

Film and book genres



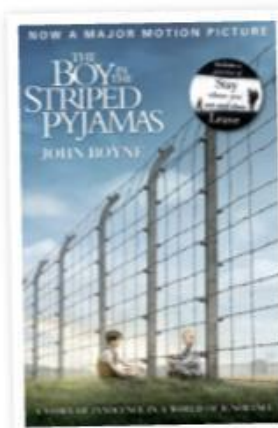
1. Most films you watch are adapted from fiction books. Complete the definitions of the most common book genres used in screenplays with the missing parts below (1 to 7).

- a) **Adventure**: The story shows a series of events _____ and almost always moving at high pace.
- b) **Historical fiction**: The story is set in the past, keeping _____ and other details of that period unchanged.
- c) **Mystery**: It has a suspenseful plot which _____. Suspects and motives are considered, and clues throughout the story lead to a solution to the problem.
- d) **Fantasy**: The story is set in a world that is not real and _____ and supernatural events.
- e) **Young adult**: It is written for teenage readers and deals with themes correlating with _____, such as friendship, first love, relationships and identity.
- f) **Realistic fiction**: The story seems real, but isn't actually real. It is _____ and its characters seem like real people.
- g) **Science fiction**: It deals with imaginative and futuristic concepts, such as _____, extra-terrestrial life, etc.

- 1 often involves a crime
- 2 the manners, social conditions
- 3 often set in modern times
- 4 advanced science and technology, time travel

- 5 often includes magic, magical creatures
- 6 mostly accompanied by danger and physical action
- 7 the age and experience of the protagonist

2. According to the definitions above, which genres do these books-to-films/series fit in best?



a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____