



LESSON 19. A MOVIE NIGHT



1. Tell about the pictures.
2. Compare the pictures. Talk about the people's reaction.
3. What do you think they are watching?
4. Why do people like to watch movies?



A **movie** is a series of still images that when shown on a screen create an illusion of motion images . Films were originally recorded onto plastic film through a photochemical process and then shown through a movie projector onto a large screen.

Contemporary films are now often fully digital through the entire process of production, distribution, and exhibition from start to finish.



The words mean the same thing. The difference, is in the use of them.

Movie/movies is an American word.

Film/films is an English word, used by British people.

Which term is more popular in your country?

Match the columns:

1. all the actors and actresses in a movie or TV show.
 2. the series of events that form the main story.
 3. place where movies are shown on a big screen.
 4. the person in charge of making a movie.
 5. a small part of a film
 6. the flat surface that a movie is projected onto
 7. the place or type of surroundings where something is positioned or where an event takes place.
 8. the most intense, exciting, or important point of the movie
 9. the written text of a movie
 10. a person who actively opposes or is hostile to someone or something; an adversary.
 11. a kind or style of movie
 12. the art of making motion pictures.
 13. a recording of the musical accompaniment to a movie.
 14. the leading character or one of the major characters in a movie.
 15. a person whose profession is operating a movie camera.
- a. climax
 - b. cameraman
 - c. plot
 - d. settings
 - e. cinematography
 - f. cast
 - g. scene
 - h. soundtrack
 - i. screen
 - j. script
 - k. antagonist
 - l. protagonist
 - n. cinema
 - o. genre

Identify the following:



Give an example for each movie genre.



- a) Action
- b) Comedy
- c) Horror
- d) Sci-Fi
- e) Drama
- f) Romance
- g) Historical
- h) Thriller
- i) Animated
- j) Horror
- k) Documentary
- l) Musical

What is your favorite movie genre and why?

Vocabulary Exercise



*Use each vocabulary word
in your own sentence.*

Fill in the blanks with the words inside the box:

**ignore
almost**

**bump
figure**

**crowd
invite**

**control
lobby**

**minister
resume**

1. They _____ Jack almost all day to punish him for his bad behavior.
2. Let's _____ reading where we left off last week.
3. I was picking up papers in the _____ and happened to notice the article.
4. The best doctors in the country will _____ her operation.
5. _____ everyone I know that I go swimming every day.
6. You may _____ whoever wants to come.
7. The elementary students tried to _____ out the answer by themselves.
8. The _____ on the road cause the accident last night.
9. I caught sight of an old friend of mine in the _____.
10. It's sometimes difficult to _____ our feelings.

A Movie Night

Barbara **invited** her sister Laura to the movie "Why Don't You Love Me as Much as I Love You?". Barbara had picked the 5 o'clock show on a Tuesday evening, **figuring** that the **crowds** would be thin. For Barbara, thin crowds meant fewer annoying people.

The **lobby** was almost empty. There was only one man at the food counter buying popcorn for his young son. As they walked by, Barbara said, "What a cute little boy! What's your name?"

"I'm Benton and I'm **almost** 5-1/2 years old," the boy said proudly. The theater darkened and the movie started.

A minute later, Barbara felt a **bump** on the back of her seat. Then, another bump. Then, another. Someone was kicking the back of her seat. Barbara tried to **ignore** the kicking, but it wouldn't stop. Steam started coming out of Barbara's ears and nostrils. She turned around and yelled, "Stop kicking my seat right now!" It was Benton. He spilled his popcorn, wet his pants, and started bawling. His father yelled at Barbara for yelling at Benton, and Barbara yelled back at the father for not **controlling** his son. The father took a **minister** to him, and Barbara **resumed** watching her movie.



Answer the questions about the story

1. What is the title of the movie?
2. What is the movie schedule that Barbara picked?
 - picked?
3. Why did Barbara pick that schedule?
4. What's the name of the cute kid in the food counter?
5. Why did Barbara get angry?
6. What did Barbara do when she turned around?
7. Why did Barbara yell back at the kid's father?
8. Why did the kid's father take him to the lobby?

Kicking the seat in front of you in the cinema is rude. What other rude activities should you avoid when watching a movie at the cinema?



Watch the trailers and answer the questions about it.



