

Types of stories

Listen and choose the correct genre for each description.

Fable	Pourquoi Tale	Anecdote	Play	Legend
Myth	Fairy Tale	Fiction	Tragedy	Tall Tale

1. A short amusing or interesting account of a real-life situation. _____
2. A story that uses animals to teach valuable life lessons or a moral. _____
3. A traditional story specially originated in ancient times. _____
4. A story having historical base but may not be true. _____
5. A children's story about magical and imaginary beings and lands. _____
6. A sad story with unhappy endings. _____
7. Untrue but realistic story. _____
8. A story that explains why something is the way it is. _____
9. A written story for the theater that dramatizes events through the performance of dialogue. _____
10. A story that is difficult to believe because the events it describes seem unlikely or impossible. _____