Free**

Idea 2 **Free**

Idea 3 **Free**

Idea 4 **Free**

Idea 5 **Free**

**Generate Story Idea...**

Please write your story (**exactly 8 sentences**) here:

Current sentence count: **0**

You need to write 8 sentences to enable the Next button.

Sentences end with a full stop (.) a question mark (?) or an exclamation mark (!)

**Next**

## Condition: Human with 5 AI ideas (after story has been generated)

### Part 2

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Idea 1 **Used**   Idea 2 **Used**   Idea 3 **Free**   Idea 4 **Free**   Idea 5 **Free**

While on a research expedition in the Amazon, a young scientist, Ava, discovers an ancient, mystical artifact in a hidden temple. The artifact's removal awakens a protective spirit, and Ava must navigate treacherous terrain, wild beasts, and magical obstacles to return it and calm the enraged spirit. Along her journey, she learns important lessons about respect for nature and ancient cultures, eventually succeeding in her quest and forging a profound connection with the Amazon.

Please write your story (**exactly 8 sentences**) here:

Current sentence count: **0**

You need to write 8 sentences to enable the Next button.

Sentences end with a full stop (.) a question mark (?) or an exclamation mark (!)

**Next**

# Follow-up survey

We have a few questions about your experience today. You will need to complete all of the questions in order to receive your payment

Next

Only shown in condition: *Human only*

## Follow-up survey

**Please tell us whether you used ChatGPT or a similar generative AI tool to inspire your story?** (Please answer truthfully: your truthful answer will help us with our research. Your answer will NOT affect your payment.)

Yes  No

Next

Only shown in condition: *Human only* and answered “yes” on previous page

## Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

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To what extent do you think did the AI generated assistance affect the story you have submitted?

(Please answer truthfully: your truthful answer will help us with our research. Your answer will NOT affect your payment.)



**Please indicate to what extent the AI generated assistance affect the story you have submitted**

You will need to rate the AI generated idea on order to enable the Next button

Next

# Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

.....

Please indicate you how much you agree with the following statements on the following scale: 1=Not at all, 5=Moderately, 9=Extremely:

	Not at all									Extremely	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
<b>This story has a surprising twist.</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>This story has changed what I expect of future stories I will read.</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>This story is funny.</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>This story is boring.</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>This story is well written.</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>I enjoyed writing this story.</b>	<input type="radio"/>										

Next

# Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

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Not at  
all

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9

Extremely

To what extent do you think your story reflects  
your own ideas?

Next

# Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

.....

	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Extremely
<b>How novel do you think your story is?</b>	<input type="radio"/>	9									
<b>How original do you think your story is?</b>	<input type="radio"/>	9									
<b>How rare (e.g. unusual) do you think your story is?</b>	<input type="radio"/>	9									

Next

# Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

.....

	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Extremely
<b>How appropriate do you think is your story for the intended audience?</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>How feasible to do you think is your story to be developed into a complete book?</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>How likely do you think would it be that your story is turned into a complete book if a publisher read it and hired a professional author to expand on the idea?</b>	<input type="radio"/>										

Next

Only shown in condition: *Human with 1 AI idea*

## Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

.....

### To what extent do you think did this specific AI generated story idea affect the story you have submitted?

(Please answer truthfully: your truthful answer will help us with our research. Your answer will NOT affect your payment.)

Three friends embark on a thrilling adventure in the unexplored depths of the Amazon rainforest in search of a legendary ancient city. Battling unpredictable weather, dangerous wildlife, and treacherous terrains, they uncover hidden tribal mysteries and ancient secrets. Their friendship and courage are tested to the limits as they face life-threatening challenges, leading to a climax that changes their lives forever.

Not at all	Extremely
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8	

Please indicate to what extent this specific AI generated idea affected the story you submitted

You will need to rate the AI generated idea on order to enable the Next button

Next

Only shown in condition: *Human with 5 AI ideas (before rating any story)*

## Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

.....

