

1 Complete the information about this book.

## The Puffin Keeper

*The Puffin Keeper* is a book by .....

It is a story in the .....

a small group of islands near Cornwall in .....

The book is about .....

The people in the story are .....

It is a book for .....



**2a** Look at the pictures. Write the names from the box.

Mother Allen	Mr Carter Benjamin	Grandmother and Grandfather Mr Mortimer
-----------------	-----------------------	--



.....  
 .....

**2b** Who are these sentences about? Write the names from 2a.

1 Most teachers at the school were not kind to me, but he was always nice.

.....

2 She did not have much money, she was often not well and sad.

.....

3 They were cold grey people, and their house was cold and grey too.

.....

4 He was a lighthouse keeper on Puffin Island. He helped sailors and painted pictures.

.....

5 He was a child of five years old on the *Pelican* in a storm near Puffin Island.

.....






6 He was the headmaster at the boarding school and his big eyebrows moved up and down a lot!

.....

**2c** What does Allen think about the other people in the story?

.....  
 .....  
 .....  
 .....

3a Complete the table.

	Who is in the picture?	What is happening?	Why is this part of the story important?
			
			
			
			
			

3b Which is your favourite scene in the book and why?

.....

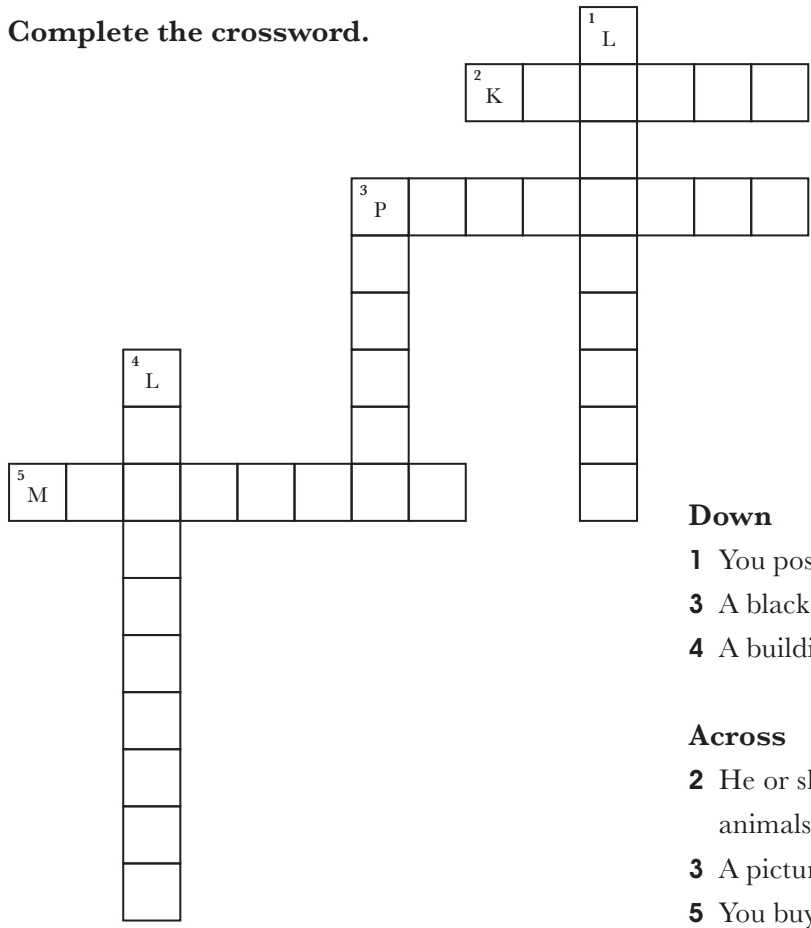
.....

.....

.....

.....


**4 Complete the crossword.**



- Down**
- 1 You post letters here.
  - 3 A black and white bird.
  - 4 A building on an island. It makes ships safe.
- Across**
- 2 He or she looks after a place and the animals, people or things there.
  - 3 A picture.
  - 5 You buy and read news stories in this.

**5 Read the advertisement about the job as keeper on Puffin Island. Write an email.**

**WANTED –  
PUFFIN KEEPER**



Would you like to live in  
a lighthouse on a beautiful island?

Do you like puffins and other birds?

Can you row, swim, catch fish, cook,  
and paint or take photos of the puffins all year?

Sometimes you can't leave the island  
for a few days because of storms. Do you feel  
OK about that or are you frightened?

Sometimes you can't telephone for help  
from the island. Are you OK about that?

If the answer to these questions is yes,  
send an email to [allenwilliams@puffinisland.com](mailto:allenwilliams@puffinisland.com)

To: [allenwilliams@puffinisland.com](mailto:allenwilliams@puffinisland.com)

---

Subject: Puffin keeper job

---

Send

6 Make a poster telling people about Puffin Island.

