

# WitQuest — Concept Poster

*Print this and pin it up — an at-a-glance map of the WitQuest cast and the ideas each one carries. Come back to it whenever you want to remember who teaches what.*

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## Meet the cast — and what each one teaches

| Character | What they carry                                                                                                  |
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| Quirk     | Puns and double-meanings                                                                                         |
| Knot      | Riddles (compressed-info puzzles where you decode the answer from constrained clues)                             |
| Switch    | Anagrams (rearranging letters to form a different word — "listen" → "silent")                                    |
| Lilt      | Idioms and figurative language (phrases whose literal meaning ≠ their actual meaning — "raining cats and dogs")  |
| Hop       | Lateral thinking (finding a non-obvious angle on a problem; sidestepping the assumed framing)                    |
| Trip      | The rule of three (two beats set a pattern; the third breaks it — the break is the laugh)                        |
| Dry       | Deadpan delivery (saying something ridiculous with a calm, serious face — the flat delivery is the joke)         |
| Boomerang | The callback (bringing back an earlier joke later, when it's half-forgotten — funnier the second time)           |
| Topper    | The topper / escalation (capping a joke with an even bigger one, raising the stakes each time)                   |
| Straight  | The straight man / the setup (reacting normally so the absurdity stands out — comedy needs someone to be normal) |

## Key ideas at a glance

*The big concepts this cast helps you master:*

- Pattern Recognition
- Riddles & Brain Teasers
- Lateral Thinking
- Strategy Games

- Codes & Ciphers
  - Mathematical Puzzles
  - Creative Problem Solving
  - Advanced Logic
  - Wordplay & Language
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