

1 Complete the TV and film genres with the words in the box.

drama	fiction	news	opera
period	reality	show	thriller

- chat show
- action _____
- crime _____
- _____ show
- _____ drama
- soap _____
- science _____
- the _____

2 Write the correct TV and film genres from the box to match the definitions.

action thriller	animation	chat show
documentary	horror	period drama

- It's set in the past with characters in costume.
period drama
- It features interviews with famous people.

- It's a film which makes us feel scared.

- It features drawings of characters rather than real people.

- It's a report about real events.

- It's usually got a very exciting plot.

3 Write the correct TV and film genres.

- Kayla is really into chat _____ shows, especially when her favourite celebrities are guests!
- Joe loves c _____ films. They make him laugh so much!
- We have to be quiet when Dad's watching t _____ n _____. It's his one chance to catch up on all the events of the day.
- I can't stand r _____ s _____s! Who wants to watch the lives of ordinary people on TV?
- The plot of this new c _____ d _____ looks so interesting. It's a three-part series about an unsolved murder.
- Mum has been watching this s _____ o _____ about the everyday lives of a group of characters in Manchester for years.

4 Complete the TV and film words.

- p l o t
- _ h a _ _ c _ e _
- _ l _ p
- r _ _ i _ _
- _ _ a i _ _ r
- s _ _ i e _
- _ _ u _ d _ _ a c _

5 Write the correct TV and film words.

- My favourite TV series _____ is the comedy, *Funny Family*.
- We've just watched the _____ for the new Jurassic World film, and it looks amazing!
- The _____ of this comedy drama is quite difficult to follow. I'm not really getting into it.
- My brother is a big fan of Hans Solo. He's his favourite film _____ of all time.
- I love the _____ to the new Disney animation. I'm going to download the songs.
- The new science fiction film doesn't have very good _____ so I don't think I'll go and see it.

6 Complete the texts with the TV and film words and genres.

Five Minutes of Fame

My dad was an extra in a ¹ comedy film once. He was the man who poured water on the funny guy's head! The film has a hilarious ² _____ t, and dad's part features in the ³ _____ r, too!

I'm a big fan of films, and would love to work in the industry one day. I'm really into ⁴ _____ n thrillers and science ⁵ _____ n films, so working in either of these genres would be great.

My aunt who lives in London met David Attenborough once. His ⁶ _____ y ⁷ _____ s about wildlife are known all over the world. I've seen him talking on a ⁸ _____ t show before, and he's so fascinating!

My friend's sister, who plays the violin, features on the ⁹ _____ k for the new period ¹⁰ _____ a about the life of Charles Dickens. The ¹¹ _____ w for the programme sounds great, and my favourite actor plays the main ¹² _____ r, so I can't wait to watch it!

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- 1 *chat show*
- 2 action thriller
- 3 crime drama
- 4 reality show
- 5 period drama
- 6 soap opera
- 7 science fiction
- 8 the news

2

- 1 *period drama*
- 2 chat show
- 3 horror
- 4 animation
- 5 documentary
- 6 action thriller

3

- 1 *chat shows*
- 2 comedy
- 3 the news
- 4 reality shows
- 5 crime drama
- 6 soap opera

4

- 1 *plot*
- 2 character
- 3 clip
- 4 review
- 5 trailer
- 6 series
- 7 soundtrack

5

- 1 *series*
- 2 trailer
- 3 plot
- 4 character
- 5 soundtrack
- 6 reviews

6

- 1 *comedy*
- 2 plot
- 3 trailer
- 4 action
- 5 fiction
- 6 documentary
- 7 series
- 8 chat
- 9 soundtrack
- 10 drama
- 11 review
- 12 character