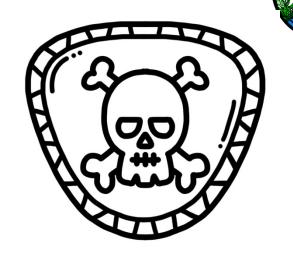
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## Why Did Pirates Wear Eye Patches? Experiment

Pirates frequently had to move above and below decks, from daylight to near darkness. It is said that they wore a patch over one eye to keep it dark-adapted outside.

## **Supply:**

Eye patch

## **Exploration Requirement:**

- Trying walking from a bright hallway into a darkened room with an eye patch.
- They try walking from a bright hallway into a darkened room with an eye patch.

Describe what you could see while moving from a bright area to a darkened one without an eye patch.	

Describe what you could see while moving from a bright area to a darkened one with an eye patch.	

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