

Trimpolli's Tower

Setting description

Everybody knows about Trimpolli's Tower, but very few people have been inside it or even stepped onto the island that it is built on. Who lives there? Why is it there? No one really knows.

It is easy to find the tower as its tallness means that you can see it from many miles away. You can see the tower in any weather, but reaching it is hard. That is because there is only one rickety, wooden bridge stretching across to the island. If you want to cross it, you must tread very lightly and just step on the edge of each plank or you might fall into the stormy water below.

The island has been left to the wild and now a huge forest covers most of it. Dark green grass grows in great clumps, towering trees block out most of the light and overgrown plants creep up the tower's crumbling walls. It stretches high into the air, even higher than the clouds! The building's mightiness means it will never be lost or forgotten about.

When you get closer to Trimpolli's Tower, you can see how beautiful it is even though it is so old. Pretty flowers are painted on the walls, but these have been faded by the weather.

The walls are light green, so they blend in with the trees around it and make it look like it belongs there. On the pointed roof, there are cracked, emerald tiles. Some of the broken roof tiles lie scattered on the floor surrounding the tower.

Finally, there is a huge, wooden door with a large, gold knocker in the middle of it. If you've reached that far, then you've done better than most people. Now, it just remains to be seen whether you are brave enough to find out what lurks behind the door...|