**To what extent do you think did this specific AI generated story idea affect the story you have submitted?**

Please respond to this question for each tab with a response that has the **Rate me** icon

(Please answer truthfully: your truthful answer will help us with our research. Your answer will NOT affect your payment.)

Idea 1

**Rate me**

Idea 2

**Rate me**

Idea 3

**Unused**

Idea 4

**Unused**

Idea 5

**Unused**

When siblings Ryan and Emily discover an ancient map in their grandpa's attic, they become captivated by the promise of unknown treasure and launch an unprecedented journey into the dense, dangerous jungle. The siblings overcome deadly obstacles, ally with indigenous tribes, and unearth secrets of their family's explorative past. Their adventurous spirit leads them to an unimaginable treasure, providing not only wealth but also an understanding of their family's courageous legacy.

Not at

all

Extremely

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**Please indicate to what extent this specific AI generated idea affected the story you submitted**

You will need to rate all of the AI generated ideas on order to enable the Next button

**Next**

Only shown in condition: *Human with 5 AI ideas (after rating a story)*

## Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

.....

### To what extent do you think did this specific AI generated story idea affect the story you have submitted?

Please respond to this question for each tab with a response that has the **Rate me** icon

(Please answer truthfully: your truthful answer will help us with our research. Your answer will NOT affect your payment.)

Idea 1  Rated

Idea 2  Rate me

Idea 3  Unused

Idea 4  Unused

Idea 5  Unused

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Please indicate to what extent this specific AI generated idea affected the story you submitted

You will need to rate all of the AI generated ideas on order to enable the Next button

Next

# Follow-up survey

Here is the story you have submitted:

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In your own words, who do you identify as having provided the original spark and idea for this story?

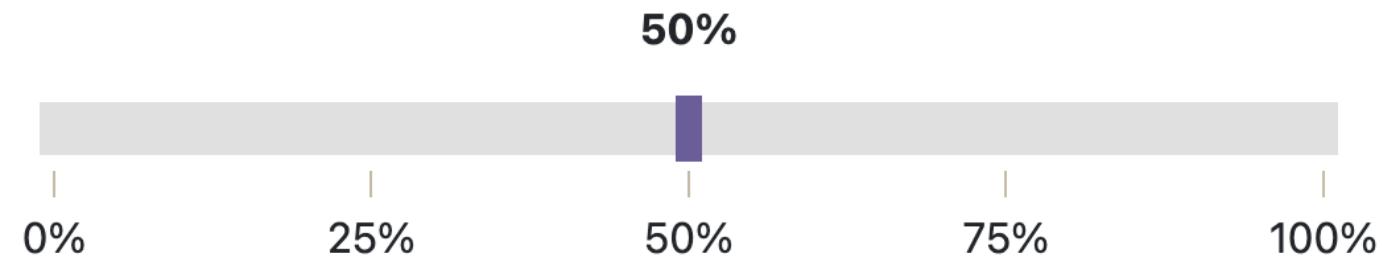
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# Follow-up survey

If this story were published and sold tomorrow, how much of the story's profit do you believe should belong to you versus other entities (such as prior books, stories, or AI tools) that may have provided the starting point for your story?

(Please answer truthfully: your truthful answer will help us with our research. Your answer will NOT affect your payment.)

Please indicate the percentage of the story's profit that you believe you should receive:



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# Follow-up survey

	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Extremely
<b>How creative do you consider yourself?</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>How much creativity is required in your job?</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>How comfortable are you with new technologies?</b>	<input type="radio"/>										
<b>How much (if at all) have you previously engaged with AI or similar technologies?</b>	<input type="radio"/>										

**Have you used any of the following AI tools in the past? (Check all that apply)**

- None
- ChatGPT
- Dall-E
- OpenAI's playground (e.g. DaVinci, Currie, Ada)
- Stable Diffusion
- NightCafe
- Jasper
- Microsoft Bing Chat
- Google Bard
- You.com
- Midjourney
- Other

Ai Tools Other Name

**Have you used any of the following categories of AI tools in the past? (Check all that apply)**

- None
- Text
- Image
- Audio
- Music
- Video

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## Demographics

What gender do you identify with?

