1 **Match the words (1–8) to (A–H) to make correct TV and film genres.**

1 chat	A drama
2 action	B opera
3 crime	C fiction
4 reality	D show
5 period	E news
6 soap	F show
7 science	G thriller
8 the	H drama

2 **Choose the correct TV and film genres to match the definitions.**

1 It's set in the past with characters in costume.
A reality show **B** *period drama*

2 It features interviews with famous people.
A chat show **B** soap opera

3 It's a film which makes us feel scared.
A horror **B** crime drama

4 It features drawings of characters rather than real people.
A reality show **B** animation

5 It's a report about real events.
A documentary **B** science fiction

6 It's usually got a very exciting plot.
A comedy **B** action thriller

3 **Complete the sentences with the TV and film genres from the box.**

~~chat shows~~	comedy	crime drama
reality shows	soap opera	the news

1 Kayla is really into *chat shows*, especially when her favourite celebrities are guests!
2 Joe loves _____ films. They make him laugh so much!
3 We have to be quiet when Dad's watching _____. It's his one chance to catch up on all the events of the day.
4 I can't stand _____! Who wants to watch the lives of ordinary people on TV?
5 The plot of this new _____ looks so interesting. It's a three-part series about an unsolved murder.
6 Mum has been watching this _____ about the everyday lives of a group of characters in Manchester for years.

4 **Find and circle six words related to talking about films and shows in the word snake. The words read right to left ←.**

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5 **Circle the correct TV and film words.**

1 My favourite TV *clip* / *series* is the comedy, *Funny Family*.
2 We've just watched the *trailer* / *plot* for the new *Jurassic World* film, and it looks amazing!
3 The *plot* / *review* of this comedy drama is quite difficult to follow. I'm not really getting into it.
4 My brother is a big fan of Hans Solo. He's his favourite film *character* / *clip* of all time.
5 I love the *soundtrack* / *trailer* to the new Disney animation. I'm definitely going to download some of the songs.
6 The new science fiction film doesn't have very good *clips* / *reviews* so I don't think I'll go to see it.

6 **Complete the texts with the TV and film words and genres.**

Five Minutes of Fame

My dad was an extra in a [1] c*omed*y film once. He was the man who poured water on the funny guy's head! The film has a hilarious [2] p_____t, and dad's part features in the [3] t_____r, too!
I'm a big fan of films, and would love to work in the industry one day. I'm really into [4] a_____n t_____s and [5] s_____e f_____n films, so working in either of these genres would be great.

My aunt who lives in London met David Attenborough once. His [6] d_____y [7] s_____s about wildlife are known all over the world. I've seen him talking on a [8] c_____t s_____w before, and he's so fascinating!

My friend's sister, who plays the violin, features on the [9] s_____ for the new [10] p_____d d_____a about the life of Charles Dickens. The [11] r_____w for the programme sounds excellent, and my favourite actor plays the main [12] c_____r, so I can't wait to watch it!

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