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# **☐** THE LISTENING / READING SCRIPT

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Toy Story 3 is a 2010 American 3D computer-animated comedy-adventure film, and the third installment in the Toy Story series. It was produced by Pixar and released by Walt Disney Pictures. The plot focuses on the toys Woody, Buzz Lightyear, and their friends dealing with an uncertain future as their owner, Andy, prepares to leave for college and seemingly no longer needs toys. The toys are taken to a day-care center by mistake, instead of the attic, right before Andy leaves for college. They hate the place and the kids in it who treat them roughly. The movie sees Woody trying to convince the other toys that Andy didn't abandon them. Adventures follow as he tries to get the toys back home.

Toy Story 3 was nominated for five Academy Awards, including Best Picture, Best Adapted Screenplay, and Best Sound Editing. It was the third animated film ever to be nominated for the Academy Award for Best Picture. It won the awards for Best Animated Feature and Best Original Song. The movie broke Shrek the Third's record as the biggest opening day North American gross for an animated film. In early August, it overtook Finding Nemo to become Pixar's highest-grossing film. Later that month, Toy Story 3 became the first ever animated film in history to make over \$1 billion worldwide. Mark Kermode of the BBC gave the film, and the series, a glowing review, calling it "the best movie trilogy of all time".

Source: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Toy\_Story\_3

## **☐** TRAILER AND POSTER

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## **POSTER**

**1. SIX WORDS:** Look at the poster and write down six words (more if you like) that you think of as you look at it. Share the words with your partner(s). Why did you choose them?

You can find posters for this movie at <a href="www.wikipedia.com">www.imbd.com</a> - just type the name of the movie in the search field.

- **2. STORY:** Talk about what you think the story of the movie is the start, beginning, end, etc. Change partners and share stories.
- **3. CREDITS:** Look at the credits on the poster (the actors, director, producer...) and talk about them with your partner(s).
- **4. MUST-SEE:** Talk with your partner(s) about whether the poster and movie title are good and make you want to see the movie.
- **5. STARRING YOU:** Imagine you are one of the stars of the movie. Talk about your role with your movie star partner(s).

## **TRAILER**

**1. RETELL:** Watch the trailer and retell what you saw to your partner(s).

You can watch a trailer at <a href="http://www.youtube.com">http://www.youtube.com</a>

- **2. CHUNKS:** Watch 10-to-15 second chunks of the trailer and retell what you saw to your partner(s).
- **3. QUIZ:** Watch the trailer and write down some quiz questions for your partner(s). Watch a second time to find the answers to the questions.
- **4. VOCABULARY:** Make a note of words in the trailer that you see or hear. Talk about them with your partner(s).
- **5. GOOD / BAD:** Watch the trailer and write down why you think the film might be good or bad. Share your ideas with your partner(s).

## **■** MATCHING

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#### **SYNONYM MATCH**

1. installment

2 seemingly

3. roughly

4. convince

5. abandon

6. nominated

7. broke

8. overtook

9. grossing

10. glowing

a. violently

b. surpassed

c. recommended

d. part

e. beat

f. apparently

g. complimentary

h. desert

i. persuade

j. earning

## **PHRASE MATCH**

1. the third

2 The plot focuses

3. dealing with an uncertain

4. treat them

5. Adventures

6. nominated for

7. Pixar's highest-

8. make

9. a glowing

10. the best movie trilogy

a. roughly

b. five Academy Awards

c. follow

d. review

e. installment

f. on the toys

g. of all time

h. grossing film

i. future

j. over \$1 billion

# ■ LISTENING / READING GAP FILL

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film, (1)	$_{ ext{-}}$ in the Toy Story series. It was
produced by Pixar and released	by Walt Disney Pictures. The
(2) Woody,	Buzz Lightyear, and their friends
dealing (3)	their owner, Andy, prepares to
leave for college and (4)	The toys are taken
to a day-care center by mistake, inst	ead of the attic, right before Andy
leaves for college. They hate (5)	it who treat
them roughly. The movie sees Woody to	rying to convince the other toys that
Andy didn't abandon them. Adventure	s (6)
the toys back home.	
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Best Picture, Best Adapted Screenplay,	and Best Sound Editing. It was the
(8) nom	inated for the Academy Award for
Best Picture. (9)	Best Animated Feature and
Best Original Song. The movie broke Sh	rek the Third's record as the biggest
opening day North American (10)	In early
August, it overtook <i>Finding Nemo</i> to be	ecome Pixar's highest-grossing film.
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and the series, a glowing review, calling	ı it "(12)
time".	

## CORRECT THE SPELLING

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## Paragraph 1

- 1. computer-<u>dtmieaan</u> comedy-adventure film
- 2. <u>Irdsaeee</u> by Walt Disney Pictures
- 3. an cunetiran future
- 4. ...<u>enigyslem</u> no longer needs toys
- 5. treat them <u>ulgohry</u>
- 6. Andy didn't <u>danonab</u> them

## Paragraph 2

- 7. tineaondm for five Academy Awards
- 8. the biggest innpgeo day
- 9. it <u>koevroto</u> Finding Nemo
- 10. Pixar's highest-sorgsnig film
- 11. a <u>oggilnw</u> review
- 12. the best movie ltyjogr of all time

## **D** PUNCTUATE & PUT CAPITALS IN THE TEXT

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# **■** INSERT THE VOWELS (a,e,i,o,u)

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## **MARK THE SPACES**

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# DISCUSSION (Write your own questions) STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

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# **□** TOY STORY 3 SURVEY

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Write five GOOD questions about Toy Story 3 in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1	STUDENT 2	STUDENT 3
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.



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## HOMEWORK

- **1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION:** Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.
- **2. INTERNET INFO:** Search the Internet and find more information about "Toy Story 3". Talk about what you discover with your partner(s) in the next lesson.
- **3. MAGAZINE ARTICLE:** Write a magazine article about "Toy Story 3". What are (did) critics and moviegoers saying (say) about it? How good were the actors' performances? What was good and bad about the movie? Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your articles.
- **4. "TOY STORY 3" POSTER:** Make a poster about "Toy Story 3". Make sure you put tag lines, audience and critics' reviews, why people should see it, etc. Show it to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your posters.
- **5. MY PREQUEL / SEQUEL:** Make your own prequel or sequel for "Toy Story 3". Make sure there is a good mix of things to do. Find some good online activities. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback.
- **6. CHARACTER STORY:** Choose one of the characters from the movie. Imagine you are that character. Write your story about what you did in the movie. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback.
- **7. ONLINE SHARING:** Use your blog, wiki, Facebook page, Twitter stream, or any other social media tool to get opinions on "Toy Story 3". Share your findings with the class.

# ■ ANSWERS

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### **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Please check for yourself by looking at the movie review on page 2. (It's good for your English ;-)

#### **CREATIVE COMMONS**

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