In a Different Light

Directions: During family time, watch a few minutes of a sitcom or commercial, or a few clips from your favorite movie, to see what kind of lighting is used. Write what you see in the chart below. Compare notes with a family member to see how your responses are similar or different.

Television show, movie, commercial, or DVD	Type of lighting	How does the lighting make you feel?
Example: Olympic Winter Games (Figure Skating)	Soft spotlight	Relaxed and calm

Challenge

Choose one scene from above.

Think

- How does the lighting help show details such as colors, emotions, or weather?
- Would you change the lighting in any way to create a different type of mood?

Discuss

• Share your thoughts in a presentation to your class.



Student Activity