

Unit 9 Cinema

I. Listen to the film descriptions. Match the names of the films to the sentences about the main characters. One sentence is extra.

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| 1. The Lion King | A. The main character's bravery teaches us to face our own problems |
| 2. Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone | B. The main character has gripping adventures. |
| 3. Star Wars | C. The main character breaks stereotypes. |
| 4. Home Alone | D. The main character has to protect his house. |
| 5. Zootopia | E. The main character loses his relative. |
| | F. The main character fights for survival of the police. |

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II. Listen to the opinion. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

1. Nowadays, many people prefer reading books to watching TV.
2. When the speaker is reading a book, she can imagine how the characters feel.
3. The speaker watched The Hunger Games after she had read the book.
4. The speaker thinks that watching The Hunger Games was a great idea.
5. The speaker believes that films are worse than the books on which they are based on.

III. Make adjectives or nouns from the words in brackets. Use suffixes *-ment*, *-tion*, *-al*, *-ing*.

1. I watch comedies for _____ (relax).
2. He had dinner with a _____ (charm) young actress.
3. Cinema is one of the most popular forms of _____ (entertain).
4. The film studio announced the _____ (create) of a new TV series starring Benedict Cumberbatch.
5. The plot was _____ (take breath) and unpredictable.
6. Action films always have a lot of _____ (violence) scenes.

IV. Circle the correct item.

1. Do you like *watching/ to watch/ watch* comedies?
2. How about *go/ to go/ going* to the cinema?
3. Let's *plan/ to plan/ planning* our weekend.
4. I'd like *read/ to read/ reading* a film review before watching the film.
5. Why *don't/ do/ would* we *watch/ watching/ to watch* that new comedy?
6. Do you fancy *watch/ to watch/ watching* a sitcom online?

V. Write the verbs in Past Simple or Past Continuous.

It (1) _____ (happen) two years ago. We (2) _____ (wait) for our friend outside the cinema when we saw Peter Johnson, the leading actor. We (3) _____ (can not) believe our eyes! He (4) _____ (wear) a hat and sunglasses but the crowd (5) _____ (recognize) him. While he (6) _____ (sign) autographs, his producer appeared and took him away.