

LL/M Worksheet 40: The barbeque scene



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Comedy genre: style of film or TV involving humorous storylines, characters, etc.

Conventions: guidelines that audiences expect in a particular genre. They include: storyline, characters, themes, settings, music, dialogue, film techniques.

Stereotype: A type of generalisation in which a single person or thing is taken to represent a class of people or things, for example, stereotypical Australian life-saver is assumed to be tanned, muscular, have blonde hair and blue eyes even though many lifesavers are not like this.

List examples, from TV, film or books, for the following terms below. Draw your ideas from your own viewing, reading and life experiences.

comedy genre	
conventions	
stereotype	

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View **Mortified** clip **Barbeque**.

Complete the analysis by adding points and examples that show how the scene is humorous, uses stereotypes and comedy conventions.

Quote lines of dialogue where possible.

Characters	Dialogue	Action
Brett		
Layla		
Marj		
Leon		
Taylor		
Taylor's mum		
Taylor's dad		
Leon's dad		