

MISE EN SCÈNE

Cinematography

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noun: **mise en scène**; plural noun:
mises en scène

- the arrangement of scenery and stage properties in a play.
- the setting or surroundings of an event or action.



The arrangement of everything that appears in the framing – actors, lighting, décor, props, costume – is called **mise-en-scène**, a French term that means “placing on stage.” The frame and camerawork are also considered part of the mise-en-scène of a movie. In cinema, placing on the stage really means placing on the *screen*, and the director is in charge of deciding what goes where, when, and how.

SCREENING

9 Lives

