Rachael Smith Level 5 Film & TV Set Design Design for Drama Set

Design for Drama Set – The Small Garden

Comprehensive Prop List

List of props – grouped in locations

(D) - Driveway

(H) – Hallway

(K) - Kitchen

(S) – Study

Prop	Details
(D) 4x4 Lexus	A brand new 4X4 Lexus parked in the driveway.
(D) Old Victorian style lamp	Black, rusty Victorian style lamp outside the front door, close to the steps up to the house. This will be covered in cob webs with a flickering light to create an eerie feeling.
(D) Bell at the front door	A bell at the front door, very rusty and covered in cobwebs.
(H) Telephone stand near the front door	Walnut or Mahogany wood with a rotary dial, corded phone on top. A notepad and a pen next to it.

Colourful tiffany lamp from the ceiling and a
lamp on the telephone stand, brass stand.
A personal touch to remember different
aspects/personalities of the brother.
Old, worn slippers alone at the bottom of the stairs.
Tall, black coat/hat stand near the front door.

(H) Carpet runner	Carpet runner up the middle of the stairs. This will help lead the eyes up to the different levels and, eventually to the door at the top of the stairs.
(H) Tiled flooring	Tiled flooring throughout the hallway – Milton tiles?
(H) Chrome/rusty radiator	Rusty radiator that makes a squeaking noise. Talcum powder could be used to create dust.
(K) Pans hung up	Pans hung up around the Aga, scratched handles etc to show they have been used by the lonely man.

(K) Aga	Cream Aga with a surround with cupboards.
(K) Aga surround	Cupboards surrounding the Aga with slight detailing in the top corners.
(K) One, single mug	A mug that is near the sink, coffee stains dripped down the sides.
(K) A wooden table with one chair	A pine table with mug stains on the work top, stacks of papers. One chair will be tucked under. This will show that the man felt quite alone, he didn't have guests over at the house very often and therefore, only needed one chair.
(K) One plate at the sink	Shows that everyone around the brother had gone/died, this should be a focus of the loneliness of the man.

(K) Black wooden back door into the garden	Thick and sturdy door, a slight gap at the bottom of the door where light shines through. Cobwebs will be covering the handles on the exterior.
(S) Measuring equipment	Charts, schematics, blue prints, needs to have lots of writing and look complicated.
(S) Stack of scrapbooks	Scrapbooks with dates, pictures stuck inside, newspaper cuttings, pictures falling out of the sides, lots of writing and notes. Slightly tatty and worn around the edges.
(S) Empty super 8 film canister	Empty film canister with camera equipment around the desk and coffee table.

(C) Draigstor with the film speeled	Film spooled, ready to go.
(S) Projector with the film spooled	
(S) A screen	A screen needs to be in front of the coffee table and the sofa.
(S) A two-seater sofa	A brown leather sofa that looks worn to show that it has been used.
(S) A big, tapestry style rug	A big, red rug that is covered in dust, white tassels at each end.

(S) A fireplace	Black fire place with ornate tiles around the fire. The hearth with be raised from the floor and will be quite a key feature in the study.
(S) Mahogany desk	Big mahogany desk that looks slightly intimidating, lots of books piled on top, in the bay windows with a brown leather chair tucked under the desk.
(S) Stacks of papers	Stacks of papers everywhere, organised chaos, charts, numbers, hand written notes all over the desk.
(S) Talcum powder	This could be used in the scrapbooks to show the dust, could be dusted along the rugs, carpets and all of the furniture.