NARRATIVE TEXT

1. The Definition of Narrative Text:

A narrative text is an imaginative story to entertain people.

(source: http://britishcourse.com/narrative-text-definition-purposes-generic-structures-language-features.php)

2. The Purposes of Narrative Text:

The purpose of a narrative text is __to amuse__ or __entertain__ the readers with the story.

(source: http://duoulala.blogspot.com/2013/07/narrative-text-definition-purposes.html)

3. The Generic Structures of Narrative Text:

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There are **4 (four)** generic structures of narrative text:

The generic structures of narrative text

1) ORIENTATION:
Sets the scene: **where** and **when** the story happened and **introduces the participants** of the story: who and what is involved in the story.
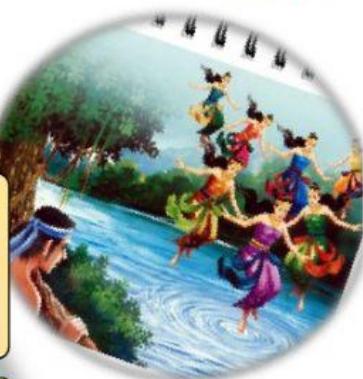
2) COMPILATION:
Where the **problems** in the story developed

3) RESOLUTION:
Where **the problem is solved**. Either in **a happy ending** or **a bad ending**.

4) RE-ORIENTATION or CODA (optional):
The lesson from the story **(moral value)**. It is a kind of **an advice** or **teaching** from the writer.

4. The Kinds or Types of Narrative Text:

There are so many kinds or types of narrative text. Here the writer concludes some of the most popular ones:

4.1. Folklore or **Folktale** (examples: ***Malin Kundang***, *Joko Tarub, Bawang Merah Bawang Putih*, etc.)

⬇ **Folklore** spreads **by word of mouth**, so that it will be told from generation to generation until it becomes part of the community's tradition

Source: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ItN0t3ld-AM

4.2. <mark>The Legend</mark> (examples: **The Legend of *Surabaya***, Robin Hood, etc.)
+ **Legend** is a folk tale that many people consider real because it contains **heroic content**. Generally, it talks about how the origin of a place can be formed

Source: *https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k9J_HrOtE1c&t=22s*

4.3. <mark>Fabel</mark> (examples: **The Lion and The Mouse**, *Kancil Nyolong Timun*, etc.)
+ **Fabel** is a story that teaches a lesson, often using **animal characters** that behave like people

Source: *https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iPybpc-xuG0*

**4.4.** <mark>Fairy Tales</mark> (examples: **Cinderella**, Snow White, Peter Pan, etc.)
+ **Fairy Tale** is a simple story about **magical creatures**, such as fairies, dragons, witches and princesses, giants and others

Source: *https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BXDsucz23OA*

4.5. The Myth (examples: **Hercules**, **Dewi Sri**, Thor, etc.)
↳ Myth is a story set in the past. In general, these myths tell stories **about gods or heroes** that contain interpretations of the origins of the universe.
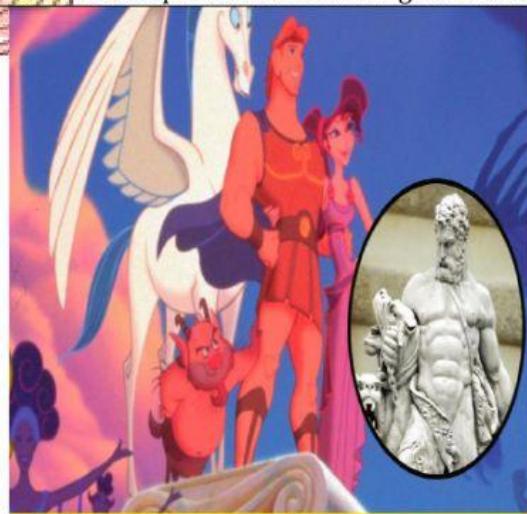
Picture 4.5.1. Hercules
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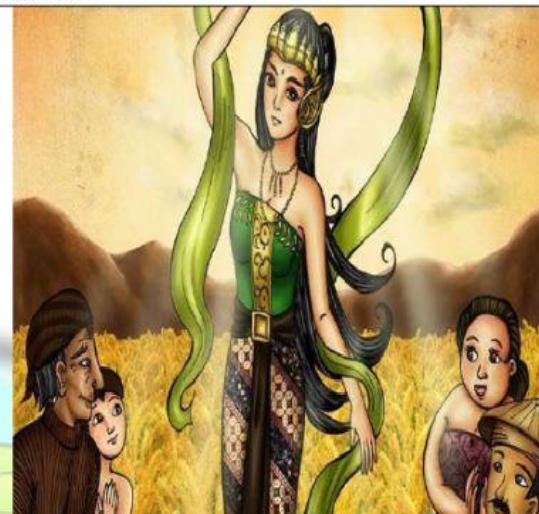
Picture 4.5.2. Dewi Sri
Source: *Google.com*

ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BELOW BASED ON THE MATERIALS AND VIDEOS ABOVE.
❖ **Part A.**

1) What is the purpose of narrative text?
_____.

2) How many generic structures of narrative text?
_____.

3) The part of moral value in narrative text is called _____.

4) Pinocchio is an example of _____.

5) In your opinion, do you think the children love the narrative text? Why?
_____.
_____.

❖ **Part B (video 1).**

1) Mention three main characters in from the video.
_____.

2) Why did Malin want to go to a city?
_____.

3) Did Malin become a successful man?
_____.

4) What made Malin's mother sure that the man was Malin?
_____.

5) What happened to Malin in the end?
_____.