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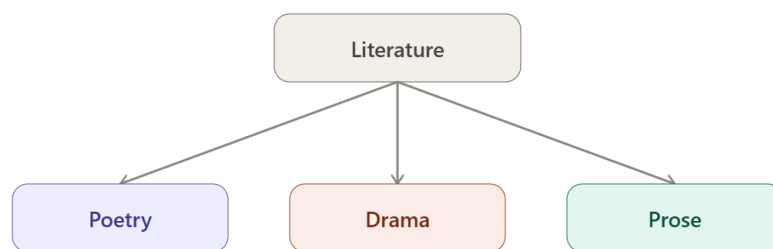
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Classifications of Literature

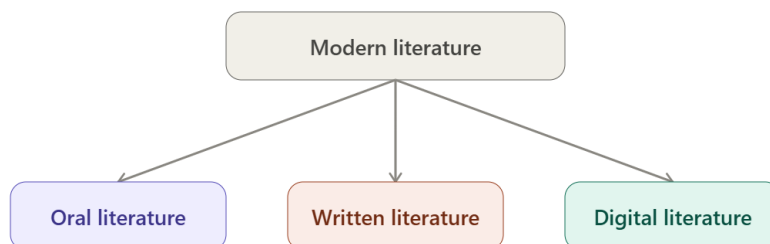
The classical types of literature are:

- 1- Poetry
- 2- Drama
- 3- Prose



The general modern types of literature are:

- 1- Oral Literature
- 2- Written Literature
- 3- Digital Literature



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Poetry is generally divided into:

1-Narrative Poetry:

- a-Ballad
- b-Epic.....etc.

2-Lyrical Poetry:

- a-Lyric
- b-Satire
- c-Elegy
- d-Ode
- e-Song
- f-Sonnet...etc.

3-Dramatic Poetry:

- Dramatic monologue

Drama is divided into:

- 1-Comedy**
- 2-Tragedy**
- 3-Tragicomedy**

Prose is divided into:

