



Netflix. Disney. Hollywood. Household names all coming from the film industry. The worldwide film phenomenon crosses cultures, languages, and generations. Everyone enjoys a good movie. What makes movies so memorable are often the characters that we meet on the silver screen!

This course is perfect if you want to...

- ✓ **Learn to not just watch but analyze movies**
- ✓ **Discuss and explore personality types**
- ✓ **Form and express independent opinions**

Purpose

This course is designed to grab the interest of participants through the theme of movies and their characters. We will explore these characters by describing, analyzing and debating what makes them so special, so loved, and sometimes, so hated. Each week we will discuss characters from a different movie and connect the ideas to our own world.

Goals

Students complete the course with stronger analytical skills, more confidence in themselves and a better understanding of the world and the people around them. Students must work both independently and collaboratively while expressing themselves clearly and concisely to complete the assigned tasks.

5 x 1-hour sessions -- Min class size: 3 -- Max class size: 6

Class 1 *What makes a character great? Conflict Types. Favourite characters, scenes.*

Class 2 *Klaus (2019)* Animation, Adventure, PG [Info](#)

Change in Characters, Emotions

Class 3 *How to Train your Dragon (2003)* Comedy, Family, PG [Info](#)

Stereotypes. Empathizing with other views

Class 4 *Coco (2018)* Animation, Adventure. PG [Info](#)

Comparing personalities, expectations cultural differences

Class 5 *Onward (2020)* Animation, Adventure PG [Info](#)

Needs vs wants