

The Wizard of Oz Setting Descriptions



Dorothy's home stood in isolation in the middle of the **dreary** Kansas prairies. In all directions, the **dry** grassland stretched as far as the eye could see. The **flat, empty** landscape was a **dusty** grey with only a few **lonely** trees dotted here and there on the horizon. Scorched by the **hot** sun, the tips of the grass were burned and crispy and **immense** cracks ran across the **parched** ground.

The whole place appeared **neglected** and **forgotten**. It was yet to be repaired after a **devastating** cyclone had torn through the farm. **Rickety** fences had been torn from their posts, windows were **cracked** and layers of **dirty** dust formed blankets over nearly every surface. Even the house was **dull** and **grey**, almost camouflaged against its **boring** backdrop.



There was something **wondrous** about this **peculiar** and **unfamiliar** place. Everything seemed to twinkle under the warmth of the **bright** and **pleasant** sunshine. **Tall** trees created **comfortable, shady** patches on the **luscious** green grass. Unlike home, this **beautiful** land was filled with **glorious** colours. There were **magnificent** flowers of every kind and **rare** birds, with **brilliant** plumage, flitted between the trees and bushes.

A **small, sparkling** brook wound its way through the landscape and its **gentle** babbling had a **calming** influence on anyone who stood nearby.