- 1-Fictional Prose**
- 2-Non-Fictional Prose**

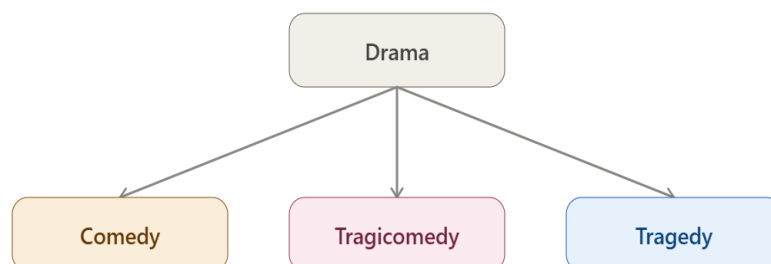
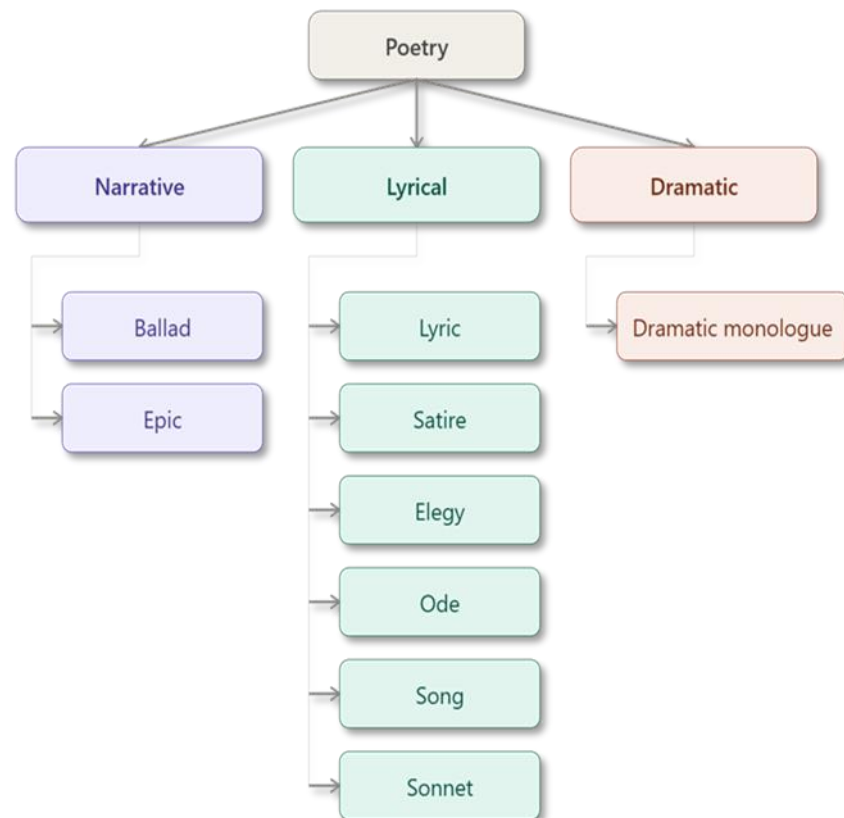
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