

ELEMENTARY UNIT 8

- 1 OVERVIEW:** Watch the video. Have you seen any of the films the people talk about?
- 2** Write Finn's questions in the correct order. Watch the video again and check. Notice the pronunciation of the questions and practise saying them aloud.

- 1 often to how the you do cinema go?
How _____?
- 2 what saw was film you the last?
What _____?
- 3 films kinds do what of you like?
What _____?
- 4 favourite who's actor your?
Who's _____?



- 3** How often do they go to the cinema? Look at the people below and read their answers. Then watch the video from 0:20–0:56 and underline the correct answers in italics.



- 1 ... probably only get there once a *week/month*.



- 2 I do go *sometimes/occasionally*.



- 3 ... probably once or twice a *month/year*.



- 4 ... about *once/twice* a week during the summer time.



- 5 ... probably *twice/once* every month or two months.



- 6 I go to the cinema about once every *week/fortnight*.

Glossary: *Once* = one time; *twice* = two times; *fortnight* = two weeks

- 4** Watch the video from 0:58–1:45 and number the films in the order you hear them.

Terminator _____	Goldeneye _____	Star Trek _____	The Departed _____	Bruno <u>1</u>
The Graduate _____	The Proposal _____	Australia _____	Sweeney Todd _____	
Quantum of Solace _____	Slumdog Millionaire _____			

5 Look at the people below and read the things they talk about 1–8. Then watch the video from 1:46–2:44 and match the people A–C to the answers. There are two extra answers.



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| 1 <i>Star Trek</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A | 5 <i>The Graduate</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 India | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6 Helena Bonham Carter | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 <i>Quantum of Solace</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 7 Musicals | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 The new <i>Terminator</i> movie | <input type="checkbox"/> | 8 <i>Sweeney Todd</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

6 Who's their favourite actor? Look at the list of famous actors 1–6 below and what the people say about them A–F. Watch the video from 2:45–3:23 and match 1–6 to A–E.



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| 1 John Wayne | A very funny and lively | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B |
| 2 Daniel Craig | B my favourite actor | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 Angelina Jolie | C very good-looking and talented | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 Johnny Depp | D I look like him | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5 Brad Pitt | E very good at showing emotions | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6 Robert de Niro | F very beautiful and plays lots of different roles in films | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Glossary: *lively* = full of activity; *talented* = has a natural skill (for acting); *emotions* = feelings

7 Look at the people below and watch the video from 2:45–3:23 again. Write their answers to Finn's questions. Watch the video again if necessary.



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| 1 How often
<u>Once</u> or twice a month. | 1 How often
_____ a fortnight. | 1 How often
_____ a fortnight. |
| 2 Last film he saw
_____ | 2 Last film he saw
_____ | 2 Last film he saw
_____ |
| 3 Kinds of films he likes
_____ | 3 Kinds of films he likes
_____ | 3 Kinds of films he likes
_____ |
| 4 Favourite actor
_____ | 4 Favourite actor
_____ | 4 Favourite actor
_____ |

- 8 THE WAY WE SPEAK:** The people below describe films they like in different ways. Watch the video from 1:46–2:44 and complete what they say.



1 I always like romantic comedies. *Slumdog Millionaire* was a _____ movie.



2 I'd probably _____ the new Terminator movie.



3 I really liked it. It was really _____, it was a really _____, romantic comedy.



4 It's a James Bond film and I think the _____ scenes are just absolutely _____ in it.

Glossary: *movie* = film (American English)
absolutely = completely

- 9 Write your answers to the questions.**

1 How often do you go to the cinema?

2 What was the last film you saw?

3 What kinds of films do you like?

4 Who's your favourite actor?

5 Which films from the video podcast did you see? Did you enjoy them? Why/Why not?
