

Practical Exercise 15

Objectives:

1. To use selected **movies** as a source of historical reference for costume.
2. To identify movies as one of the sources of fashion trends.

Material Required:

1. Unlined/ blank sketchbook (A3).
2. Scissor, glue.
3. Fashion magazines.

Procedure:

The teacher will do the following:

- i. Discuss a few movies based on the following criteria:
 - * Movies in which the costumes have started fashion trends in India.
 - * Movies in which the costumes have been designed after authentic research.
 - * Movies which have won national / international awards for Best Costume.
2. Discuss the costumes through a PPT of selected stills from the movie.
3. Discuss whether the costume designers of these movies are fashion designers too.

The students will do the following:

1. Identify a movie based on one of the above criteria which he/she has viewed earlier.
2. Review the movie again and analyze the details of the costumes and accessories.
3. Find visuals from old/ current magazines or internet which show the popularity and spread of these designs across society.
4. Compile the visuals in a notebook in a way to show how the original costume has inspired the commercial designs.

Observation and Discussion:

1. Does commercial success of movies affect the popularity of costumes?
2. Does the star status of the actors affect the popularity of costumes?
3. Does fashion inspired from movie costumes spread across society?