

MODULE 8

Vocabulary Types of film

1 Match the types of film to the pictures.

cartoon	horror film	science fiction film
love story	action film	historical film
comedy	musical	



a love story



b comedy



c _____



d _____



e _____



f _____



g _____



h _____

Adjectives to describe films

2 Find ten adjectives in the word square to describe films.

E	N	J	O	Y	A	B	L	E	D	O
X	O	A	N	B	M	L	A	F	U	S
C	R	O	I	O	S	O	F	V	S	I
I	N	T	E	R	E	S	T	I	N	G
T	H	R	A	I	N	I	P	O	S	A
I	F	U	N	N	Y	L	O	L	T	R
N	Z	S	P	G	Q	L	B	E	C	G
G	K	A	M	R	U	Y	C	N	Y	H
M	A	D	R	O	M	A	N	T	I	C
E	X	A	P	W	H	O	Y	V	D	J
F	R	I	G	H	T	E	N	I	N	G

Common verbs in the past tense

3 Complete the sentences with the past tense of the verbs in brackets.

- Martin Scorsese made (make) the film *Gangs of New York*.
- Lindsay's holiday last year cost (cost) over €1000.
- Lucy's parents _____ (give) her a car for her 21st birthday.
- We were both so hot and thirsty that we _____ (drink) a litre bottle of mineral water.
- Steve _____ (become) a writer when he was forty-five.
- Karen's got a fantastic job – last month she _____ (earn) €3,000!
- The police looked everywhere for the money, but they only _____ (find) an empty bag.
- Jan and Anna _____ (fall) in love with each other at my birthday party two years ago.
- The first Spiderman film _____ (appear) in 2002.
- Last year we _____ (go) to the cinema a lot.

Past simple Negative

4 Make the sentences negative. **didn't** **did not:**

- a We had good weather when we were on holiday.
We didn't have good weather when we were on holiday.
- b We went for a drive yesterday. **go**
We didn't go for a drive yesterday.
- c Ben remembered to buy a birthday card.

- d I heard the telephone.

- e The letter arrived this morning.

- f I ate in a restaurant last night.

- g Amanda knew what to do.

- h I checked my e-mail yesterday.

Questions

5 Write questions about these famous people from the past.

- a Shakespeare / write / *Romeo and Juliet*
Did Shakespeare write 'Romeo and Juliet'?
- b Alexander Graham Bell / invent / e-mail
Did Alexander Graham Bell invent e-mail? ?
- c Marilyn Monroe / sing / *Candle in the Wind*
_____ ?
- d Captain Cook / discover / America
_____ ?
- e Leonardo da Vinci / paint / *Mona Lisa*
_____ ?
- f Madonna / play / *Evita*
_____ ?
- g Beethoven / write / rock songs
_____ ?
- h Laurel and Hardy / make / comedy films
_____ ?
- i Yuri Gagarin / travel / to the moon
_____ ?

Short answers

Short answers with the
Past simple

Did I/you/he/she/it/we/they know?

Yes, I/you/he/she/it/we/they did.

No, I/you/he/she/it/we/they didn't.

6 a Look again at the questions in exercise 5. Write the correct short answer for each question.

- 1 Yes, he did.
- 2 No, he didn't.
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____

b **TB.1** Listen and check. Practise saying the questions and answers.



Question words

where- what-
who- when- how many

7 a How-
A few days ago, Simon went on a business trip. Look at the papers in his wallet, and write questions about his day.

Eurolink

London - Paris (SINGLE)
Departure time 14.30
Journey time 3 HOURS

The Station Buffet Restaurant
1 set menu £14.50
+ SERVICE (10%)

The Station Bookshop
Blue Guide to France 9.99
English-French Dictionary 4.99

Total £15.95

BUREAU DE CHANGE

£200 changed to euros

- 1 Where did he go?
He went to Paris.
- 2 How did he travel travel?
By train.
- 3 What have lunch?
At The Station Buffet Restaurant.
- 4 How much cost?
£15.95.
- 5 what at the station?
Some books.
- 6 How many buy?
Two.
- 7 How much change?
£200.
- 8 what time leave?
At 14.30.
- 9 how long take?
Three hours.

b T8.2 Listen to the questions and answers. Practise saying them.

Past simple

Positive, negative and questions

8 Correct the sentences, as in the example.

- a Did you ~~had~~^{have} a nice weekend? correct:
- b A: Did you see Alistair at the party?
B: Yes, I saw.
- c I didn't bought a newspaper yesterday.
- d You listen to the news last night?
- e A: Did you like the concert?
B: No, I didn't like.
- f When I was thirteen, I always wear jeans.
- g You use my computer this afternoon?
- h I didn't listened to my parents when I was young.

Pronunciation

Past forms

9 a T8.3 Listen to the pronunciation of the past forms. Notice how the pronunciation of the underlined letters is the same.

- /æ/ had, began, drank, _____, _____
- /e/ read, fell, _____, _____
- /ɔ:/ caught, bought, _____, _____, _____
- /ʌ/ ut, sht, _____

b What is the past form of the verbs in the box? Put them in one of the above groups according to the pronunciation of the past form.

think	leave	meet	run	see	sing	think
wear	win					

c T8.4 Listen to the pronunciation of the past forms of the verbs. Practise saying them.

