هنا تلخيص للاشياء المهمة برواية الحديثة الاسماء مكتوبة بالاصفر والرواية بين قوسين

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#### Verisimilitude

a correspondence between the world presented in the novel and the real world of the reader

The novel emerged when authors fused adventure and romance with verisimilitude and heroes

#### **Precursors to the Novel**

First European novel Don Quixote by( Miguel de Cervantes 1605)

First European historical novel *The Princess of( Cleves* Madame de (Lafayette 1678

England's First Professional Female AutAphra Aphra Behn1640-1689

Picaresque Novels A usually autobiographical chronicle of a rascal's travels and adventures

Jack Kerouac's On the Road

**Epistolary Novels** Novels in which the narrative is told in letters by one or more of the characters

(Alice Walker's) The Color Purple

#### The Novel of Manners( Jane Austen)

Gothic Novels Novels characterized by magic, mystery and horror

(Castle of Otranto)

#### The Novel: A Definition According to( M.H. Abrams)

extended works of fiction written in prose

first science fiction novel ((IFrankenstein)) by Mary Shelley

Novels of Sentiment by Laurence Sterne( (Tristam Shandy

#### The emergence of the novel

The emergence of the novel was made possible by many factors

1. The development of the printing press: which enables mass production of reading material.

2. The emergence of a middle class (--middle stationII) with the leisure to read

#### **Pioneers of the English Novel**

(Henry Fielding) and (Samuel Richardson)

#### **Novels of Sentiment**

Novels in which the characters, and thus the readers, have a heightened emotional response to events

#### **Historical Novels**

Sir Walter Scott is considered the father of the historical novel:(( The Waverly Novels

#### **Social Realism**

Charles Dickens By including varieties of poor people in all his novels ((Hard Times

#### The Russian Novel

Fyodor Dostoevsky and Leo Tolstoy

#### Popular Taste :

- When the novel appeared in the 18th century, it was not considered a literary genre.

- Daniel Defoe was a literary merchant and he took advantage of an emerging market and an emerging reading public

- Defoe was more concerned with pleasing the tastes of the public (the

average reader). He was not concerned with pleasing the tastes of the critics.

- He referred to his audience as —honest meaning ignorant persons

#### **Development of Prose Fiction:**

 In <u>the 17th and 18th</u> centuries, prose was still not recognized as a literary form. Only Greek and Latin and English verse were considered —high culture. I English prose was what lower or middle class people read and wrote

-The first novels were published as serial stories in newspapers

### رواية روبنس كروز Robinson Crusoe by Daniel Defoe

Master of plain prose and powerful narrative and-Journalistic style

# Born in 1660 in London

# He witnessed two of the greatest disasters of the seventeenth century: a recurrence of the plague and the Great Fire of London in 1666

# He was an excellent student, but as a Presbyterian, he was forbidden to attend <u>Oxford or Cambridge. He entered a dissenting institution called</u> <u>Morton's Academy</u>

# He worked as a merchant, a poet, a journalist, a politician and even as a spy, and wrote around 500 books and pamphlets

# Defoe published his first novel, Robinson Crusoe, in 1719, when he was around 60 years old

Write the novel when he 59 and puplished when he 60

# Both works straddle the border between journalism and fiction

# Focus on the actual conditions of everyday life

# Defoe used the simple, direct, fact-based style of the middle classes, which became the new standard for the English novel

# Defoe died in London on April 24, 1731, of a fatal "lethargy

# After a tumultuous journey that sees his ship wrecked in a storm, his lust for the sea remains so strong that he sets out to sea again. This journey too ends in disaster and <u>Crusoe becomes the slave of a Moor</u>

# The ship is en route to Brazil. There, with the help of the captain, Crusoe becomes owner of a plantation

# Crusoe helps him, naming his new companion <u>"Friday</u>" after the day of the week he appeared. Crusoe then teaches him English and converts him ro Christianity.

