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books, films, or cartoons about an imagined future, especially about space travel or other planets:

1. What is your favorite science fiction film / character / author ?

2. Can you describe any futuristic technology that you've seen in these shows / read in these books? Are they realistic? Will they become reality one day?

3. What is the difference between science fiction and fantasy?

4. What types of people do you think are mostly interested in science fiction?

Can science fiction help us to predict the future?

Video -
https://ed.ted.com/lessons/how-science-fiction-can-help-predict-the-future-roey-tzezana/review_open#question-8

Let's Begin...

Would you like to know what's in our future? What's going to happen to humanity tomorrow, next year, or even a millennium from now? Well, you're not alone. Everyone from governments to military to industry leaders do as well, and they all employ people - called 'futurists' - who attempt to forecast the future. Roey Tzezana explains some of the ways that futurists venture to do so.

<u>**Watch**</u>

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Futurist /ˈfjuː.tʃər.ɪst/

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Futurists use rational or scientific methods of anticipating future events.

forecast

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They forecast a large drop in unemployment over the next two years.

Accuracy

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We can predict changes with a surprising degree of accuracy.

in one fell swoop

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When the economy crashed, thousands lost their jobs, their homes, and their pensions in one fell swoop.

Indistinguishable /ˌɪndɪˈstɪŋgwɪʃəbl/

Many toy pistols are indistinguishable from real guns.

take for granted

The boss takes us for granted, but if we weren't here, this whole company would collapse.

Endeavor /enˈdev.ɚ/

Crossing the North Pole on foot was an amazing feat of human endeavor.

Prophet /ˈprɑf·ɪt/
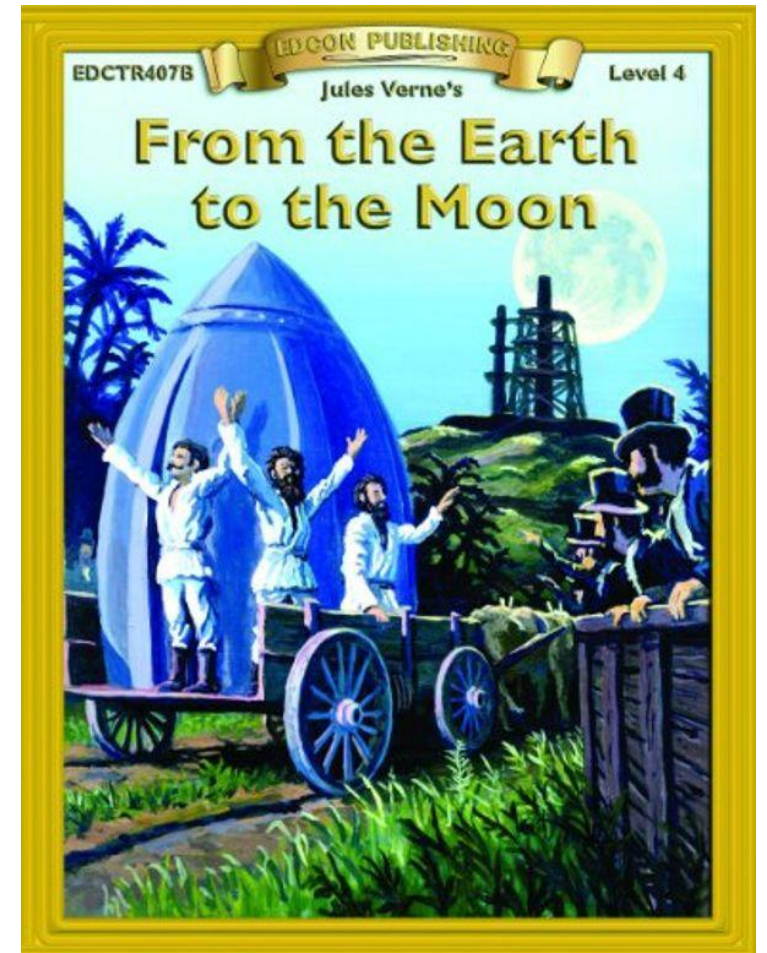
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Gandhi was the prophet of non-violent protest.

