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Complete the sentences by choosing the correct movie genre.

"Shrek" is a very funny film that makes people laugh. Shrek i s a _____.

Catherine Zeta Jones, Renée Zellweger and Richard Gere trained for months to perform all the songs and dances in the _____ "Chicago".

"Die Hard" is a popular _____ film with plenty of guns, explosions and high-speed car chases.

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"Saving Private Ryan" is a _____ about soldiers fighting in WWII.

Natalie Portman plays an obsessive ballerina who is slowly going insane in the _____ "The Black Swan".

"The Exorcist" is probably one of the scariest _____ films of all time.

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Clint Eastwood has acted in many _____ i ncluding "The Good, the Bad and the Ugly".

The _____ "The Kings Speech" is based on the true story of British king George VI and his speech defect.

"The Lion King" is an award-winning _____ with amazing animation and an unmissable soundtrack.

"The Lord of the Rings" is a _____ film based on the novels of J.R.R. Tolkein.

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The groundbreaking _____ film "The Matrix" won many awards for it's superb special effects.

Kate Winslet and Leonardo DiCaprio play ill-fated lovers in the _____ "Titanic".

"You've got Mail" is a _____ that's full of laughs, love and a few tears.

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Read the following text about film-making.

It's not easy to be successful in the film industry. You need to know what you're doing. It all begins with finding a good **script** to work with. If you have a good idea for a film, you could write the script yourself, otherwise there are plenty of eager **screenwriters** just waiting for their work to be noticed!

The next step is money. You need some sort of **budget** that tells you how much money you have available to pay your actors and **film crew**. You may also need to rent filming equipment such as cameras and lights. You will also need to set aside an amount to **promote** the film when it is released: interviews with the **cast**, posters and memorabilia, etc. It is the producer's job to sort out the funding of the project. The producer is the head of the whole project. If you raise and organise all the money, then you are the producer.

Once you've found a script you like, and have secured the funding you require, you need to develop the **plot** and choosing the right people to play each role. Having a good and harmonious **cast** will make the **director**'s job a lot easier! You need to hire people to design and make the costumes, as well as for hair and makeup, so that your actors can look more like the characters they are playing.

If your film isn't in English, you may want to hire someone to **translate** the script it into subtitles that can be shown at the bottom of the screen. Films used to be **dubbed** into other languages, but audiences found that the actors sounded unnatural and that the voice and lip-movements were out of synch. It is much more popular for a film to be subtitled nowadays.

Find the word in bold in the text that matches the following definition:

I. The people who work on a film set e.g. cameramen : _____

II. Advertise; tell people about your film so that they will go and watch it: _____

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III. Change the script and dialogue from one language to another: _____

IV. The actors who work on a film: _____

V. When an actor voices-over another actor's lines in a different language: _____

VI. The main storyline of the film: _____

VII. The written version of a film, usually contains each actor's lines: _____

VIII. The amount of money that you have to spend on a project: _____

IX. The person who tells the actors where to stand, what to do and how to act whilst making the film: _____

X. The people who writes stories for film and television: _____

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