

Instruction

Read the questions before you watch the film so that you will know what to look for while you watch. At breaks during the showing or at the film's end, you will have an opportunity to make short notes in the spaces provided. If you make notes while the film is playing, make sure that your note taking doesn't interfere with carefully watching the film

Complete the assignment by answering each question in **key words** only. Answers need to be comprehensive, demonstrating that you paid attention to the film and thought about what was shown on the screen.

Assignment

1. Identify the movie by stating its title, the year it was released, the name of the director, where the story is set, and the time period in which the story takes place.

2. Who is the protagonist and what is he or she like? Use **adjectives** to describe at least 2 characteristics and support them with examples. Consult a comprehensive list of personality adjectives on <https://7esl.com/adjectives-that-describe-personality>

3. Who or what is the antagonist and what is he, she, or it like? Use **adjectives** to describe at least 2 characteristics and support them with examples.

4. What is the conflict that is driving the protagonist to act?

5. What is the climax or moment of highest tension?

6. How was the conflict resolved?

7. List at least two facts in the film that impressed you and explain them (remember: keywords only).

8. If the filmmakers asked how this film could be improved, what would you tell them? Describe the changes you would suggest (keywords).

9. Music and lighting are part of the way that the moviemakers communicate their message. Give two specific examples of how these or other elements of the cinematic art, such as shot framing, camera angles, camera movement, color, editing choice, or length of take were used by the filmmakers to get their point across (remember to only use keywords – tip: adjectives).

10. Follow up for question 9: What aspects were used by the filmmakers to get their point across, but you think they failed at (remember to only use keywords – tip: adjectives)?
