

Talking about Books

Warm-Up Discussion:

1. What genres of books or movies can you name?
2. Which ones do you prefer? Why?
3. What book(s) are you reading now?

Genres:

Romance

Mystery

Thriller

Science Fiction (Sci-fi)

Short story

Biography

Autobiography

Travel books

Self-help

Educational

Can you think of other genres?

Expressions:

- I **like** reading self-help books.
- I **don't like** listening to audio books.
- I **enjoy** reading books in my free time.
- I **don't enjoy** reading romance novels.

- I'm **interested in** sci-fi books.
- I'm **not interested in** comic books.
- This book is really **interesting**.
- It is very **thought-provoking**.
- It is a real **page-turner**.

- Reading books **help me relax**.
- It **helps me** relieve my stress.
- It **puts me to sleep**.

- I can't **put it down**.
- I can **take a break** from the real world.
- I can **escape** from the real world.

- I can't get enough of...
 - ...sci-fi novels.
 - ...it.

- I can't seem to get into...
 - ...comic books.
 - ...it.

Discussion Questions:

1. What kind of books do you enjoy reading?
2. Do you prefer digital books or paper books? Why?
3. Do you enjoy listening to audiobooks?
4. What book(s) can you recommend?
5. What are the benefits of reading books?
6. What is something you can't get enough of?
7. What is something you can't get into?