

## (20) THE WORST FILM EVER!

ACTIVITY 1: Read the text and say if the sentences are TRUE or FALSE.

### Get going

1 41 Read and listen to the article below. What is a Golden Raspberry?

Every year, people in the film industry hope to win prizes at the Oscars. However, there is another award that no one wants to win: the Golden Raspberry. Raspberries go to the year's biggest film disasters. Here are some unfortunate winners.

The 2015 action film *Fantastic Four* won an impressive three Raspberry awards. Not surprisingly, it had the lowest ticket sales of all the *Fantastic Four* films in history.

Sandra Bullock, one of the most famous stars in Hollywood, won the worst actress award in 2009 for the comedy *All About Steve*. However, she agreed to attend the award ceremony, perhaps making her one of Hollywood's bravest actors!

It is also possible to win an Oscar and a Raspberry at the same time! The popular thriller *Wall Street* won awards for the best and the worst actor!

### RAZZIES



1. Every artist hopes to win an Oscar. \_\_\_\_\_
2. The Golden Raspberry goes to the biggest disasters. \_\_\_\_\_
3. *Fantastic Four* won four Raspberry awards. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Sandra Bullock never won a Raspberry award. \_\_\_\_\_
5. It is not possible to win an Oscar and a Raspberry at the same time. \_\_\_\_\_

ACTIVITY 2: Listen to a radio interview. Are the sentences TRUE or FALSE?

#### ***Film 1: The Secret Key***

1. Judith is describing a costume drama.
2. She enjoyed it.

#### ***Film 3: MiniPeeps 3***

5. It's a cartoon.
6. Judith prefers MiniPeeps 2.

#### ***Film 2: The Grey House***

3. It's a horror film.
4. Judith thinks it's really terrible.

#### ***Film 4: Maria***

7. Judith thinks Jenny Williams is a good actor.
8. It's a war film.

### ACTIVITY 3: Complete the table.

#### Grammar Superlative adjectives

##### 1 Read the examples. Then complete the table.

It had **the lowest** ticket sales.

Sandra Bullock is one of **the most famous** stars in Hollywood.

Short adjective (one syllable)		Superlative
low	+ -est	1 <u>the lowest</u> 2 _____
high		
brave	+ -st	the bravest 3 _____
large		
big	double consonant + -est	the biggest 4 _____
sad		

Adjectives ending in consonant + -y		Superlative
scary	-y + -iest	the scariest 5 _____
funny		
Long adjectives (2+ syllables)		Superlative
famous	the most + adjective	the most famous 6 _____
successful		
Irregular adjectives		Superlative
good		the best
bad		the worst
far		the furthest

### ACTIVITY 4: Look at the information. Complete the sentences with the superlative forms of the adjectives in brackets and **the**.

1. Rodolfo cinema: \$ 10 a ticket.

Avalon cinema: \$ 7.99 a ticket.

James cinema: \$ 8.50 a ticket.

\_\_\_\_\_ **cinema is** \_\_\_\_\_. (expensive)

2. Ex Machina: one Oscar

Mad Max: six Oscars

The Revenant: three Oscars

\_\_\_\_\_ **was** \_\_\_\_\_. **film of the 2016 Oscars.**  
**(successful)**

3. The Avengers ticket sales: 54,449,094

Star Wars: The Force Awakens ticket sales: 88,043,765

Jurassic World ticket sales: 77,366,311

\_\_\_\_\_ **was** \_\_\_\_\_. **film of 2015. (popular)**

4. Adrian Brody won an Oscar aged 29.

Marlee Matlin won an Oscar aged 21.

Tatum O'Neal won an Oscar aged 10.

\_\_\_\_\_ **was** \_\_\_\_\_. **Oscar winner of all time. (young)**