Muhammad, the Prophet of Allah

Assumption

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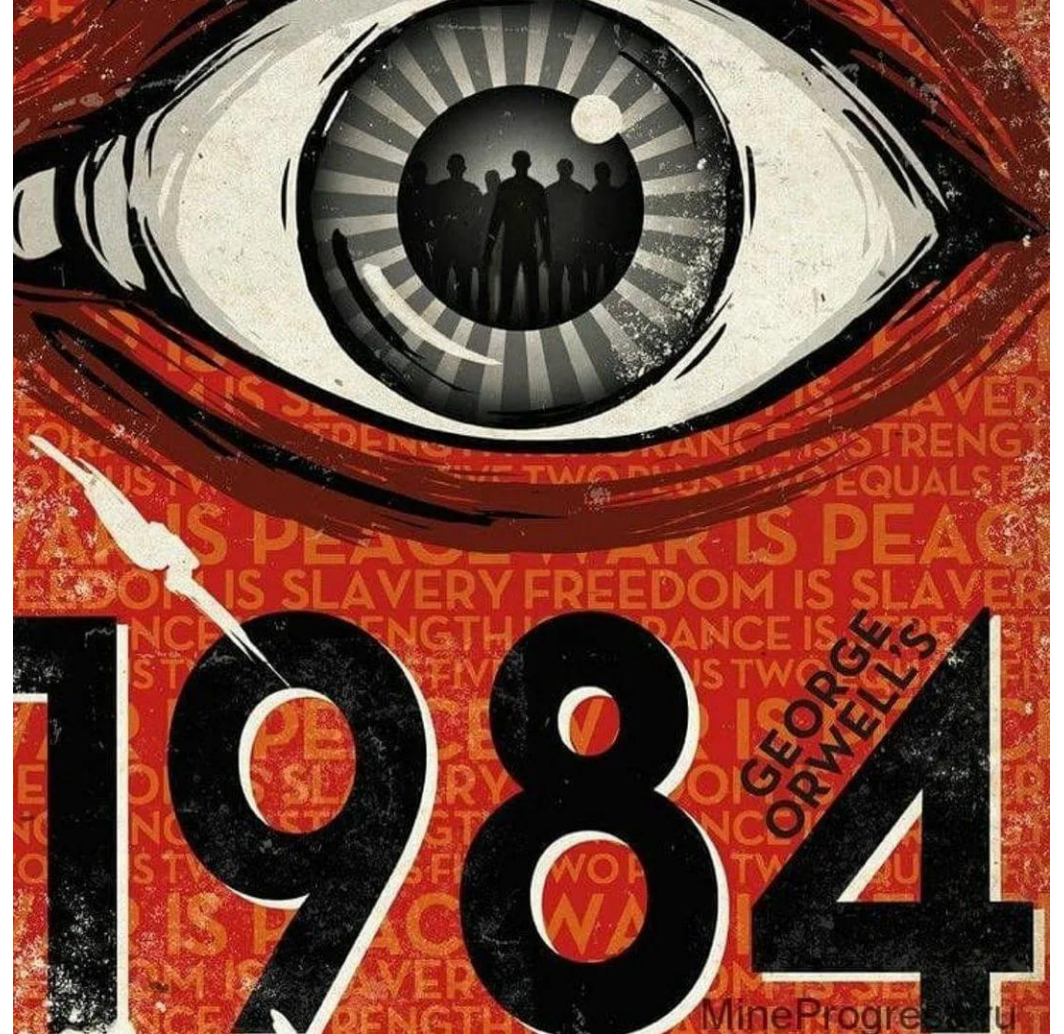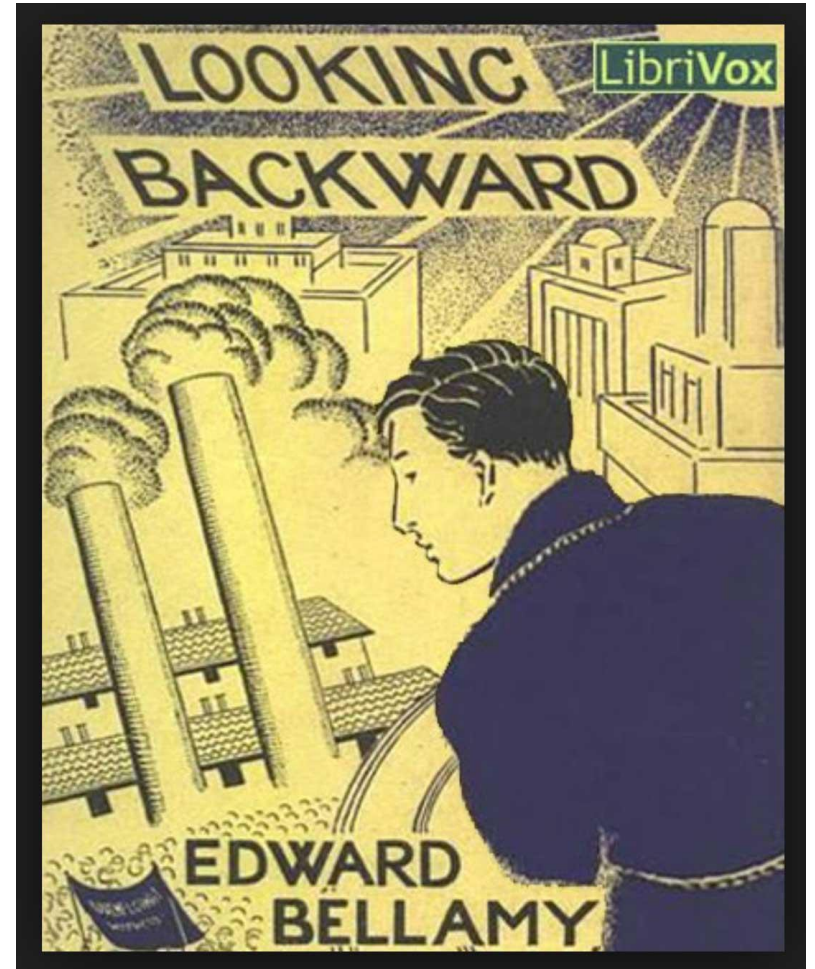*People tend to make assumptions about you when you have a disability.*

