

## 6A VOCABULARY Cinema

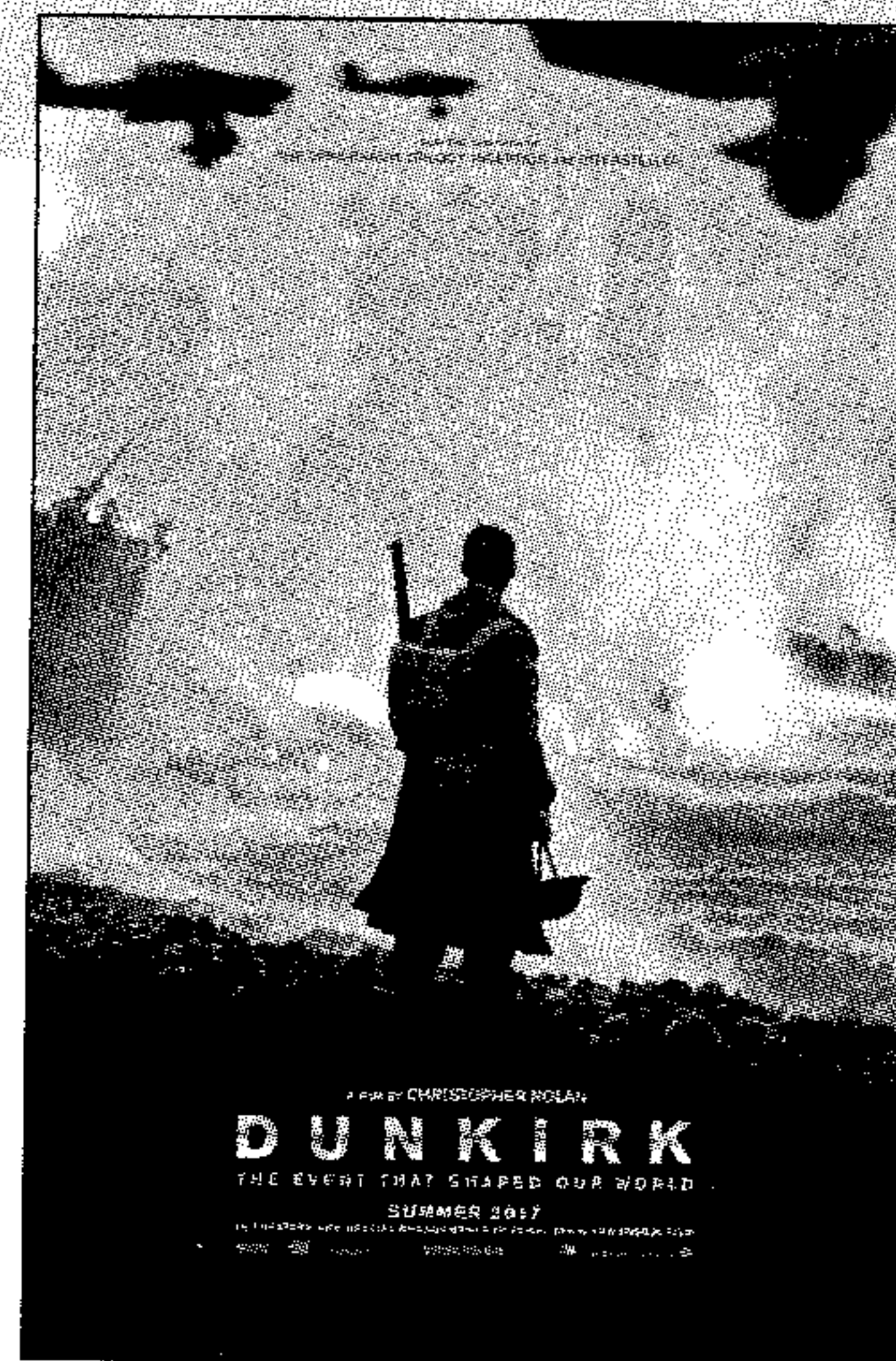
Read the film reviews and complete them with the correct words.



### Bill's Film Reviews

#### Dunkirk

*Dunkirk* is a <sup>1</sup>war film directed by Christopher Nolan, set in World War II during a particularly difficult battle and rescue mission. Nolan has used a lot of actors and <sup>2</sup>e\_\_\_\_\_ to make this a story about many different people, so there isn't one <sup>3</sup>s\_\_\_\_\_ here. That being said, my favourite performance is definitely Tom Hardy's, as a pilot who doesn't give up even when his plane has crashed. It's a very exciting film, scary at times and definitely violent, so I wouldn't recommend it for all ages. The <sup>4</sup>s\_\_\_\_\_, composed by Hans Zimmer, is really intense, and Zimmer has done an amazing job of making the music the perfect background for all the different stories. I will say that having so many characters made the <sup>5</sup>pl\_\_\_\_\_ very complicated, and that made *Dunkirk* very difficult to follow. All in all, I enjoyed *Dunkirk* and I would definitely recommend it!!



### CINEMA LOVER

#### Wonder Woman



I'd been looking forward to *Wonder Woman* since I saw the <sup>6</sup>t\_\_\_\_\_ earlier this year. It didn't disappoint me! One of the big problems with an <sup>7</sup>a\_\_\_\_\_ f\_\_\_\_\_ is that normally there are a lot of <sup>8</sup>s\_\_\_\_\_ e\_\_\_\_\_ and all the digital stuff can make films look a bit silly and unreal. In this case, however, the <sup>9</sup>sc\_\_\_\_\_ is so well written that even the explosions and the superhero costumes didn't annoy me. Gal Gadot plays Diana (they never call her Wonder Woman), a heroine who leaves her perfect island to help humans during World War II. Here, *Wonder Woman* becomes more of a historical film and Diana finds the way men treat her very strange. This creates a lot of funny moments; my favourite <sup>10</sup>sc\_\_\_\_\_ is one in which Diana complains about long skirts being really impractical to fight in! Diana tries to be both strong and kind, as she and her friends search for Ares, the God of War. The film studio has confirmed that there will be a <sup>11</sup>s\_\_\_\_\_ to *Wonder Woman* and I can't wait to see it!



### CLASSIC FILM FAN

#### Seven Samurai

I had read only good things from critics about Akira Kurosawa's classic film *Seven Samurai*, so I was very excited to finally watch it. I watched it in Japanese with English <sup>12</sup>s\_\_\_\_\_ because I don't think it has been <sup>13</sup>d\_\_\_\_\_ into English. I was very surprised by this film. It isn't a <sup>14</sup>c\_\_\_\_\_, but it has some very funny moments. I think I imagined it was going to be a boring <sup>15</sup>d\_\_\_\_\_ and instead it was moving and beautiful. *Seven Samurai* is <sup>16</sup>s\_\_\_\_\_ in Japan in 1586, and tells the story of seven warriors who decide to defend a village against robbers. At first, they do it for money, but then they get to know the people in the village and they really care about them. Each character is very different, but they all become good friends and the cast do a really good job of showing you the change in their relationships. Even if you don't like old films, or films in black and white, I think this is one of those special films that everyone should watch.



### ACTIVATION

Which of the films would you prefer to watch? Why?