



Historical Fiction

Setting	A real place that exists or existed in the past. The story is attached to a specific event or time in history.
Characters	Fictional characters who are believable in the context of the story's setting. Fictional characters who represent groups of people from history. Key players (real people from history) who are significant to the plot. A main character who changes over time.
Plot	The characters are impacted by actual circumstances and events of the story's setting. The main character changes over time.
Most important story elements	Character Setting
What readers will think about	How does the main character change over time? How does the main character overcome challenges? How do the main character's circumstances impact his or her choices? Which details in the story are facts, and which details in the story are fiction?

