

SCRIPT FORMAT EXEMPLAR: Annotated Version

Scene headings must:

- *be in bold & centred*
- *be numbered*
- *give this information - interior/exterior, location & time of day*

FONT: Courier 12 point

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Script description & action must be left aligned & in narrow column

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Dialogue must be in a centre column with the name of the character in capitals.

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MR VAN DER TANG (O/S)

Out! (SHOUTED)

Joseph storms out of the classroom.

Small directions can be included in the dialogue & printed in capitals.

2. EXT MALUKA PARK AFTERNOON

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Use these when dialogue is off screen (O/S) or is voice over (V/O).

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