

**Task: Watch the opening five minutes *Scream*.**

Jot down your notes and answer the questions below:

1. How is the plot or NARRATIVE built up here? (What do we learn about the story of the film, and how?)

2) What do we learn about the characters? HOW do we learn these things about them? (physical type, costume, expressions, etc.)

3) What conventions of film are used that help make this a horror film? (setting, props, camera angles, camera movement, editing, sound, lighting, color, etc.)

4) What themes of the film are explored here?

5) What outside factors have influenced this film in the themes and choice of characters?