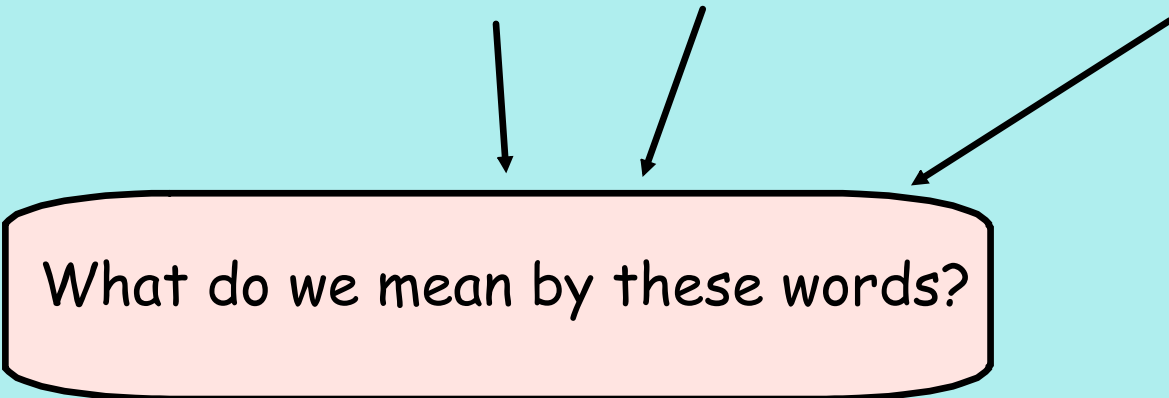


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What do we mean by these words?

Sci-Fi: short for science fiction

genre: type of story or film

narrative: a story with a beginning, middle and end

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What is sci-fi? What makes it special and different?

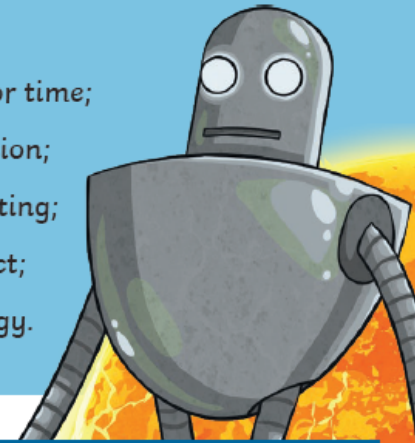
Science Fiction Story Writing

What Is a Science Fiction Story?

A sci-fi story is a story that is based around or set in space; often in a futuristic world in outer space or on another planet. Sci-fi stories often involve the adventures of astronauts, aliens or robots.

Sci-fi stories often feature:

- a creature from another world or time;
- characters feelings to build tension;
- a futuristic or space-themed setting;
- short, snappy sentences for effect;
- imaginary, futuristic terminology.



A sci fi story will have the following aspects:

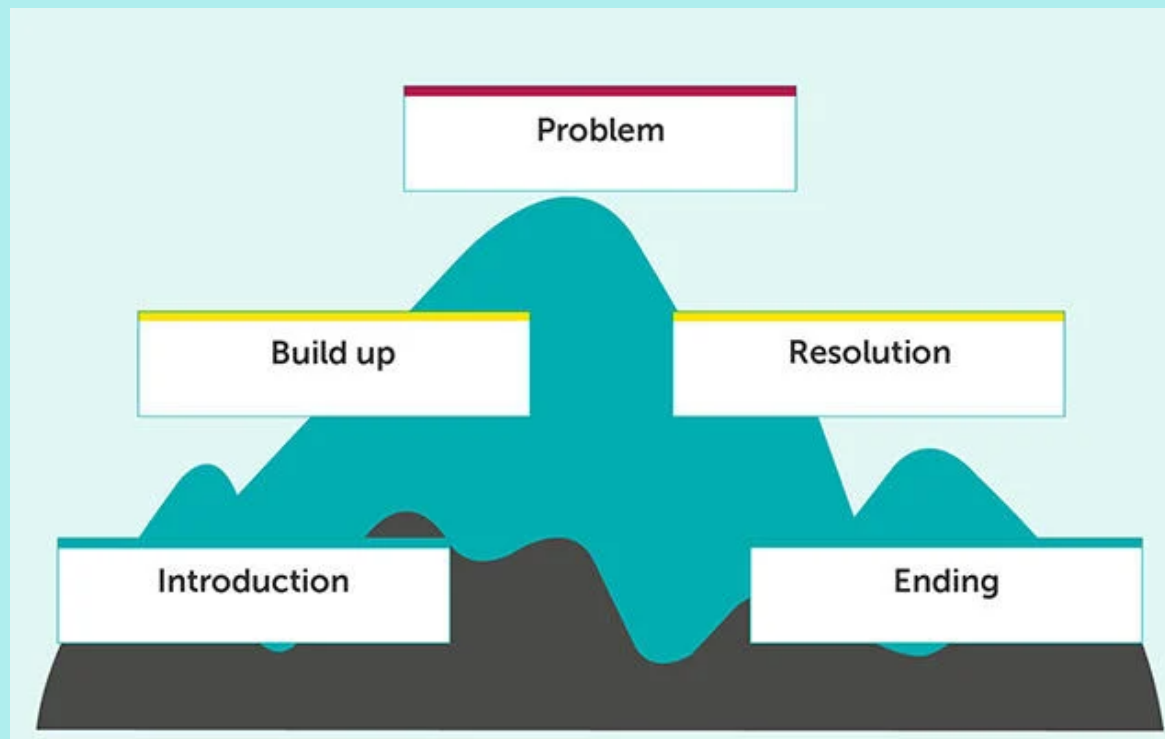
- A futuristic or space-theme setting.
- A main character from another world.
- Exciting build up to a problem.
- Dilemma is based on a character being alone or fears the unknown.
- resolution where the dilemma is solved or ends with a cliffhanger.
- Dialogue to create atmosphere.
- show a character's feelings to build tension.
- Include technical vocabulary (innovations, new technology)

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Today we are going to begin planning our own sci fi story.

We are going to use the story of Phoenix to help us structure our own narratives.

What happened in Phoenix at each stage of the mountain?



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You are now going to plan the events of your sci fi narratives using a specific structure.



You are going to write the story in the first person!

Your story will look like this:

1. **AWESOME SIGHTS!** **Setting description:** What you see outside the rocket and landing on the planet
2. **HELP! Problem:** Once landed on planet, you see a shadowy figure in the distance (Building tension - feelings about the situation)
3. **WEIRD CREATURE!** **Character description:** You see the alien for the first time and a description of the alien. (use pages from Phoenix to gather descriptive language)
4. **ARGUE! Dialogue:** Conversation with the alien (Confrontation - what are you doing on my planet? I'm here to do... What right do you have? Etc - There is trade between the alien and astronaut.
5. **WHAT WILL HAPPEN?** **Ending:** Cliffhanger...

However, you will be able to make it personal by deciding some details...

You can choose:



1. The character's name
2. The name of the planet you're visiting
3. What the planet looks like
4. Type of alien/ name of alien
5. What happens at the end

Challenge: What sci-words
can you think of?

Medikit, spaceport,...