

READING GENRES

REALISTIC FICTION



a story that is **made up**, but **could happen** in real life

HISTORICAL FICTION



a fiction story that portrays a **certain time period** or event in the **past**

FANTASY



a story with **unrealistic** elements, such as **magic** or **talking animals**

SCIENCE FICTION



a type of **fantasy** story that uses **science** and **technology** (ex. aliens, robots...)

MYSTERY



a **suspenseful** story where a **puzzling event** is finally solved by the end

TRADITIONAL LITERATURE



a story that is **passed down** from one group to another **over time**
(*Fairy tales, folktales, myths, legends*)

BIOGRAPHY



a **true account** of a real person's life **written by another person**

AUTOBIOGRAPHY



a **true account** of a real person's life **written by that person**

INFORMATIONAL



a text that gives **facts** about a topic

POETRY

The rose is red,
The violet's blue,
Sugar is sweet,
And so are you.



a collection of lines of words that express an emotion or idea, often with a certain meaning, rhythm, or sound