Create Your Own Magical Story!

We've given you a spooky start to a story from Eva Ibbotson's magical world. Write what you think will happen next. It can be about anything you want – maybe some ghosts want to move into the castle, or a wizard thinks it will make the perfect workshop ...

On a bleak and rocky spit of land which stretched like an arm into the grey North Sea, stood the ancient castle of Carra. There was no wilder or more lonely place in the whole of Scotland. `

Waves dashed themselves against Carra's grim towers; seabirds nested in the arrow slits on the ramparts, and on a stormy night the piled-up skulls in the gatehouse rattled together like billiard balls. The castle had belonged to the MacBuffs of Carra for six hundred years and . . .

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