# "treasured" genres



tells about made up events that could happen in real life

#### expository text

gives facts and details about real people, things, and events

#### drama

a story written to be acted out for others

#### literary nonfiction

tells about a true event or a series of events like a story

#### fairy tale

usually takes place long ago, far away, and usually has fantastic characters

#### humorous fiction

a funny story about imaginary people and events

### <u>informational</u> text

often gives facts about real people places and events that reflect history

#### folk tale

a story that has been handed down for many years

## fantasy

a make-believe story that could never happen in real life

# biography

tells about a real person's life but written by another person

#### <u>fable</u>

a story that teaches a lesson

#### legend

a story about a hero

#### myth

an old story that usually explains something about nature