- Female
- Male
- Prefer not to say
- Other (please specify below)

Other gender

What is your current age? (enter a number of years)

What is your highest level of education?

- Less than A levels
- Vocational training
- A levels
- Undergraduate degree
- Postgraduate Master's degree
- Professional degree (e.g. MBA, JD)
- Doctorate

What is your current employment status?

- Employed full time
- Employed part time
- Unemployed looking for work
- Unemployed not looking for work
- Retired
- Student
- Disabled

What is your current job title?

What is your current annual income?

- Less than £10,000
- £10,000-£24,999
- £25,000-£49,999
- £50,000-£74,999
- £75,000-£99,999
- £100,000-£124,999
- £125,000-£149,999
- More than £150,00

Do you have any additional comments about this survey?

Next

## Section 8. Evaluator study screenshot

# Study Overview

**Overview:** This study will consist of two main parts and a short follow-up survey. In each of the two main parts, you will be asked to read 6 short (eight-sentence) stories and answer a series of questions about them.

**Payment:** For completing this study, you are guaranteed to receive a £3 within 48 hours.

**Please answer all questions carefully and honestly.**

**Understanding Question:** Which of the following statements is true?

- For completing this study, I will receive £3 within 48 hours plus an unspecified bonus payment.
- For completing this study, I will receive £3 within 48 hours.
- For completing this study, I will not receive any payment for this study.

Next

# Part 1: Additional instructions

In Part 1 of the study, we will show you **6 different, short stories**.

Each story will be shown on a different page, and each story is approximately eight sentences long, written in English, and intended for a **teenage and young adult audience** (approximately 15 to 24 years of age).

For each story, we ask that you to read it carefully and answer a series of questions about it.

The 6 short stories are about three different topics:

- 2 short stories are about an adventure on the open seas.
- 2 short stories are about an adventure in the jungle.
- 2 short stories are about an adventure on a different planet.

Stories that are about the same topic will be shown one after the another. The order in which you will see the stories and topics is as shown in the list above.

Next

# Story (1 of 6)

**Instructions:** After reading this story, we will ask you a series of questions. The story will remain on the screen after you press continue. Note the story is intended for a **teenage and young adult audience** (approximately 15 to 24 years of age).

Here is the story you are reviewing:

**Topic:** Write a short story about an adventure on a different planet

Callum and his sister Beth had travelled to many planets with their mother as part of an exploratory mission. There were twelve other teenagers on the ship and they had grown up with each other, experiencing the thrill and dangers of space travel together. As they got older their parents allowed them to take part more in their work. The first time they actually got to do this was on a previously unknown planet called Xephyr . The aliens living on Xephyr were curious to meet the crew and their families and Callum and Beth found that their teenage equivalent on Xephyr were not that different from themselves and they enjoyed making new friends . However, the next uncharted planet was very different...

Please read the story carefully and then advance to the next page.

(You will need to wait at least 10s before you can click the Next button)

**Next**

# Story (1 of 6) Review

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Please indicate you how much you agree with the following statements on the following scale: 1=Not at all, 5=Moderately, 9=Extremely:

	Not at all									Extremely
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
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<b>This story has changed what I expect of future stories I will read.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>This story is boring.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>This story is well written.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>I enjoyed reading this story.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>This story has a surprising twist.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									

Next

# Story (1 of 6) Review

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<b>How novel do you think the story is?</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>How original do you think the story is?</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>How rare (e.g. unusual) do you think the story is?</b>	<input type="radio"/>									

Next

# Story (1 of 6) Review

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>How appropriate do you think the story is for the intended audience?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>How feasible to do you think the story is to be developed into a complete book?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>How likely do you think would it be that the story is turned into a complete book if a publisher read it and hired a professional author to expand on the idea?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								

Next

## Part 2: Additional instructions

Thank you for completing Part 1.

