



THE LAST KELPIE

PHASE 1

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IMD08119 COURSEWORK

PROJECT OUTLINE

My project will be creating visual designs for an animated series about a water horse creature (Kelpie) named Kean who saves a young Scottish girl and develops a friendship with her.

It is believed that Kelpies are malicious creatures and no one should come across it. In this story, Kelpies have become extinct long ago as they were killed by locals. One Kelpie survived and had been in hide out for many years until he encounters a little girl and befriends her. They both look out for each other and go on adventures together.

This animated series will be in 2D and it is targeted for children and families. The story shows how stereotypes aren't always true and encourages young children to stay kind and faithful.

CHARACTERS

KEAN

He is the last Kelpie and has been hiding from humans for years. He was very young when his kind were killed. He is easily frightened and can turn invisible when he feels in danger. He doesn't know how powerful he truly is, but with the help of Aileen he will soon learn his capabilities.

He isn't like what many people believe, he is rather soft hearted and won't harm a human being. He would do anything to protect Aileen and will stay faithful to her.

AILEEN

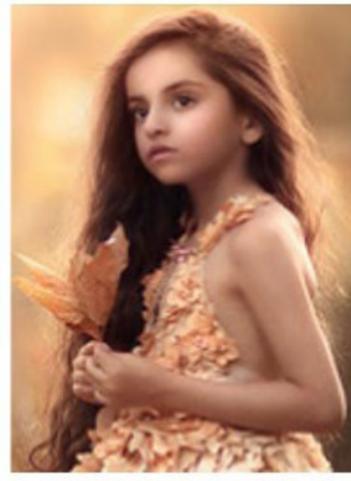
Aileen is eight years old who is full of life, curious and loves to go on adventures. Her parents passed away and she has been trying to survive on her own. She refuses to stay in an orphanage as she believes that she will feel trapped in there. She loves her freedom as there is no one to boss her around! Although, she can feel lonely at times as she doesn't have a family who can love her dearly until she meets Kean. She adores him and values their friendship.

KEAN



CHARACTER MOODBOARD

AILEEN



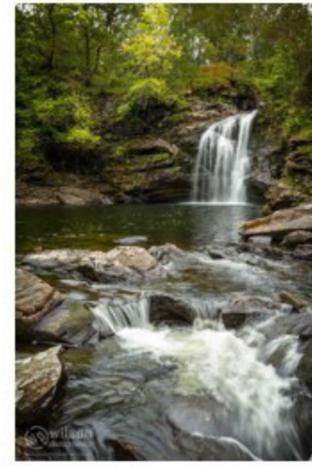
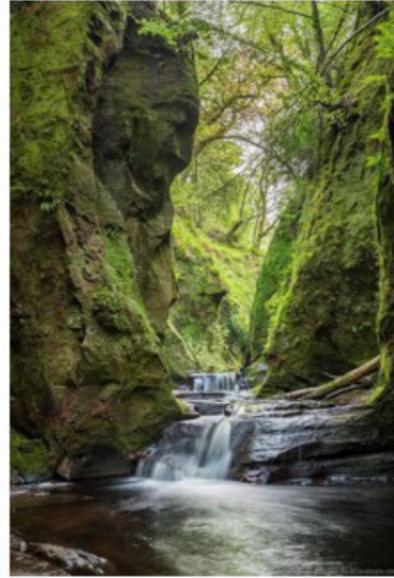
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Reference



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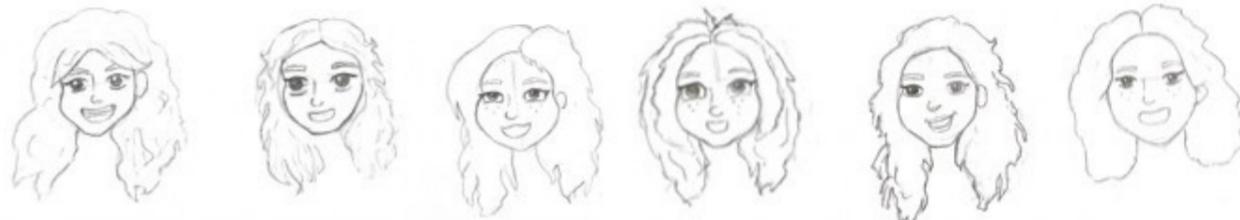


SCENERY MOODBOARD

KEAN



AILEEN



CONCEPT



Kean rescues Aileen from drowning



Aileen meets Kean for the first time



Kean and Aileen loves to go on adventures together

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