

M. for Mystery ... Understanding the texts.

1)- Look at the texts and images and complete the grid:

Titles	Published In	Author	Born in	Died in	Hero
<i>Dr Frankenstein</i>	1818	Mary Shelley	1797	1851	Scientist
<i>Murders in the Rue Morgue</i>	1841	Edgar Allan Poe	1809	1849	Detective
<i>The Strange vase of Dr Jekyll And Mr Hyde.</i>	1886	R.L. Stevenson	1850	1894	scientist
<i>The Hound of the Baskervilles</i>	1902	Arthur Conan Doyle	1859	1930	detective
<i>Murder on the Orient Express</i>	1934	Agatha Christie	1891	1976	detective
<i>Goldfinger</i>	1964	Ian Fleming	1908	1964	Secret agent
<i>Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire</i>	2000	JK Rowling	1965	X	wizard

2)- Read the texts again and say if the following sentences are Right or Wrong. Justify your answers by quoting the texts.

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| a- Frankenstein is the name of a monster.
It's the name of the scientist who created a monster. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| b- Auguste Dupin is a policeman.
He is a detective. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| c- Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde are two different people.
He is transformed into a murderous monster. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| d- Sherlock Holmes is a very logical person.
« he uses ... logic to solve crimes. » | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e- Agatha Christie created only one detective.
She created Hercule Poirot and Miss Marple. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| f- Ian Fleming was an ex secret agent.
« He was a secret agent before he became a writer. » | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| g- Harry Potter has magical powers.
« He is a wizard. » | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

3)- All these books have something in common: Murder. Read the texts and find the words or sentences about murders:

Human bodies / kill / murders / terror / murderer / solve / murderous / detective / crimes / die / killer / suspects / alibi / thrillers / plot

4)- All these books have something in common: Mystery. Put the books in one of the categories below:

1. A mystery: who is the culprit? How to beat the enemy?	2. A mysterious atmosphere: scientists pushing the limits of human science, or evil forces using magical or supernatural powers.
Murders in the Rue Morgue / Goldfinger / The Hound of the Baskervilles / Murder on the Orient Express	Dr Frankenstein / Harry Potter / The Strange case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde