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What Is Nonfiction?

Nonfiction is a genre of writing that deals with real-life people, places or events. To be nonfiction, all of the text must be true.

Use the back of this page to list some nonfiction writing that you know about. It can be anything, from a magazine you get each month, to the newspaper, to the textbooks you use for school. Even TV shows can count as nonfiction literature!

Now, use the examples below and write why you would read each of the following.

Example:

U.S. History textbook:

A report for school



1. A biography of George Washington:

2. Cookbook:

3. Daily newspaper:

4. Books on marine animals:

5. Chart on annual rainfall:

