

Sequel- Beyond Paradise Name _____ Period _____

DEFINITION OF SEQUEL

A **sequel** is a **literature, film, theatre, television** show **that continues the story of, or expands upon, some earlier work.**

A sequel portrays events set in the same **fictional universe** as an earlier work, usually time wise following the events of that work.

The sequel continues elements of the original story, often with the same characters and settings. A sequel can lead to a **series**, in which key elements appear repeatedly.

EXAMPLES OF SUCCESSFUL HOLLYWOOD MOVIE SEQUELS

Transformers (2007) ... Pitch Perfect 2--Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me-Shrek 2- Cars 2-

Tips on Writing a Good Sequel—click here to read the article

1. Ensure That the Original Warrants a Sequel-this one does
2. Do Not Simply Remake The Original
3. Understand that audiences want SOMETHING NEW, but the SAME.
4. Do not dismiss what the characters did in the original
5. Take The Original Characters Forward
6. Remember the Original Characters are the franchise (why the movie was successful)
7. Use the original atmosphere /mythos from the original movie
8. Do Not reinvent the wheel (change things characters etc too much)
9. A Sequel is only as good as it's villain (main conflict)
10. Ask these key questions-

What did they accomplish in the original or predecessor? What did they learn from that accomplishment? What conflict(s) can we throw at them to challenge the skills or knowledge that they had learned? How will they deal with that challenge and conflict? There's the sequel...

CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT	WHAT HAPPENED WHEN THE ORIGINAL MOVIE ENDED	WHAT HAPPENS TO THEM IN THE NEXT MOVIE-SEQUEL
LEHUA		
MARK THOMPSON		
ZULU		
RONNIE BOY		
KE'AU		

Summary-Write a 2-3 paragraph summary of what happens to your characters and your new story in your Beyond Paradise 2 sequel..

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