

## RECOMMENDED FILM

Courses:	5th and 6th year primary
Skill:	FRIENDSHIP
Film:	Wide Awake
Month:	October

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habits and strengths

### FILM INFO

Title: Wide Awake

Director: M. Night Shyamalan

Year: 1998

Quality: 7

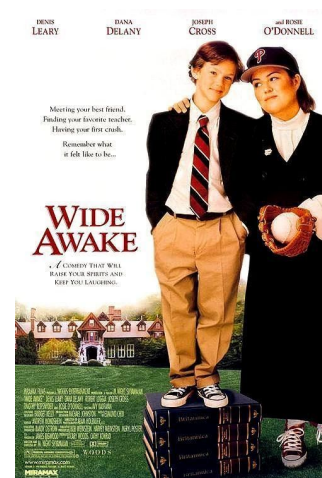
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Duration: 91 minutes

Production: American

Genre: Drama

Music: Edmund Choi



### SYNOPSIS:

Josh is a 10 year old boy who needs to grow up fast. His devout Catholic grandfather, who he was very close to, has recently died. This absence leads him on an earnest mission, to search for God.

This is a unique film that is divided into three parts: the search, questioning, and finding answers about God – and which all combine facets of comedy. Josh is a student at a religious school and his questions about why our loved ones die, why is there sickness and suffering and why it seems that God is not listening, are all raised

### QUOTES FROM THE FILM

"One thing I've learned is that the people I love don't live forever."

"It's as if I was asleep before and finally I woke up. You know what? Now I'm awake."

"Joshua, why do you feel the need to do these things?"

"These are the kids in my class. The kids in uniform don't smile much."