

My 3 Ideas

In this document there are 3 ideas that outline my rough aim for this project, these 3 ideas have enough information to develop a much more detailed 3 act structure and create more documentation to pursue the idea.

Idea 1 (Created in lesson)

5-10 minute short film

Lone wolf. Stranded across the ocean. Away from civilization.

Starting Point : Location

The location will be on a beach with a forest style setting (Tropical / Rainforest).

As this will be more of a tropical setting, we can achieve this through colour grading and lighting.

There is a person who is "alone" on this island and is unsure as to how they got there.

They are trying to get off the island, they make a plan in the sand to understand their situation.

Rough Outline:

Start : Character alone on an island, tries to make an escape plan, he then tries to build a survival shelter, but a sudden change in the weather leads to him seeking shelter in the natural rock overhang, he decides to get a bit of rest while the weather dies down.

Middle : Character wakes up to men dressed in black, he ends up getting held hostage by territorial troops on their island. He sends an Emergency call out to someone.

End : The Group decide to keep him, but they discover he is a part of the United Kingdom's Secret Service and they cannot risk keeping him as he may unleash the manpower on the territorial group. He gets rescued by his fellow servicemen & women after creating a heated argument between two rivaling groups.

More info

Location : Tropical Island in the pacific ocean

Character : Man wearing dusty discoloured white shirt with green canvas shorts and appears more on the civilian survivalist side rather than an expert, this is to mask his true identity.

Genre : Action, Survival, Suspense

Moment : When the "civilian survivalist" meets the men in all black and they order him to move with hand gestures while speaking another language, they then get the boss, he speaks a bit of english to understand this man.

Idea 2

Starting Point : Character

The character is going to be a young teenage boy who doesn't seem to fit into his surroundings. This can be his friend group, classes and even family sometimes. He has struggles to find the way to be "normal" but he is who he is.

Rough Outline:

Start : Character is waking up and he sits on the end of his bed, he hears his mum shout upstairs “breakfast is ready”, he then gets dressed and comes down stairs to greet his mum, he eats quietly, she asks him “how’s the new school dear?” he mumbles something and finishes his breakfast, the boy then gets ready to leave for school. We see him walking and going to school but in the background we see two taller students come up behind him quickly and rapidly.

Middle : The character is sat in a room with the head of the school enquiring who would do such a thing to a top student like this boy, he mumbles, trying not to give away information to be a “grass”. He gets questioned by the head of the school for a good 30 minutes and as he leaves the office he goes to lesson, everyone doesn't notice him, even with his battered face. The boy has had enough so he decides to get up and leave. As he is leaving he sees one of the older students who hurt him that morning, he goes up to him and smacks him to tease the older student, he runs, he gets chased, once outside the building they both know no one can stop them, they just start going at it at this fight scene.

End : The young shy boy, wins the fight, after showing that not all people are who they seemed, he was a semi - professional MMA fighter, he proved that not all people need to be out there and mean to be tough, he showed everyone that being different isn't weird its a quality that allows him to do what he wants. He then heads home as he walks through the door his mum shouts “what happened to you, do i need to call your father?” he replies “school was fun today, we had some PE lessons, not to worry mum.” he heads upstairs. END.

More info

Location : Small area, House near school, alleyways, wide open field / concrete to have the fight.

Character : Young boy in Year 10, who seems quiet but is actually a semi professional MMA fighter. He wears a blazer with school trousers and black shoes accompanied by his bag.

Genre : Thriller, Suspense

Moment : The young boy looking down to the older student smiling while the older student is hanging his hands above his face, he walks away.

Idea 3

Starting Point : Character

The character for this idea is a young man who has struggled with mental health from a young age, to cope with this he goes on his bike. But he ends up being able to cycle for charity and raise money for a mental health charity.

Rough Outline:

Start : A young man aged roughly in his early 20's has struggles with mental health so in order to combat this he decides to go on bike rides and he does this very frequently, he is a rather fit and athletic person due to his ability to keep cycling over a long period of time. The man finds out one day he is more than capable of cycling a great distance that would be a rather fun event. He starts frantically running about his house in excitement. He then thinks out loud, "i can even do a bike ride for charity, maybe even one to support my own cause, that would be nice to give inspiration to my fellow people, who struggle too". He gets his computer and searches for a bike race for charity. He finds it, he books it, he gets a charity sponsor, he gets ready.

Middle : He meets down at the beach, he gets ready to start his long and strenuous cycle from Hartlepool to Whitby, a 43 mile cycle in 5 hours or under, he gets ready to start his long journey. And off he goes, off with rapid pace, he keeps cycling, mile after mile people film him and post him on social media, more and more people see him and cheer him on, he gets more motivated by people cheering and it keeps fuleing him up to go faster and further. Mile after mile he keeps going, people are now donating online because of the spread from everyone. He voiceovers while cycling talking about how he wishes his brother could have done this with him, but he unfortunately couldn't as he is no longer here with us.

End : He's right at the end slowly but surely exhausted and tired he slowly keeps going, really tired and out of breath he stops at the finish line, he lies down on the floor looking up at the sky and says "did this for you bro". He gets up and sits down on a nearby bench, a crowd of people come over and congratulate him, they bring him water, snacks, ice cream and even food. The word soon spread on social media in the local area there was a man cycling for charity to support a cause that meant a lot to him. He is immensely proud of his achievement, he sits on the sea wall and watches the sun set. END.

More info

Location : Beach, Coastline.

Character : Young fit athletic man, wearing shorts and a t-shirt with sunglasses and trainers.

Genre : Sports

Moment : Where he looks up at the sky and smiles with a tear out the corner of his eye, words cant describe his feelings just the picture can paint the words.