

Types of Texts: Features

Match the type of text (1-5) to the corresponding features (A-E)

1. Stories with a Moral

A.

- They provide detailed information about the way things are or were.
- They help readers/listeners understand what is being described by organising or categorising information.
- The events are not presented in chronological order.

2. Biographies

B.

- They inform.
- They have a headline, subhead, photograph, caption and body.

3. Adventure Stories

C.

- They set out to teach the reader or listener a lesson they should learn about life.
- If the main characters are animals, they behave like humans.

4. Non-Chronological Reports

D.

- Purpose: to give information about the life of another person to an audience.
- Opening sums up why the person should be remembered.
- Ending highlights the effect of the person on the future. (Legacy)

5. Newspaper Articles

E.

- Their purpose is to entertain.
- The story can take place in any setting where there is the potential for adventure through a danger or threat.