

# Plot Structure Components

**Climax:** The turning point. The most intense moment (either mentally or in action).

**Rising Action:** the series of conflicts and crisis in the story that lead to the climax.

**Falling Action:** all of the action which follows the Climax.

**Exposition:** The start of the story. The way things are before the action starts.

**Resolution:** The conclusion, the tying together of all of the threads.