

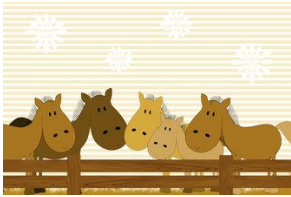



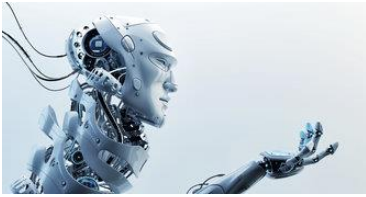

**Listening skills practice: My favourite film – exercises**

Listen to the speakers talking about their favourite films and do the exercises to practise and improve your listening skills.

**Preparation**

Do this exercise before you listen. Write the correct words in the boxes below the picture.

historical drama	action	science fiction
cartoon	romantic comedy	horror

**1. Check your understanding: matching**

Do this exercise while you listen. Match the speaker to the genre of film. Write a–e next to the numbers 1–5.

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| 1..... Speaker 1 | a. A science fiction film    |
| 2..... Speaker 2 | b. A modern vampire film     |
| 3..... Speaker 3 | c. An action film            |
| 4..... Speaker 4 | d. A romance                 |
| 5..... Speaker 5 | e. A romance based on a book |

## 2. Check your understanding: gap fill

Do this exercise while you listen. Complete the gaps with the correct speaker.

A (x2)	B	C	D (x2)	E (x3)
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1. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ thinks the film shows you not to judge people too quickly.
2. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ says the film is not too sentimental, thanks to the actor.
3. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ likes a film in which everything we think is real is fiction.
4. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ has seen their favourite film more than once.
5. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ prefers the first version of the film.
6. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ likes a film with murder, violence and blood-drinking.
7. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ likes a film which tells a love story over several years.
8. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ likes a film which shows bullying at school.
9. Speaker \_\_\_\_\_ likes the scenes filmed in different countries.

### Discussion

Have you seen any good films recently?

*I saw ...*

*It's got ... (actor's name) in it.*

*It's about ...*

*The thing I liked about it was ...*