

# *The Lorax*

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*The Lorax*, by Dr. Seuss  
Published in 1971, First aired in 1972

## Characters

- Swomee-Swans
- Humming-Fish
- Brown Bar-ba-loots
- Truffula Trees
- Lorax
- Once-ler
- Boy

## Before you watch!

The first few lines of the *Lorax* are:

*"At the far end of town  
where the Grickle-grass grows  
and the wind smells slow-and-sour when it blows  
and no birds ever sing excepting old crows...  
is the Street of the Lifted Lorax."*

1. What do YOU think they mean by "lifted"? What do you think happened to the Lorax?
  
2. What do YOU think is a Lorax?
  
3. After reading the above description, would you want to live at the far end of town? Why or why not!