

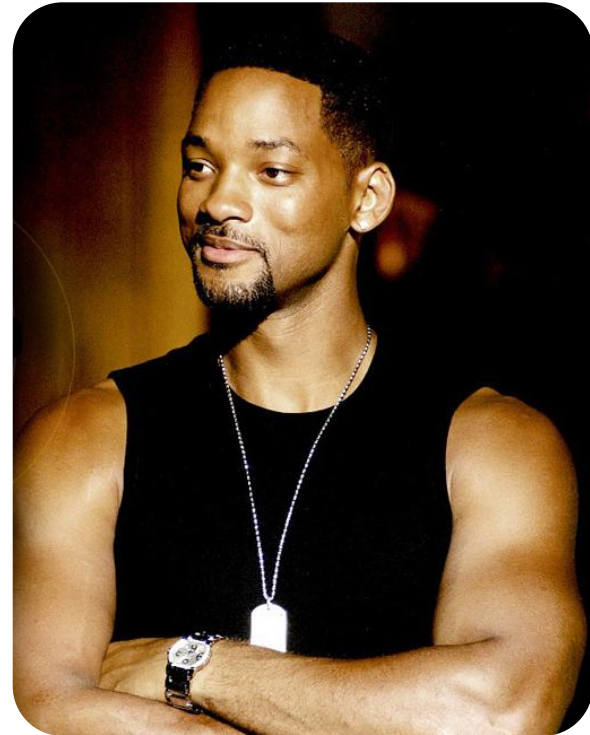


Will Smith



# Family and early life

- Will Smith was born on September 25, 1968 in Philadelphia, Penn.



Will Smith

- He was raised Baptist. His parents separated when he was 13, and did not actually divorce until Smith was around 30.



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# School

- ▣ He went to Eslow Elementary School.
- ▣ But he had no intention of going to college.



# Recording and acting career

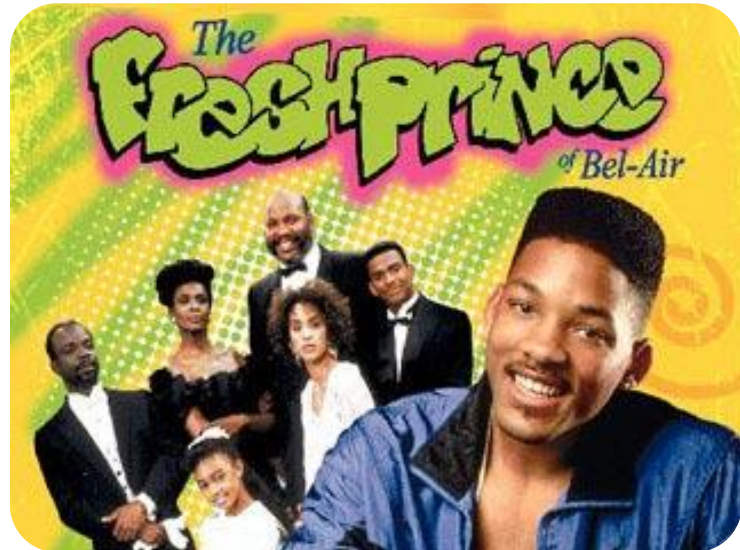
- Will is a rapper & actor. He received a Grammy award for his song “Parents Don’t Understand” In 1980.



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# The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air

- in 1990 Smith signed a contract for a sitcom, The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air. The show was successful and began his acting career.



The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air





## Breakthrough

In 1996, Smith played in Independence Day. The film was a massive blockbuster.



## More films

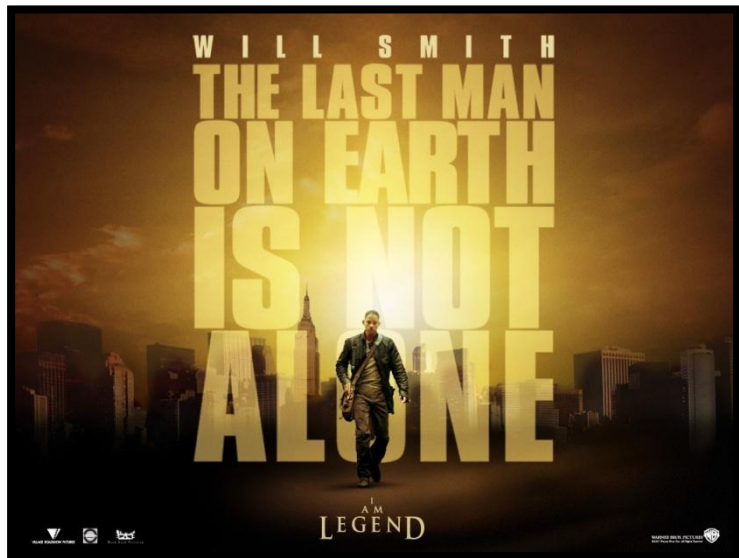
- In 1998, Smith played in Enemy of the State. Then he performed in the western Wild Wild West.





# I Am Legend

- Smith starred in the film I Am Legend, released December 14, 2007.



I Am Legend

# Men in Black III

- He is filming Men in Black III for a 2012, he was playing Agent J one of his more popular roles.



Men in Black III

# Personal life

- He has been married to actress Jada Pinkett Smith since 1997. The couple has a son, Jaden and a daughter, Willow.



- He is a fan of chess and computer games.