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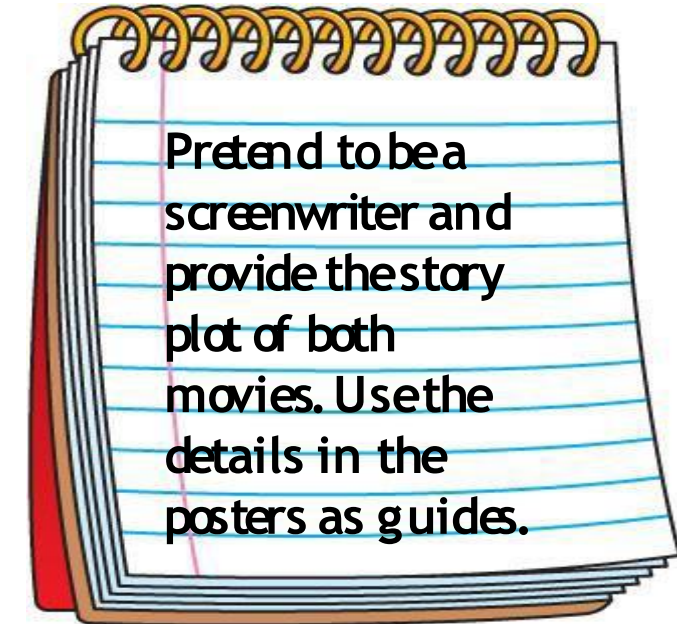


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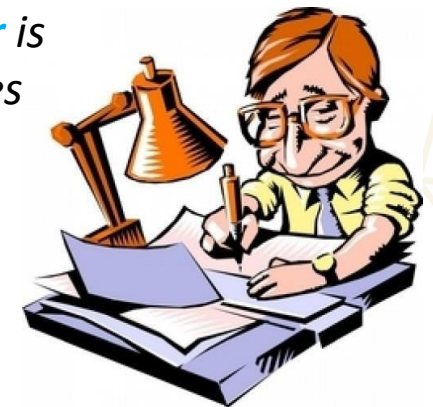
1. What is the title of the movie?
2. What is the movie genre?
3. Tell about its plot.
4. Will you watch the movie? Why/not?

Movie Posters

Study and discuss the posters with your teacher.



A **screenplay writer** is someone who writes the story for a film



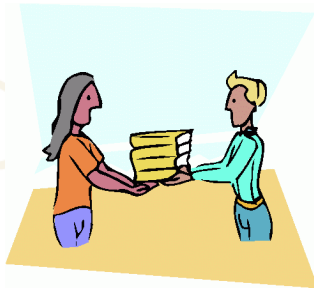
Which movie are you going to watch and why?

POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS

Possessive pronouns are those designating possession. They may also be used as substitutes for noun phrases, and they are typically found at the end of a sentence or clause. There are only a few possessive pronouns in the English language, and there are only two specific rules for using them correctly.

- Like its name suggests, a possessive pronoun indicates ownership.
- Possessive pronouns do not contain apostrophes (').

A possessive pronoun is used to avoid repeating information that has already been made clear. These useful **pronouns** make sentences less confusing, as you'll see when you read the following sentences containing examples of possessive pronouns.







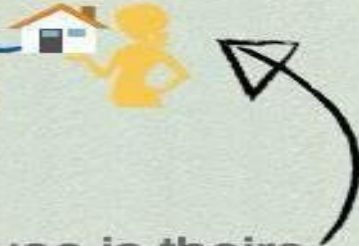


I didn't have **my book** so Jenny lent me **her book**. (Sounds repetitive)
I didn't have my book, so Jenny lent me *hers*.

This is **my cat**, not **your cat**. (Sounds repetitive)
This cat is *mine*, not *yours*.



POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS EXAMPLES:

I	→	my	→	mine	
That is my apple. The apple is mine.					
you	→	your	→	yours	
These are your flowers. The flowers are yours.					
he	→	his	→	his	
Jacques is his dog. The dog is his.					
she	→	her	→	hers	
That box is her present. The present is hers.					
it	→	its	→	(its)	
The cat is sitting on its treehouse.					
we	→	our	→	ours	
This is our house. The house is ours.					
they	→	their	→	theirs	
That is their house. The house is theirs.					

