

# UNIT 1 : BIOPICS IN HOLLYWOOD

## Introductory Document

### METHODOLOGY :

#### How to Present a Visual Document ?



#### A WORD FROM THE TEACHER : Below is a recap of the previous (précédentes) lessons :

1. You presented the poster of "My week with Marilyn" which is in the top right-hand corner of this worksheet.
2. You studied the methodology and vocabulary to improve (améliorer) your presentation of a visual document.
3. Now, you have below my presentation of that film poster. Complete it with what you learnt in this methodology lesson. The purpose (=aim= objective) is that you work on my presentation of the poster in order to (pour) improve your own (propre) presentation of future documents. Restart until (jusqu'à) you get 10/10.

#### Now, complete my presentation of the picture above.

Our document is a film ..... (not a trailer). We don't know who the film ..... is nor the date the movie was ..... as it's not written. The movie **must** ..... a ..... = ..... w ..... Marilyn Monroe's life as the it is en ..... « My week with Marilyn ».

In the f \_\_\_\_\_, on the r \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_, we can see a close up of the face of a woman against a black b \_\_\_\_\_. She looks ..... the world-famous American actress, Marilyn Monroe, with her recognizable blond hair and beauty spot on the cheek. She's got a finger on her lips that may be painted red. We can't know for sure as it is a black and white photo but, in any case, it is a dark colour. Her gaze is looking ..., towards something that lies beyond the space of the poster.

The text of the poster is all on the l \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ and mainly in white, the b \_\_\_\_\_ being black. The word that stands out the most is "Marilyn" as it is written in the largest font size. Above that name we can read "My week with". It is written in smaller font size and in red. And below the word "Marilyn", is written "in theaters now" meaning the film is in cinemas now. We can therefore deduce that "My week with Marilyn" is the title of the movie. Just above that title, we can read "Michelle Williams" with the second biggest font size meaning that she is the main character / the lead actress/the leading actress/ the lead of the movie. That means Michelle Williams plays the role of Marilyn Monroe, in a movie about a week in Marilyn's life. Just below the lead's name, are written the adjectives "Luminous" "Brilliant" "Superb" and under each of these adjectives ..... unreadable words printed in red. These words might be the authors of these compliments, probably film critic magazines or newspapers, as ..... quotations marks. Above the name of the lead actress, ..... four stars which must mean that the critic, whose name is not readable, awarded a very good rating to the movie. The words "Extraordinary, exhilarated, rejuvenated" stand out in this critic. And.... .... of the poster, are se v r l ..... names, some unreadable. They must be the names of the main cast. The b \_\_\_\_\_ of the film poster features other unreadable information.

The purpose of this poster is to advertise the film in order to get the audience to go and see it. Michelle Williams's upward gaze is quite intriguing. We wonder what she is thinking about. It reinforces all the compliments  **LIVEWORKSHEETS**

Marilyn Monroe's life and **death**. The poster **m\_\_\_s** **me want to** see the movie to learn more about the **iconic** actress.

**FINAL TASK:** When, you've reached 10, that means you did the exercise with no mistakes, read the text with the answers and learn from my text in order to improve your expression.