

5.1 Universally popular?

Vocabulary going to the movies

1 Choose the correct words to complete the amazing film facts.



- 1 Actress Judi Dench was only in a very short eight-minute *scene* / *cast* in the film *Shakespeare in Love* (1998). However, she won an Oscar for her *play* / *performance*.
- 2 In the film *Kind Hearts and Coronets* (1949), actor Alec Guinness *plays* / *sets* eight different *characters* / *remakes*, including an old soldier, a young photographer, and an old lady.
- 3 *The Wolf of Wall Street* (2013), which *stars* / *plays* Leonardo DiCaprio and Matthew McConaughey, is *set* / *put* in New York but was actually filmed in Spain.
- 4 *Memento* (2000) is a film with a very complicated *play* / *plot*. It tells the story backwards from the point of view of a man who can't remember anything. The *cast* / *set* includes Guy Pearce, Joe Pantoliano and Carrie-Anne Moss.

2 Match the two halves of the sentences.



- 1 Hollywood star Bruce Willis often plays action c
- 2 *Up* is a wonderful animated
- 3 James Cameron spent over \$230 million on the special
- 4 Mike Myers and Jim Carrey are both Hollywood comic
- 5 The film *Ocean's Eleven* is a remake
- 6 The character of Princess Fiona in *Shrek* is voiced

- a of a film from 1960 which starred Frank Sinatra.
- b actors who were born in Canada.
- c heroes in films, such as *Die Hard* and *Looper*.
- d by Hollywood star Cameron Diaz.
- e film, made by Pixar in 2009.
- f effects for his sci-fi film, *Avatar* (2009).

→ **STUDY TIP** Write your own personalized example sentences to help you remember new words. For example, write a sentence about a film with great special effects or a film that is based on a book.

