

What is
Narrative structure
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NARRATIVE

A spoken or written account of connected events or a story.

The narrated part of a literary work, as distinct from dialogue.

The practice or art of telling stories.

A representation of a particular situation or process in such a way as to reflect or conform to an overarching set of aims or values.

framework that underlies the order and manner in which a narrative is presented.

Element of Narrative or Story

Who

What

When

Where

How

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Main Characters

What is he doing?

Main Characters

What event starts the story?

What conflict(s) do they face? What is at stake?

What happens to the characters as they face this conflict?

What is the outcome of this conflict?

What is the ultimate impact on the characters?

Time

Place