Change the noun(s) to subject pronouns.

1. The mother cat and _____ kittens napped in the sunshine.

His Your
Her Hers

2. I like cream cheese on _____ bagels.

My Mine
Your Our

3. _____ grandfather used to take us fishing.

Mine My
Our Ours

4. Elaine bought _____ dress at the mall.

Yours Mine
Her Hers

5. The car lost _____ rear bumper in an accident.

It's Its
His Her

6. The horse swished _____ tail to keep flies away.

It's Its
Its' The

7. This dessert is _____ but you can have it.

My Mine
Yours Delicious

8. Please return _____ money at once.

Mine Your
My Its

9. _____ car is so dirty I can't even tell what color it is.

Your Yours
Hers Ours

10. When the cat saw the dog, it stopped in _____ tracks.

My Its
His Hers

Fill in the blanks with the right pronoun.

1. That book belongs to those kids. That book is_____.
2. This bicycle belongs to my neighbor Bill. This bicycle is_____.
3. This scarf belongs to my aunt Tina. This scarf is_____.
4. This toy belongs to you. This toy is_____.
5. This apartment belongs to me and my cousin. This apartment is_____.
6. These mittens belong to my mother. These mittens are_____.
7. Those cookies belong to my sister's friends. Those cookies are_____.
8. These suitcases belong to you and your wife. These suitcases are_____.
9. That pillow belongs to me. That pillow is_____.
10. That lamp belongs to my aunt and uncle. That lamp is_____.
11. This is my pen. Where is_____?
12. This property is mine. Have you got any properties of_____own?
13. A cousin of_____works abroad.
14. She got the National Award for a painting of_____.
15. Did you forget to do_____homework yesterday?

Debate: Are movies better in a theater or at home?



VS!



You may refer to the following reference:

<https://kav.london/watching-films-in-the-cinema-vs-the-comfort-of-your-own-home-cinema/>

<https://indianmovies101.wordpress.com/2011/04/26/advantages-and-disadvantages-of-watching-movies-at-home/>

Expressions to Describe a Movie



Decide whether the 10 adjectives are positive or negative and then put them into their respective sentences.

1. The acting was _____ and it really drew me in to the story.
2. The jokes were _____ and I could not stop laughing.
3. The warm relationship between the father and son was _____.
4. The special effects were very _____, especially with the space scenes.
5. The plot about what happens to people as they age was very _____.
6. The storyline was _____ as I have seen this told many times before in other films.
7. It was a really _____ film in all aspects and I would not recommend it.
8. The jokes were really _____ and seemed to be aimed at 8 year olds rather than adults.
9. The scenes in the school were _____ as students never behave like this.
10. The acting was _____ throughout the film and none of the actors were convincing.

juvenile stupid hilarious enjoyable dreadful powerful
thought-provoking boring second-rate imaginative

Story Building



1 Why is the Titanic famous ?



2 Where did the Titanic start ?



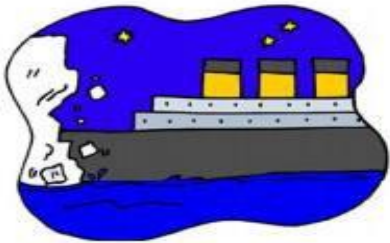
3 What did it cross ?



4 Where was it going to?



5 What is the sailor doing?



6 What happened ?



7 And then?



8 Who got into the lifeboats ?



9 What happened to many people ?



10 Why didn't they go back to rescue the drowning people ?

Use the pictures to answer the questions.
Connect to answer to make the story of Titanic.

1. What is your favorite movie? Tell about its plot and settings.
2. What makes your favorite films special or memorable?
3. Name a few movies that you disliked. Why did you dislike them?
4. Can you compare movie houses in your homeland with theatres in the United States?
5. Have you ever seen a celebrity or famous person? Where? Tell us about it?
6. Did you have a favorite movie as a child? Teenager?
7. Have you ever seen a movie several times? Which? Why?
8. Do you have any favorite actors now? Why? Did they move you in any role?
9. How do you decide which movie to see? Word of mouth? Ads? Awards? Reviews?
10. Which movies would you suggest a tourist to your country watch? Why?

Three

free

throws.

Rubber

baby

buggy

bumpers.

The End