

BOOKS AND READING

1. Match the literary genres and book related words to its definitions:

serious and important writing	detective and mystery
stories about imaginary people and events	science fiction
fiction books	author
the hero attempts to stop and defeat the villain	fiction
stories about technology and future science	literature
someone who writes books	thrillers
stories of a person's life, written by another person	poetry
pieces of creative writing in short lines	biographies
brief prose that are shorter than novels	adventure stories
the plot always revolves around solving a crime	short stories
the characters are put in risky, dangerous situations	novels

2. Replace one wrong word in each sentence. Write the correct word at the end.

1. Many **poems** are around 300 pages. **poems - poets**
2. I enjoy science fiction because I like stories about the past
3. We went to see the film because there was a good article in the newspaper.
4. I've been reading a new autobiography of Alfred Hitchcock by Donald Spoto.
5. Biography books constantly have you on the edge of your seat with excitement, as your fave main character repeatedly finds themselves in high stakes situations.

6. Comedies should make people frightened.
7. The plot of a novel always revolves around a crime that must be solved—or foiled—by the main character

3. Listen to the recording and fill in the gaps:

Don't you think books _____ thing in the world? I can't remember a time in my life when I wasn't reading a book. _____ memories of being in my school library when I was about five years old. I have been _____ bookworm since then. You'll usually see me _____ buried in a book. I _____ of books.

Novels are great _____. know other worlds and cultures. A good book is one where you never want the _____. I also like autobiographies because I think it's interesting _____. people's lives. Encyclopedias are cool too - you can learn everything about everything in these.

_____ books to the Internet. Books need to be in your hand and _____.

4. Unscramble the underlined words. Try not to look at the text above:

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5. Unjumble the words and write down the whole text from memory. Try not to look at the text above. You can do it in your copy book:

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