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Elements and Characteristics of a Play

A. Match the parts of the script.

Read the play. Draw a line from each label to a correct example in the script.

Cast

Setting

A Helping Hand

NARRATOR, LINA, OMAR, SARA

Act 1
Scene 1

(In the school library on Tuesday morning.)

Narrator: Lina carries a tall pile of books. Suddenly, the books fall.

Lina: *(looking worried)* Oh no! I cannot pick them all up before class.

Omar: I can help you. I will collect the books.

Sara: *(kneeling beside Lina)* I will put them in a neat pile.

Lina: Thank you! Let's check that no pages are torn.

Omar: *(checking a book)* This one is fine.

Sara: Now we can carry the books together.

Narrator: The children return every book to the shelf.

Lina: Working together made the job easier!

Scenes

Dialogue

Stage directions

B. Match each characteristic to its meaning.

Write the correct letter on each line.

Characteristic	Meaning
1. Narrator _____	A. The written words and directions for actors.
2. Script _____	B. The people who watch the play.
3. Stage _____	C. The person who tells what is happening.
4. Audience _____	D. The place where actors perform.

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Understanding the Play

A Helping Hand

C. Read and choose your answer.

Use the script on the previous page. Circle A, B, or C.

1. What is the main idea of the play?

A. Lina prefers to read alone.
B. Working together makes a job easier.
C. Library books always have torn pages.



2. What problem does Lina face?

A. The library is closed.
B. She forgets where her classroom is.
C. The books she is carrying fall.

3. How does Sara help Lina?

A. She puts the books in a neat pile.
B. She reads a story to the class.
C. She takes the books home.

4. Why do the children check the books?

A. To choose their favorite story.
B. To make sure no pages are torn.
C. To find Lina's name.

D. Challenge questions

Answer each question in your own words.

1. What do we call a person who writes a play?

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2. What is another word for a play?

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