

Exposition: parts of an author's story that gradually introduce important/relevant information to readers regarding the characters, places, and things

purpose of exposition:

introduces the reader to character back stories

introduces the reader to a main event that took place before the story began, setting(s), or location(s)

character development:

where they live

what they wear

what they were thinking

where and how exposition can be conveyed:

in dialogue

in narrative

through background details

through characters' thoughts

the three main things that can be researched to portray the important exposition information:

background

legends, tales, rumors

character quirks

family secrets

location

character location

story location

specific places

specific aromas

specific sounds

icon(s) that the location is most known for

history

character history

events/
happenings
history

location history

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