

Unit 2 General Test

Part 2

Match the movie genre listed on the left with the correct description listed on the right to complete the sentences.

Example: An animated filmc....

4. A musical

5. An action film

6. A comedy

7. A documentary

8. A drama

9. A horror film

10. A science-fiction film

a. has a lot of singing and dancing.

b. gives true facts and information.

c. ~~is made with a series of drawings, models, etc.~~

d. is frightening or scary.

e. is funny and makes people laugh.

f. tells a serious, emotional story.

g. has a lot of adventure and violence.

h. tells a story about what might happen in the future.

Part 3

Read each conversation. Then choose the correct answer.

Example: Jenn is tired. ([She'd rather not] / She'd rather) go out to see a movie.

11. A: (I like / I'd like) to see a horror movie. How about you?

12. B: (I'd rather. / I'd rather not.) Horror movies really scare me!

13. A: (Would / Do) your parents like to see a science fiction-film tonight?

14. B: I think they (would / would like).

15. A: What would the kids rather (do / to do): watch a movie at home or go to the theater?

16. B: I think they (rather / would rather) watch one at home.

Part 4

Choose the word that correctly completes each sentence.

Example: I almost fell asleep because the movie was so (funny / [boring]).

17. She told a (**silly / thought-provoking**) story that no one believed.
18. Mom thinks it's bad for children to watch (**funny / violent**) movies.
19. I didn't like this movie. It was (**hilarious / weird**).
20. If you enjoy love stories, you should see this (**unforgettable / romantic**) film.

Part 5

Complete the letter using words from the box.

still

for

always
just

lately
~~recently~~

since

Dear Nathan,

Example: How are you? Did you know that I moved recently?

I've lived in San Diego two months. It's really great! I've

21.

..... wanted to live in California. I have a very nice apartment,

22.

but I haven't bought any furniture. I went to London

23.

on a business trip and got back. Next week, I'm going to

24.

Buenos Aires. I haven't been there 2002! What have

25.

you been up to ? Write soon!

26.

Your friend,

Marsha

Part 6

Read the article. Then choose True or False for each statement.

THE MOST POPULAR *Movie Genres*

Everyone has a favorite kind of movie. But what kinds of movies are the most popular? A look at the list of the top money-making movies of all time provides some information about the most popular genres.

Do you know the genre and title of the top money-making movie in history? It's a science fiction film, and its title is *Avatar*. Another science fiction film has made it into the top-ten list. That movie is *Transformers: Dark of the Moon*.

Some dramas, such as *Titanic*, really are unforgettable, but the movies that make the most money today are action films, super-hero films, science fiction films, or fantasy films, such as *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows* and *The Lord of the Rings*. These movies use adventure, excitement, and sometimes violence to attract people.

There's only one animated film in the top-ten list. At number five, it's *Frozen*.

And here's something interesting: Some of the movies on the top-ten list have hilarious parts, but none of the movies are comedies. The list also does not include any horror films, documentaries, or musicals.

MOVIE LINKS

Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows—Part 2
Frozen
Avatar
The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King
Titanic
Skyfall
The Dark Knight Rises

Example: *Avatar* made the most money of any movie in history.

27. *Lord of the Rings* is a fantasy film.
28. Dramas make the most money.
29. *Titanic* is a drama.
30. There are several comedies on the top-ten list.