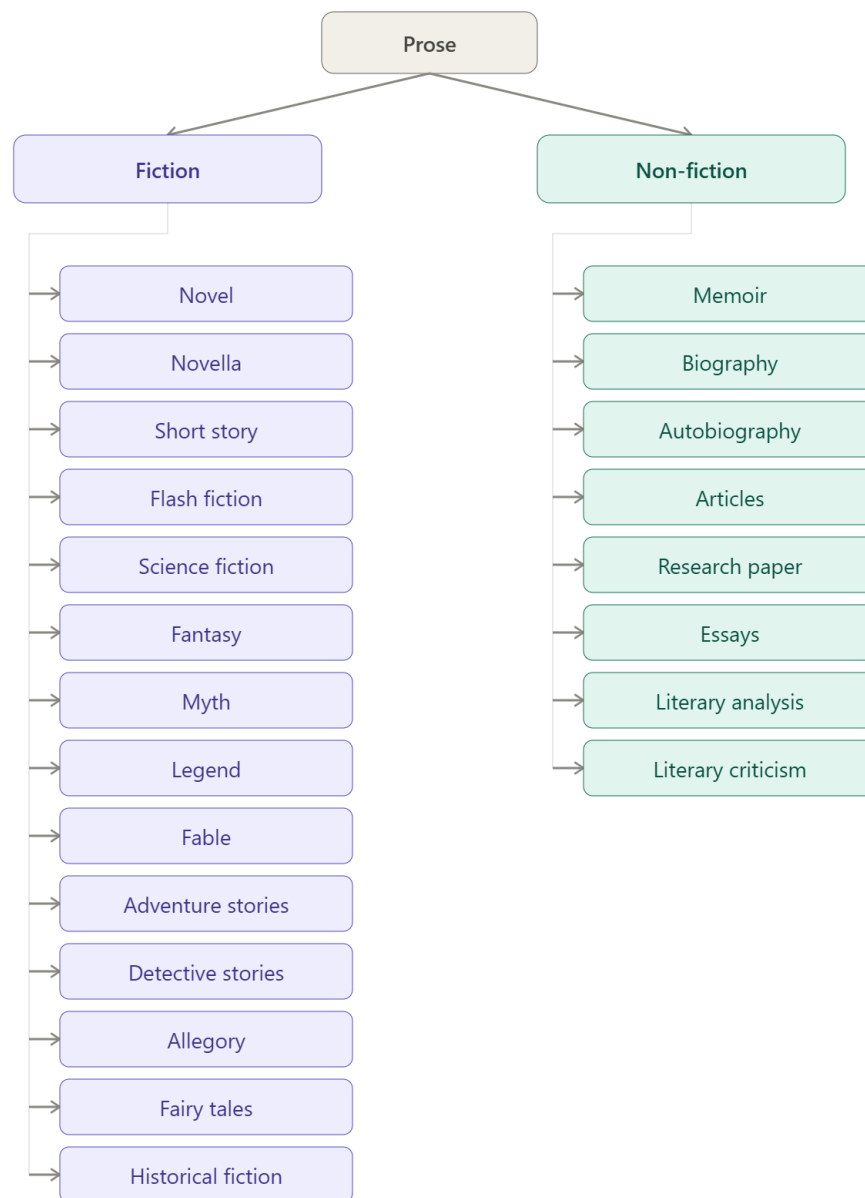
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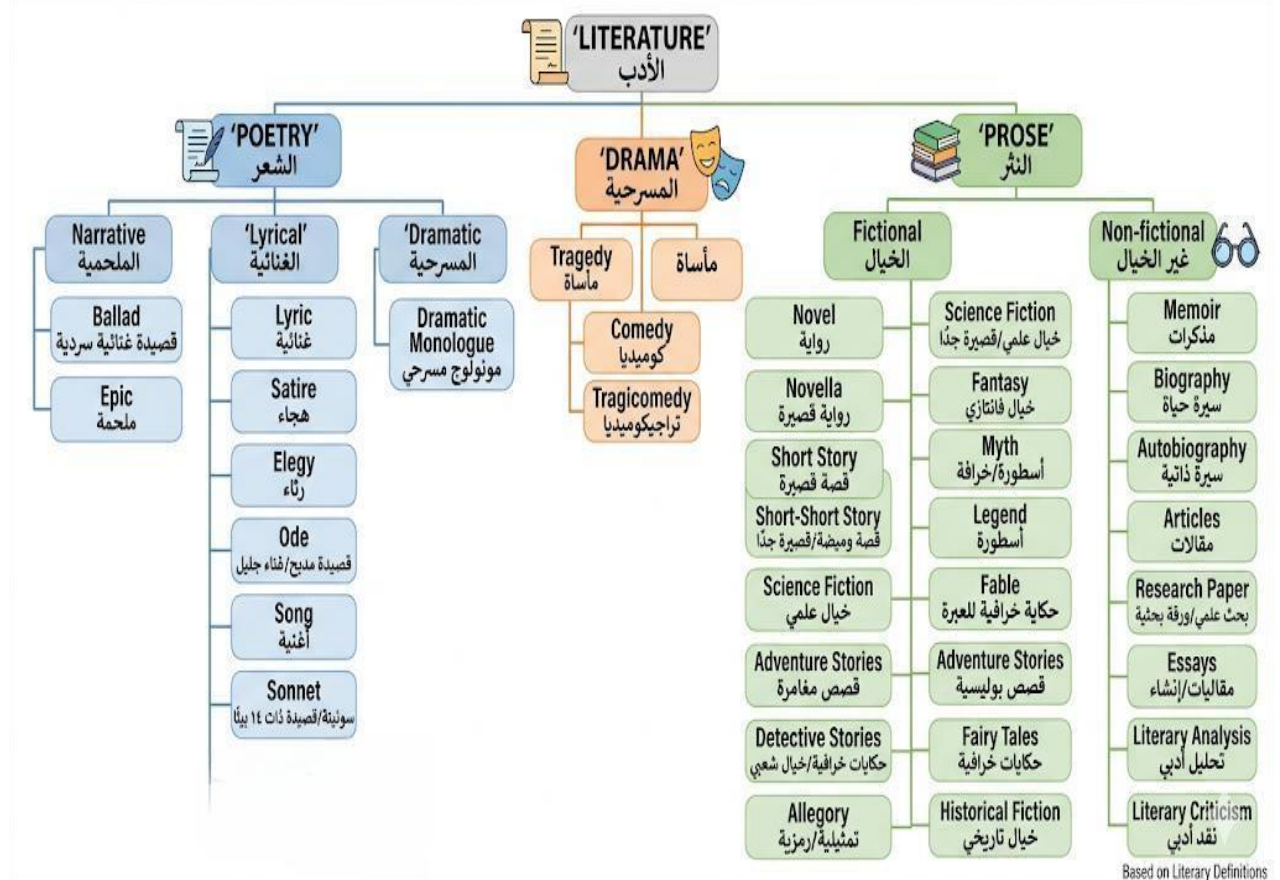
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