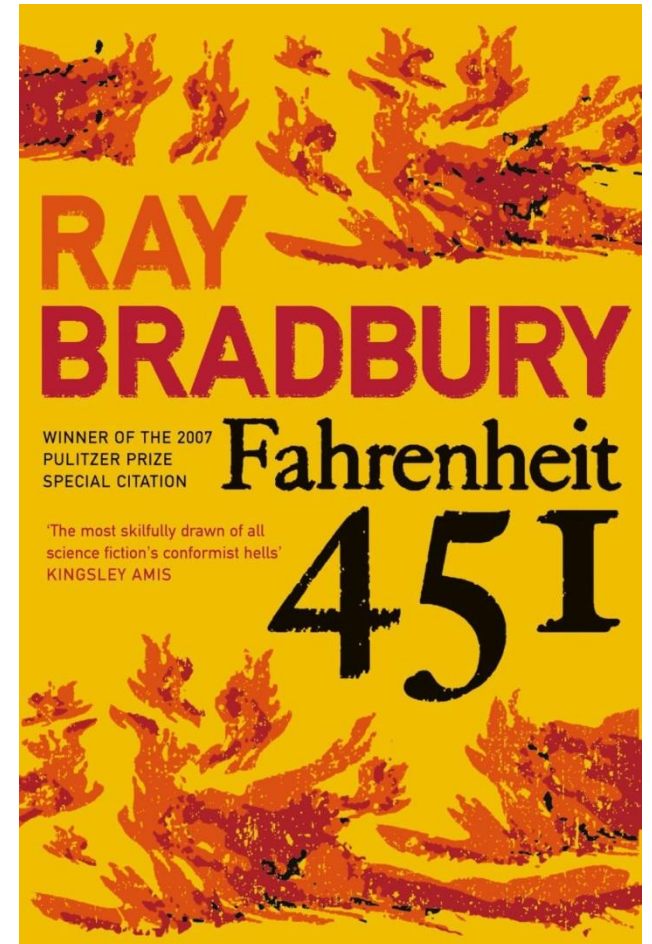Jules Verne

George Orwell

dystopia
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Edward Bellamy

Ray Bradbury

WINNER OF THE 2007 PULITZER PRIZE SPECIAL CITATION

RAY BRADBURY

Fahrenheit 451

'The most skilfully drawn of all science fiction's conformist hells'
KINGSLEY AMIS

Student A	Student B
The Lunar Landing	Mass surveillance equipment
Credit and debit cards	Wireless headphones/earphones
The internet	Solar power
Mechanical hands	AI, virtual assistants and tablets
Satellite TV and electric cars	Bionic limbs

Vocabulary - https://wordwall.net/resource/25252149/ef-upper-10a-extra
Reading -
https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/live-lessons/10-ways-science-fiction-predicted-future/z6dynrd

1. Who?
2. When?
3. What?

https://wordwall.net/resource/25252458/ef-upper-10a-extra

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