

Genre means “kind” or “category.” Films fall into multiple categories, meaning genres overlap. Every genre has certain identifiable features. If you know a movie’s genre, you know what to expect from its style, mood, setting, and format.

Use the following websites to complete your work: <http://www.filmsite.org/genres.html> and imdb.org

GENRE	DEFINITION OF GENRE	EXAMPLE
ACTION		
ADVENTURE		
COMEDY		
CRIME & GANGSTER		
DRAMA		
EPICS/HISTORICAL		
HORROR		
MUSICALS/DANCE		
SCIENCE FICTION		
WAR		
WESTERNS		

