

# Iris Blackwood and the Mystery at the Mansion

IF / THEN BOOKS · IRIS BLACKWOOD MYSTERY ADVENTURES · DECISION TREE

*Every choice you made shaped Iris's path. Here's the whole map of every possible adventure — every decision, every twist, every ending.*

- Decision point ● Level 1 — Desk Agent ● Level 2 — Junior Detective ● Level 3 — Mystery-Solver  
● Level 4 — Sleuth ● Level 5 — Super Sleuth

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ENDING LEVELS

## How endings are leveled

### LEVEL 1

#### Desk Agent

Iris only advances in a small way, or not at all. Shut out or shut down.

### LEVEL 2

#### Junior Detective

Iris makes a few positive or lucky decisions and solves at least one part of the story.

### LEVEL 3

#### Mystery-Solver

Iris makes numerous positive decisions, solves at least two parts, undergoes a big change.

### LEVEL 4

#### Sleuth

Iris makes it all the way through. Many good and lucky decisions. Success and happiness.

# All endings, by level

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## LEVEL 1 — DESK AGENT (3 ENDINGS)

### L1 Ending #1 p. 146

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### L1 Ending #2 p. 148

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### L1 Ending #3 p. 152

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## LEVEL 2 — JUNIOR DETECTIVE (4 ENDINGS)

### L2 Ending #1 p. 54

...*endrix laughs. “Who knew?” she says. “The mansion has a secret? Theo says. “We’ll never know,” Iris says. “Me and my big mouth.” “Those keys are ours,” says Mrs. Blackwood. “We are the owners of the mansion now.” “Tell it to Thornsby,” responds Professor Graves. “He’s the one who donated it to you.”*

### L2 Ending #2 p. 56

...*e sill. “Found it! I’ll just give these to Roger Thornsby, and the secret of the mansion will live on.” “You can’t do that!” yells Iris. “Those keys are ours. We are the owners of the mansion now.” “Thornsby wants this place kept secret,” responds Professor Graves. “He made a promise, and so did I.”*

### L2 Ending #3 p. 176

...*Anita and I sent them home,” says Mrs. Blackwood. “They were an odd bunch. We can just start again after we’ve made the repairs.” “Repairs?” Iris asks. “The roofs leaking all over the place. But that’s it, Iris. We got off lucky.” “Now rest, Ms. Iris.” Iris nods and pulls the covers up to her chin.*

**L2 Ending #4** p. 181

*...what to say. They all feel terribly ashamed. The family survives the hurricane, but it takes a long time to begin getting enough visitors to keep the mansion running. The island is devastated by the flood, and it will take years before tourism picks back up and the hotel can start a modest business.*

**LEVEL 3 — MYSTERY-SOLVER (5 ENDINGS)**

**L3 Ending #1** p. 116

*..., even Aaron Brick is nowhere to be seen. Anita says he's with her—and the mansion—each and every day. She still believes he is with them all, even to this day. Even to this day, Iris has never discovered who stole her Detective Notepad. She just bought a new one, and never lets it out of her sight.*

**L3 Ending #2** p. 123

*...don't work, and they can't seem to get to make them work. Not a one. The family pays for the damaged roof, and for now they're able to pay the bills and make a modest living with the hotel. The damage to Saint Hyde Island is enormous, however, and tourism has gone down over 70% from last year alone.*

**L3 Ending #3** p. 184

*...e and after him. The two go bursting through the gate and up the long and sloping hill. The rest of the crew clambers out and makes their way up to the mansion. "Oh, this is a great place," says Roger Thornsby, "and I have a lot to share with you. Come on, smells like Anita's got something cookin'!"*

**L3 Ending #4** p. 191

*...to learn about him?" "He has a thing for weather events too," Brigitte Turner says, as if not even listening to Iris. "They seem to bring us all together," she says wistfully, looking out the stormy window. "What brings you together?" Iris says. "Storms," she says. "It's something about the storms."*

**L3 Ending #5** p. 201

*...to paint. You can read any of these books," says Gab. "It's kind of like heaven." "Only better," says Anita, holding Iris's shoulders. "Wait, is it me who's really not there?" says Iris. "Oh, dear, don't ask silly questions," says Anita. "Here's your Detective Notepad," says Gab. "Sorry I took it."*

**LEVEL 4 — SLEUTH (2 ENDINGS)**

**L4 Ending #1** p. 88

*...y. The roof provides—” Then, the power does go out. The room is cast into darkness. “Hello?” Iris cries out. “Everybody okay?” says Mrs. Blackwood. Dash barks. Theo is silent. “That’s it then,” says Anita. “They ain’t here. Well, we need to fix that roof first thing. I’ll show you what needs doing.”*

**L4** **Ending #2** p. 100

*...es him a hug... ...and grabs thin air... They are gone. Iris and her mom and Anita and Theo stand there looking at each other. No one knows what to say, and no one does. There is only the sound of clocks ticking away as if nothing out of the ordinary had happened, as if they had all the time in the world.*