In Part 2 of the study, we will show you again the **same 6 short stories**.

This time you will be asked **different questions** than before.

After that, you will answer a short follow-up survey and demographic questions.

**Next**

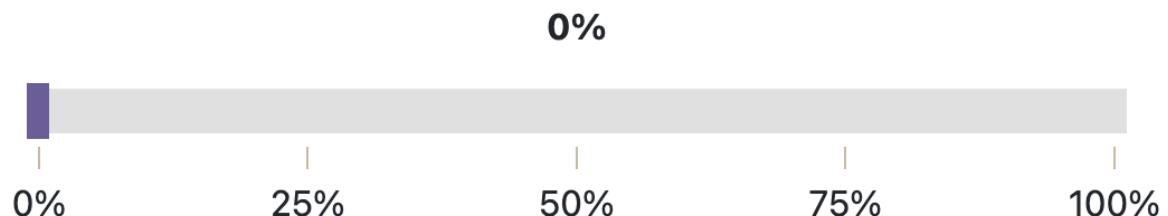
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Please indicate the extent (if any) to which you think this story was based on inputs from an AI tool (e.g. ChatGPT or similar generative AI tool):



**Next**

Example of a story from the *Human Only* condition: the writer said they did not use an outside AI tool

## Story (1 of 6) Review

Here is the story you are reviewing:

**Topic:** Write a short story about an adventure on a different planet

Many years into the future, a new planet was discovered. The planet was very far away, and not many people knew of its existence. When the first colonists started to arrive there, it was still very wild and dangerous. Despite the danger, many people were drawn to there in pursuit of wealth and adventure. Many others were trying to escape into the unknown wilderness. The rapid advancement of technology had improved many aspects of society on paper, but left some people disillusioned with their lives. These people wanted to return to a more primitive and meaningful way of life. The newly discovered remote planet provided many with the opportunity.

The author of this story was **NOT** provided with **access to AI assistance**. To the best of our knowledge, the author **did not** consult any other AI tool. In short, the author **wrote this story without any input from AI**.

	Not at all								Extremely
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>To what extent do you think the story reflects the author's own ideas?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>To what extent does the author have an "ownership" claim to the final story?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								

Next

Example of a story from the *Human Only* condition: the writer said they did use an outside AI tool

## Story (3 of 6) Review

Here is the story you are reviewing:

**Topic:** Write a short story about an adventure on the open seas

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The author of this story was **NOT** provided with **access to AI assistance**. But the author indicated that **they consulted another AI tool**. In short, the author may have **written the story with input from AI**.

	Not at all								Extremely
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>To what extent do you think the story reflects the author's own ideas?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>To what extent does the author have an "ownership" claim to the final story?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								

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Example of a story from the *Human with 1 or 5 AI idea(s)* condition but the author did not access the GenAI idea

## Story (2 of 6) Review

Here is the story you are reviewing:

**Topic:** Write a short story about an adventure on a different planet

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The author of this story was provided with **access to AI assistance**, which could come up with a starting point for their story. The author **did NOT** choose to make use of the AI assistance. To the best of our knowledge, the author **did not** consult any other AI tool. In short, the author **wrote this story without any input from AI**.

	Not at all								Extremely
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>To what extent do you think the story reflects the author's own ideas?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>To what extent does the author have an "ownership" claim to the final story?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								

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## Example of a story from the *Human with 1 GenAI idea* condition: the writer requested a GenAI idea

### Story (3 of 6) Review

Here is the story you are reviewing:

**Topic:** Write a short story about an adventure in the jungle

Within the heart of an ancient abandoned jungle, an explorer called Robert was exploring this jungle which once had many tribes on it. While exploring this jungle he found what was left of some of these tribes, abandoned huts, old fire places, and bones. He didn't know what could have caused all of the tribes to die out. As he was walking, Robert felt a strange presence in the jungle, he saw some footsteps going deep in the jungle.

