

DEFINITIONS

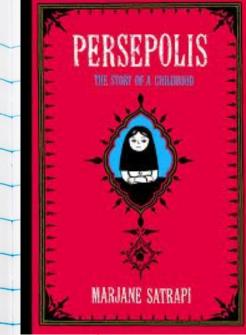
Comic Books- a magazine that presents a serialized story in the form of a comic strip, typically featuring the adventures of a superhero.

Graphic Novels- a novel in comic-strip format.

Experimental Works- work—usually fiction or poetry—that emphasizes innovation, most especially in technique.

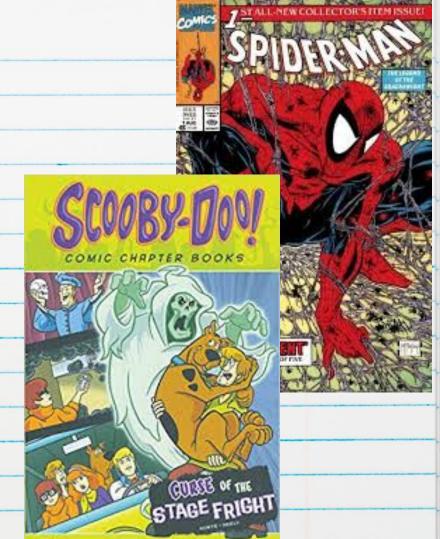
TYPES OF COMICS, GRAPHIC WORKS, AND EXP

- Fiction
- Personal Narrative or Memoir
- Nonfiction
- Manga ("Manga" is the Japanese word for comic but in the US is used to describe Japanese style comics. Manga is read from top to bottom and right to left in the Japanese reading pattern).
 - Superhero Stories



Examples of Comics and Graphic Novels





Examples of Experimental Writing

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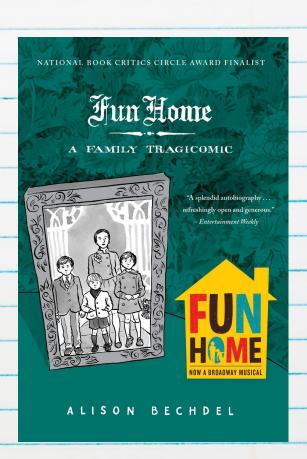
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FUN HOME

Fun Home: A Family Tragicomic is a 2006 graphic memoir by the American cartoonist Alison Bechdel. It chronicles the author's childhood and youth in rural Pennsylvania, United States, focusing on her complex relationship with her father. The book addresses themes of sexual orientation, gender roles, suicide, emotional abuse, dysfunctional family life, and the role of literature in understanding oneself and one's family.



Question Answers 1 and 2

What's The Story About?

The story details an excerpt from her life after her father has died. It takes us through journey of the moments she spent with her father, as well as her mother's current reaction to his death. Finally revealing, the protagonist's guilt about revealing her sexuality her parents, believing its contributed to her father's death.

What's The Story The Piece Is Telling?

A young woman's mother is giving away her deceased father's books. Many works he spent his time escaping into and admiring. The woman's mother is plagued with manaughtny, and in turn looks to catastrophic works. Similarly, she believes her father used books as escapism, highlighting the importance of Gatsby's tragic social life and its contribution to her father escapism. Her father's death being around a similar date to Gatsby deepens the belief just how far her has idolized Gatsby, nonetheless she feel responsible for his death due to her admission of being lesbian. I believe the story is about the woman's inability to escape herself, as she continues to blame herself for the death of her father, creating a mental prison.

Question Answers 3 and 4

What emotions are covered in this piece?

In the excerpt, the emotions shown are ones of grief and loss, and denial. The writer themselves are apart of the story and show the emotion through the dialogue bt also through the imagery itself.

Is the dialogue accurate, lively, and interesting?

The dialogue clearly shows the tone and mood of the comic, it is rather calm but hints at an unspoken conflict, the dialogue is able to catch the reader's attention and pull them into the story, but makes sure to make the reader only a spectator.

Question Answers 5 and 6

Unique Panels, and Interesting Moments

- -under/overhead text are used to incorporate literature and historical
- -dialogue text blend between present, and past conversation(generalized time)
- Varied Use of spacing and boxes

Question Answers 7 and 8

1. The artwork adds to the story because we can now visualize the effect of the dialogue and see how the other characters react.

2. The experiment asks the reader to merge into their universe. To be in that universe.