

Rownd 4 Cwis Noson Llyfrau'r Byd

World Book Night Quiz Round 4



## O'r Llyfr i'r Sgrîn Fawr

Fedrwch chi ddyfalu'r ffilm yn seiliedig ar y llyfrau yma?

### From Books to Movies

Can you guess the film based on these books?

1. Based on the book *Nothing Lasts Forever* by Roderick Thorp.

Author Roderick Thorp wrote *Nothing Lasts Forever* after watching *The Towering Inferno*, which features a skyscraper that catches on fire. Thorp envisioned a group of terrorists with guns chasing his character Joe Leland, a retired NYPD detective, through the skyscraper's fiery ash.

2. Based on the book *Lottie and Lisa (Das Doppelte Lottchen)* by Erich Kästner

Disney's original film starring Hayley Mills was based on a German novel titled *Lottie and Lisa (Das Doppelte Lottchen)* from author Erich Kästner. The novel was first published in 1949 and was turned into various film and TV adaptations from nine countries, including the United States, Germany, India, Japan, and Iran.

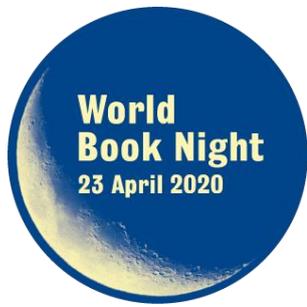
3. Based on the book *First Blood* by David Morrell

Author David Morrell sold the film rights to his novel *First Blood* in 1972, shortly after it was published. But the property went through an extensive development period; there were various iterations of the screenplay because of its subject matter and themes surrounding the Vietnam War.

4. Based on the book *Emma* by Jane Austen

Amy Heckerling's teen comedy is a modern film adaptation of Jane Austen's 1815 novel *Emma*.





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5. Based on the book *Les Liaisons dangereuses (The Dangerous Liaisons)* by Pierre Choderlos de Laclos  
French author Pierre Choderlos de Laclos' *Les Liaisons dangereuses (The Dangerous Liaisons)* serves as the inspiration for this film. The director of the movie moved the story from the 18th century to the modern day, and instead of featuring French aristocrats, he made his characters wealthy and privileged teenagers living in New York City.

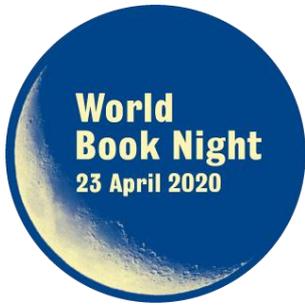
6. Based on the book *Q&A* by Vikas Swarup  
This Academy Award winning film was based on Indian author Vikas Swarup's *Q & A*, which was first published in 2005. The novel followed a young orphan who becomes a very successful game show winner, only to be sent to jail under accusations of cheating.

7. Based on the book *Peter Pan* by J.M Barrie  
When Captain James Hook kidnaps his children, an adult Peter Pan must return to Neverland and reclaim his youthful spirit in order to challenge his old enemy.

8. Based on the book *Wiseguy* by Nicholas Pileggi  
This classic movie starred Robert De Niro, Joe Pesci, and Ray Liotta. The film, directed by Martin Scorsese, follows the story of Henry Hills from his childhood up to fully fledged gangster-hood—just like Henry always wanted it. A classic in its genre this film was nominated for several awards.

9. Based on the book *The Sheep Pig* by Dick King Smith  
This novel won the 1984 Guardian Children's Fiction Prize and tells the inspirational story of a shy Yorkshire piglet who doesn't quite know his place in the world. But when Farmer Hoggett (James Cromwell) wins him at the county fair, this piglet discovers that he can be anything he wants to be - even an award-winning sheepdog!





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### 10. Based on the play *The Taming of the Shrew* by William Shakespeare

This film is often regarded as one of the greatest movies of the 90s! In the film, Cameron falls in love with the most popular girl in school, Bianca, but because of her strict father's rules, he must find someone who is willing to date her sister Kat before he is allowed to take Bianca out. In this famous play, Katherina is set up with Petruchio by her sister's potential suitors.

### 11. Based on the book *A Kestrel for a Knave* by Barry Hines

This film was directed by Ken Loach and featured Colin Welland and Brian Glover. This film told the story of a boy and his pet.

### 12. Based on the book *The Magic Bed Knob* by Mary Norton

This film was made in 1971 and the book that inspired the film was nominated for a Retro Hugo Award. The film centers around three children, Mrs Price and a magical bed taking them on travels to the Island of Uepee in the distant south seas!

### 13. Based on the book *Shoeless Joe* by W P Kinsella

Ray Kinsella lives and farms in Iowa where he grows corn with his wife Annie and their five-year-old daughter Karin. Kinsella is obsessed with the beauty and history of American baseball, specifically the plight of his hero, Shoeless Joe Jackson, and the Black Sox Scandal of the 1919 World Series. When he hears a voice telling him to build a baseball field in the midst of his corn crop in order to give his hero a chance at redemption, he blindly follows instructions.

### 14. Based on the book *Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep?* by Philip K Dick.

Earth's life has been greatly damaged by a nuclear global war, leaving most animal species endangered or extinct. The main plot follows Rick Deckard, a bounty hunter who is tasked with removing six Nexus 6 model androids.