He followed the footsteps until he found a temple which was built inside a mountain. He walked inside of the temple he saw 3 paths going into different directions, each of the paths were lit up by torches, he knew what that meant. Robert took the path that went straight, but said that these paths went extremely deep into the mountain, until he heard some sounds, that were of the remaining people of this jungle, he thought to himself that they might be the people that killed all the other tribes. Robert watched from afar as the people were having their meal, when he stumbled and they heard him and turned around, He saw what looked to be the leader of the tribe walking towards him. Robert didn't try to run away but question the people to understand what was happening, the leader said that they didn't know about the other tribes being dead, and they were very friendly with him, they invited him to have his meal with them, and offered him to stay the night, he accepted the offer, he went to sleep, and after that the leader of the tribe killed him in his sleep.

The author of this story was provided with **access to AI assistance**, which could come up with a starting point for their story. The author **chose to make use** of the AI assistance and the AI assistance provided the following prompt(s) to the author:

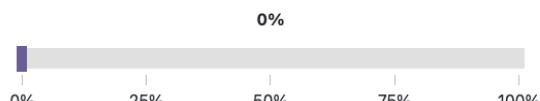
#### AI suggestion 1

While exploring a mysterious ancient temple deep in the heart of the jungle, a group of friends accidentally awakens a long-forgotten entity that guards the temple. Now they must race against time to decrypt hidden clues and solve cryptic puzzles to deactivate the ancient curse before it destroys everything in its path. Friendships are tested, secrets are revealed, and through their daring adventure, the group discovers hidden strengths within themselves that give them the courage to save their lives and secure the temple's treasures.

In short, the author may have **written the story with input from AI**.

	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Extremely
To what extent do you think the story reflects the author's own ideas?	<input type="radio"/>										
To what extent does the author have an "ownership" claim to the final story?	<input type="radio"/>										

If this story were published and sold tomorrow, how much of the story's profit do you believe should belong to **the author** versus **the creators of the generative AI tool** that may have provided the starting point for the story?



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# Example of a story from the *Human with 5 GenAI ideas* condition: the writer requested five GenAI ideas

## Story (1 of 6) Review

Here is the story you are reviewing:

**Topic:** Write a short story about an adventure on a different planet

Callum and his sister Beth had travelled to many planets with their mother as part of an exploratory mission. There were twelve other teenagers on the ship and they had grown up with each other, experiencing the thrill and dangers of space travel together. As they got older their parents allowed them to take part more in their work. The first time they actually got to do this was on a previously unknown planet called Xephyr . The aliens living on Xephyr were curious to meet the crew and their families and Callum and Beth found that their teenage equivalent on Xephyr were not that different from themselves and they enjoyed making new friends . However, the next uncharted planet was very different...

The author of this story was provided with **access to AI assistance**, which could come up with a starting point for their story. The author **chose to make use** of the AI assistance and the AI assistance provided the following prompt(s) to the author:

### AI suggestion 1

Three friends, Abigail, Elliot, and Maddox, accidentally stumble upon an intergalactic portal, landing on the mysterious Planet Zephyr. Battling harsh alien terrain, inhospitable creatures and limited oxygen supplies, they embark on a daring mission to locate a legendary power source reportedly capable of returning them back to Earth. The trio's bravery, intelligence, and unyielding spirit are put to the ultimate test, in a high-stakes, high-adrenaline off-world adventure unlike anything they'd ever imagined.

### AI suggestion 2

When a group of young astronauts land on the uncharted planet Xerxes V, they discover a vibrant ecosystem filled with sentient plant life. Challenged by the complex society of these plants and a rapidly dwindling oxygen supply, the group must harness their courage, intellect and adaptability to understand the alien civilization and work with them to survive. The unexpected unity of human and plant life on Xerxes V results in an astonishing adventure depicting interstellar diplomacy and the overwhelming power of cooperation.

