

Movie - Review

The Shawshank redemption. Watch a movie and answer the following questions.

1/ Your favourite dialogue and why?

"Hope is a good thing, maybe the best of things, and no good thing ever dies".

This line stuck with me because it's not just a quote, it's a feeling. It sums up the entire spirit of the movie. Even when Andy was locked in a place with no sunlight, no freedom, and almost no justice, he held onto hope like it was his last friend. It made me realise how powerful hope can be in keeping us going - even when everything else is falling apart.

2/ Your personal review

I didn't expect to like the Shawshank Redemption as much as I did, but it really hit me emotionally. The story isn't just about prison or escape. It's about patience, friendship and silent strength. The friendship between Andy and Red feels so genuine. It's slow paced but meaningful, and the way the ending ties back to all those little clues earlier? Mind blowing. It's one of those movies that leaves you thinking long after the credits roll. ~~Honestly~~.

Ques 3/ Learning to take away from the movie.

The biggest lesson I got from the movie is that consistency beats everything. Andy didn't rush anything. He quietly chipped away at a wall for nearly 20 years with a tiny rock hammer and he made it. That kind of long term focus is rare.

Also, it taught me that dignity and kindness don't depend on where you are, even if you're in prison. Andy carried himself with self respect and helped others too. It made me think - maybe the real freedom is not physical, but mental.

Quest 4/6 Related concepts you've learned in the classroom

- In our communication skills sessions, we talked about non-verbal cues - Andy is a master of that. He doesn't talk much but his body language and eyes say a lot.
- In personality development, we discussed emotional intelligence how someone handles stress or failure. Andy showed that better than any textbook could.