



# Worksheet: Worldbuilding and Visual Imagery

## PART 1: Define Your World's Foundation

What is the setting of your story? (Time, location, and genre)

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What is the overall tone or aesthetic of your world?

☐ Gritty & dark ☐ Bright & whimsical ☐ Mysterious & surreal ☐ Futuristic & clean ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

What level of worldbuilding will your story require?

☐ Entire new universe ☐ Alternate version of Earth ☐ Specific city or region ☐ A closed environment (like a spaceship, school, bunker)  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## PART 2: Worldbuilding with ChatGPT

Use this space to brainstorm a ChatGPT prompt that fits your story:

Prompt Template:

*"Help me build the world for a [genre] story set in [setting]. I want details about [city/region/culture/politics/environment]. The tone is [tone]."*

Your Custom Prompt:

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Paste or summarize the output ChatGPT gave you:

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List 2–3 world elements you want to keep and develop further:

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## PART 3: Visualizing with Midjourney (Optional but Powerful)

Write a Midjourney prompt to visualize one part of your world:

Prompt Template:

*"/ imagine A [adjective] [location type] with [key features], [time of day], [lighting], [style]."*

Your Visual Prompt:

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What do you notice or feel when looking at your AI-generated image?

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Describe that location using all five senses:

Sight: \_\_\_\_\_

Sound: \_\_\_\_\_

Smell: \_\_\_\_\_

Touch: \_\_\_\_\_

Taste (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

#### **PART 4: Layer Your World**

Macro Layer:

What is the big-picture backdrop (planet, country, conflict, timeline)?

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Meso Layer:

What are the dominant cultures, belief systems, factions, or power structures?

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Micro Layer:

Describe a moment in a single scene. What do we feel right now in the environment?

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#### **PART 5: Final Reflection**

Does this world enhance your story's tension, theme, or emotion? How?

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What questions do you still need to answer about your world?

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How will this setting shape your main character's journey?

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