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Is This Opinion Writing?



Determine if the examples would be opinion writing or not. Why or why not?

1. An eyewitness account. _____

2. A letter to the editor. _____

3. A article about dogs. _____

4. A journal or a diary. _____

5. A movie review. _____

6. An advertising brochure. _____

7. A biography. _____

8. A book review. _____

ANSWERS:

1. An eyewitness account. NO this is a recount.
2. A letter to the editor. Yes, this is opinion based.
3. A article about dogs. NO, this is expository/informational.
4. A journal or a diary. NO, this is recount.
5. A movie review. YES, an opinion about a movie.
6. An advertising brochure. Yes usually and sometimes persuasive.
7. A biography. NO
8. A book review. YES, and opinion about the book. NOT to be confused with a book report which provides an overview about the book without an opinion.