# Crusoe departs for Lisbon to reclaim the profits of his estate in Brazil

# one last adventure together as they fight off hundreds <u>of famished</u> <u>wolves</u> while crossing the Pyrenees.

#\_this first volume had run through four editions

# By the end of the 19th century, no book in the history of Western literature had had more editions, spin-offs and translations than Robinson Crusoe, with <u>more than 700</u>

# The term "<u>Robinsonade</u>" was coined to describe the genre of <u>stories similar</u> to Robinson Crusoe

# Robinson Crusoe is the true symbol of the British conquest

# The idealized master-servant relationship between Crusoe and Friday

# <u>Crusoe</u> represents the <u>enlightened European.II Friday is the savagell</u> who can only be redeemed from his supposedly barbarous way of life through the assimilation <u>into Crusoe's culture</u>.

# Robinson <u>is not a hero</u>, but an everyman--<u>a wanderer to become a pilgrim,</u> <u>building a promised land on a desolate island</u>

# Robinson <u>becomes closer to God</u>, not through listening to sermons in a church but through <u>spending time alone amongst nature with only a Bible to</u> read

### The Anti-Novel Campaign

To tell stories, especially fiction, was still considered by some to be a sin

# Why did the novel become such a dominant literary form in the Victorian period

✓The growth of cities, which provided bigger markets

- ✓ The development of overseas readership in the colonies
- ✓ Cheaper production costs both for paper and for print processes
- ✓ Better distribution networks
- ✓The advertising and promotion work

✓ Add to that, the spread of literacy, the increase in wealth, the development of a middle class with leisure time, etc

#### "A novel is a splendid thing after a hard day's work"

practical tussle with the real —<u>A novel is a splendid thing after a hard day's</u> work, a sharp worldll

This is how one of the characters in Mary Braddon's The Doctor's Wife (1864) described the novel. Reading fiction is a way of relaxing or winding down after a day of hard work

#### **Novel Writers:**

- Novel writers were told in the Saturday Review 1887 that the average reader of novels is not a critical person, that he/she cares little for art for art's sake, and has no fixed ideas about the duties and responsibilities of an author: <u>all</u>

he asks is that he may be amused and interested without taxing his own brains.ll

- Eventually, a distinction developed between novels that were intellectually, psychologically and aesthetically demanding and ones that served primarily as a means <u>of escapism and entertainment</u>

#### Happy Endings:

- <u>Until the end of the 19th century</u>, there were palpable demands on novel writers to make their novels have a happy ending.

- <u>Dickens is known to have changed the ending</u> of some of his novels to please the reader with a happy ending.

- <u>George Eliot is know to have opposed the idea</u>. She demanded that the readers should curb their desire for fiction to provide the exceptional and romantic

#### Novels and Romance :

The <u>issue of happy endings</u> was essentially a question <u>about the place of</u> <u>romance in the novel</u>

#### The Development of realism :

- The <u>foundations of early</u> bourgeois realism were laid <u>by Daniel Defoe and</u> <u>Jonathan Swift</u>

#### **Realism in the Victorian Novel :**

<u>Realist writers</u> sought to narrate <u>their novels from an objective</u>, <u>unbiased</u> <u>perspective</u> that <u>simply and clearly</u> represented the factual elements of the story

#Realist writers are widely celebrated for their mastery of objective, <u>third-person narration</u>.

#Many realist novels are considered to <u>be reliable sociocultural documents of</u> <u>nineteenth-century society</u>.

### **Characteristics of the Realist Novel**

The Realist novel of the nineteenth century was <u>written in opposition to the</u> <u>Romance of medieval times</u>

#### **Modernism**

Rejection of Realism and Naturalism became common

### What modernism stressed instead was

"Self" is seen as artificial, a social fiction

# **Modernist fiction**

Uses first person narrator

### رواية قلب الظلام Heart of Darkness: Background

### Joseph Conrad: 1857-1924

According to Conrad, it is based on real events-

✤ Conrad is "Marlow" in the novella.

