

Spelling list: Characters in A Great and Terrible Beauty

In *A Great and Terrible Beauty* by Libba Bray, Gemma Doyle, a Victorian-era girl, discovers her mystical abilities and a hidden realm of magic. Alongside her friends, she uncovers dark secrets at her boarding school, Spence Academy, leading to a perilous journey into a supernatural world that challenges societal norms and friendships.

Gemma	Gemma Doyle, the novel's protagonist, is a young English girl who discovers her magical abilities and a mysterious destiny.
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Felicity	Felicity Worthington is Gemma's roommate and close friend at Spence Academy.
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Ann	Ann Bradshaw is a quiet and reserved girl who is loyal to Gemma.
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Pippa	Pippa Cross is the fourth member of Gemma's close-knit group of friends at Spence Academy.
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Kartik	Kartik is a member of the Rakshana: a secret organisation assigned to watch over Gemma and guide her in her magical abilities.
Eugenia	Eugenia Spence is the headmistress of Spence Academy.
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Circe	Circe is a mysterious and powerful figure who appears in Gemma's visions and dreams.
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Tom	Tom Doyle is Gemma's younger brother.
McCleethy	Miss McCleethy is a teacher at Spence Academy who becomes suspicious of the girls' activities.