## **Story Elements: Plot**

Plot is the structure or organization of events that make up a story.

## **Parts of the Plot:**

- A. <u>Exposition</u>- Beginning of the story that introduces the conflict, character, and setting.
  - B. <u>Rising Action</u> Events before the climax; the character's attempt to solve the problem
  - C. <u>Climax</u> The turning point; the point of greatest suspense or action; highest point in the passage
  - D. <u>Falling Action</u> Action and events that occur after the climax (leads into the resolution)
  - E. <u>Resolution</u> end of the story where the conflict or problems are solved.