& Conrad, born in Russia of Polish parents, <u>did not learn to speak English until he was in</u> <u>his late 20s</u>

# Heart of Darkness is set in the Congo at the time of the Belgian colonization

#Leopold II became king of Belgium in 1865 He, was greedy, inept, and unscrupulous

### The Colonization of the Congo

# <u>Leopold</u> II financed exploration <u>of the Congo area</u>, laid claim to it<u>, and made it his private</u> <u>colony</u>

# It belonged to the man, not to the country of Belgium. It was therefore called a "<u>crown</u> <u>colony."</u>

# The Congo Free State

<u># Leopold</u> called it the "<u>Congo Free State</u>, Later it became known <u>as Zaire</u> and is <u>now called</u> <u>Democratic Republic of Congo</u>

<u># Leopold</u> The native people were treated as commodities, and atrocities were committed against them

#<u>Stanley cut a deal</u> with the chiefs of the native tribes and got economic control

# Stanley gained control by offering the chiefs bribes

# Leopold declared a monopoly on rubber and ivory

# Leopold set up a mercenary force called the Force Publique

# most of them Africans. They controlled Congo Free State for Leopold for 23 years

# <u>An 1884 treaty signed by Stanley and the chiefs gave the chiefs a piece of cloth in</u> <u>exchange for all of their waterways</u>, roads, game, fishing, mining rights, and freedom—FOREVER

### **Forced Labor**

#<u>The only difference between forced labor and slavery</u> is that the workers in forced labor situations are not actually owned by other people #Forced labor is even worse than slavery because in slavery, the <u>"owner</u>" is anxious to protect his <u>"property" and has to feed them and clothe them</u>. In Forced labor, the worker work for free and are responsible for their own food etc

### Leon Rom and Kurtz

<u>Conrad, author of Heart of Darkness, #المؤلف كوندر وليس الراوي فرقوا بينها</u>

# Marlow in the novella = Joseph Conrad

# Kurtz in the novella = Leon Rom, head of the Force Publique

# The novel begins on a yacht called the Nellie at the mouth of the river Thames in London

# <u>Five men</u> relax on the deck of <u>the ship</u>: the Director of Companies, who is also the captain هنا الراوي لرواية قلب and host, the Lawyer, the Accountant, Marlow, and <u>the unnamed Narrator</u> الظلام وليس المؤلف

#Suddenly Marlow remarks that this very spot (London, the Thames) was once ("one of the (dark places of the earth."

#<u>Marlow</u> recounts how he obtained a job with the Belgian "<u>Company</u> influence <u>of his aunt</u>

The doctor takes measurements of his skull,

# <u>Marlow returns back</u> to the story. The Inner Station comes into view now. <u>It looks decayed</u> <u>but is still standing</u>

# Finally, one night, Kurtz admits to Marlow that he is "waiting for death

# Kurtz cries out—"<u>The horror!</u> The horror horror!"—and Marlow flees, not wanting to watch the man die.

# Marlow lies and tells her that Kurtz's last word was her name

# Finally, Marlow goes to see Kurtz's fiancée

رموز الرواية اضفتها من عندى لانها مهمة

# Symbols: Darkness

Darkness is most often used metaphorically. Darkness is the inability to see

this may sound simple, but think about it as a description of the human condition,

# Symbols: Fog

Fog is similar to darkness

Marlow's steamer is caught in the Fog

Fog not only obscures but distorts

## Symbols: The White Sepulchre

The "whited sepulchre" is probably Brussels

"whited sepulchre" comes from the biblical Book of Matthew

"whited sepulchres" as something beautiful on the outside but containing horrors within (the bodies of the dead

# Symbols: The River

The Congo River is the key to Africa for Europeans

The river also seems to want to expel Europeans from Africa altogether:

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The manners, customs and conventions of a particular class

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Question 1: Marlow's adventures in Heart of Darkness take place in

The African Congo

Question 2: The direct narrator in Heart of Darkness is

Marlow

Question 3: Who helped Marlow get hired at the Company

Aunt

Question 4: In Heart of Darkness, the Africans are constantly described as

Animals