Read about other TV programmes the British watch. Match the types of programmes with their descriptions.



A. Do It Yourself programmes. They are very popular as many people love renovating their homes and decorating.

B. Plays performed on the radio or television and amusing television or radio shows in which the same characters appear in each programme in a different story. E.g. *Men Behaving Badly, Inspector Morse, Cracker, the Royal Family, Poirot*, etc.

C. A series of television or radio programmes about the lives and problems of a particular group of characters. They run over a long period and are broadcast several times every week. The most popular are *Eastenders* and *Coronation Street*.

D. Programmes filming normal people in their every-day lives or putting several people in a specially built house where they can be filmed 24 hours-a-day and giving them challenges to do. The most famous of these is *Big Brother*.

E. Programmes hosted by a TV personality (or **host) featuring** guests who talk about their lives. E.g. *The Oprah Winfrey Show*.

F. TV programmes featuring competitive games and quizzes. E.g. *The Weakest Link, Who Wants to Be a Millionaire*.

G. Programmes about wild animals or pets, often hosted by a well-known TV personality. E.g. *Monkey Business, Big Cat Diary*.

H. A 'telethon' show during which people phone in and donate money. E.g. *Live Aid, Children in Need.*

I. Phone-in TV shows where people can either buy featured items or bid for them.

J. TV shows featuring **live** or recorded music. E.g. *MTV Unplugged, The BBC Proms*.

K. TV shows featuring topics such as fashion, exercise, health and leisure. E.g. *Top Gear, You are What You Eat*.

L. Programmes about gardening, often fronted by a well-known personality. E.g. *Gardener's World*.

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