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Film is growing in Africa

1 Vocabulary

to shoot a film to make a film release a film show a film in public

2 Comprehension Questions

Indiquez si les expressions suivantes sont vraies (True) ou fausses (False).

- 1. There are many films made in Africa
- 2. It is difficult to find financial support for film making
- Showing a film at a festival will make money for the film
- 4. Nollywood produces more films than Hollywood
- 5. Netflix has been interested in African films for a long time

3 Reading Comprehension -

Questions de compréhension en lecture

- 1. What do film makers think about Africa?
- 2. What kind of film is rare in the mainstream?
- 3. Who provides the money to make films in Africa?
- 4. What is the problem after finishing shooting a film?
- 5. What kind of people attend the festivals in the US and Europe?
- **4 Speaking Practice** Activités orales Pratiquez vos compétences orales répétez ces phrases.
- 1. Films are expensive to make so there is a problem of funding
- 2. There are many documentaries about African wildlife
- African films were very popular among audiences
- 4. The festivals attract a wide audience

5 Speaking Practice - Activités orales Exercez-vous à parler - répondez à ces questions en anglais:

- 1. Which international festival has been good for African films?
- 2. How did the Nollywood industry start?
- 3. What happened to Nollywood films?
- 4. Why have Netflix decided to increase their list of Nollywood films?

6 Match the sentences (A-D) and (E-H) –

Faire correspondre les phrases (A-D) et (E-H).

- A The money to make films
- B One way to achieve this
- C In the early days
- D Since 2000
- E they have increased production
- F comes from outside Africa
- G is to show a film at a festival
- H producers made films cheaply

7 True or False? - Vrai ou Faux?

- 1 Distributors show films at festivals
- 2 There are few cinemas in Nigeria
- 3 Streaming films will help the African cinema industry
- 4 Appoline was born and studied in Africa

8 Fill in the gap - Remplir le vide

Often the films were ...1... onto DVD. Films started to be ...2... over social media too. Now online ...3... companies like Netflix have ...4... interested. Netflix had a few films on its list for a few years. Now more and more people are interested in African films, so they have ...5... to increase their list.



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Answers –

- 2 Comprehension questions True/False
- 1. True
- 2. True
- 3. False
- 4. False
- 5. False

3 Reading Comprehension

- 1. It's an exotic location
- 2. A film from an African writer with African director and African actors
- 3. Foreign companies/inverstors
- 4. Finding the money for distribution
- 5. The expatriot community and people interested in finding out more about Africa

5 Speaking Practice - Activités orales

Exercez-vous à parler - répondez à ces questions en anglais:

- 1. The Cannes film festival
- 2. Making cheap films for the DVD market
- 3. People pirated the films and shared them on social media
- 4. More people have become interested in Nollywood films

6 Match the sentences (A-D) and (E-H) –

Faire correspondre les phrases (A-D) et (E-H).

- A=F
- B=G
- C=H
- D=E
- 7 True or False? Vrai ou Faux?
- 1 False
- 2 True
- 3 True
- 4 False
- **8** Fill in the gap Remplir le vide
- 1 pirated
- 2 shared
- 3 streaming
- 4 become
- 5 decided