### AI suggestion 3

Three earthlings inadvertently stumble upon a portal leading to an exotic yet perilous planet named Zephyros. Their brave adventures are filled with encounters of strange, alien species, near-death experiences due to the planet's unpredictable weather, and the resolution of an age-old Zephyri conflict. Eventually, they return to Earth with tales of their remarkable interstellar adventures and hitherto unknown insights about the cosmos.

### AI suggestion 4

In quest of finding signs of life beyond Earth, a group of astronauts embark on a thrilling journey to Prolion-6, an unexplored planet in a distant galaxy. They encounter a complex ecosystem of intelligent, peaceful alien species and discover ancient technologies far advanced than humanity's. Their adventure reveals a profound interstellar culture with cosmic potential, prompting both awe and existential thoughts.

### AI suggestion 5

Three human explorers journey to an uncharted planet, Epsilon Prime, in search of precious minerals. They encounter alien life that communicates through color-changing patterns on their skin, causing initial conflict due to misunderstood intentions. Through cooperation, both parties learn to understand each other, leading to a newfound interspecies alliance and the successful completion of the explorer's mission.

In short, the author may have **written the story with input from AI**.

	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Extremely
To what extent do you think the story reflects the author's own ideas?	<input type="radio"/>										
To what extent does the author have an "ownership" claim to the final story?	<input type="radio"/>										

If this story were published and sold tomorrow, how much of the story's profit do you believe should belong to **the author** versus **the creators of the generative AI tool** that may have provided the starting point for the story?



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# AI Overview

Please indicate you how much you agree with the following statements on the following scale: 1=Not at all, 5=Moderately, 9=Extremely:

	Not at all									Extremely
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
<b>If a human creator (author) uses AI in part of the writing of a story, the AI-generated content should be accessible alongside the final story.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>It is ethically acceptable to use AI to come up with an initial idea for a story.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>If AI is used in any part of the writing of a story, the creators of the content on which the AI output was based on should be compensated.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>If AI is used in any part of the writing of a story, the final story no longer counts as a “creative act”.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>Relying on the use of AI to write a new story is unethical.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									
<b>It is ethically acceptable to use AI to write and publicly disseminate an entire story without acknowledging the use of AI.</b>	<input type="radio"/>									

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# Follow-up survey

	Not at all								Extremely
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
<b>How creative do you consider yourself?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>How much creativity is required in your job?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>How comfortable are you with new technologies?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								
<b>How much (if at all) have you previously engaged with AI or similar technologies?</b>	<input type="radio"/>								

**Have you used any of the following AI tools in the past? (Check all that apply)**

- None
- ChatGPT
- Dall-E
- OpenAI's playground (e.g. DaVinci, Currie, Ada)
- Stable Diffusion
- NightCafe
- Jasper
- Microsoft Bing Chat
- Google Bard
- You.com
- Midjourney
- Other

Ai Tools Other Name

**Have you used any of the following categories of AI tools in the past? (Check all that apply)**

- None
- Text
- Image
- Audio
- Music
- Video

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## Demographics

What gender do you identify with?

- Female
- Male
- Prefer not to say
- Other (please specify below)

Other gender

What is your current age? (enter a number of years)

What is your highest level of education?

- Less than A levels
- Vocational training
- A levels
- Undergraduate degree
- Postgraduate Master's degree
- Professional degree (e.g. MBA, JD)
- Doctorate

What is your current employment status?

- Employed full time
- Employed part time
- Unemployed looking for work
- Unemployed not looking for work
- Retired
- Student
- Disabled

What is your current job title?

What is your current annual income?

- Less than £10,000
- £10,000-£24,999
- £25,000-£49,999
- £50,000-£74,999
- £75,000-£99,999
- £100,000-£124,999
- £125,000-£149,999
- More than £150,00

Do you have any additional comments about this survey?

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