



Movies

Essential words to know, which your teacher will explain to you.

Below, you will find the different genres of movies. Each genre has its own characteristics.

Action

Kicking, jumping and high energy. Stuntmen perform stunts and characters chase each other.

Adventure

Expeditions, exotic places, historical and new places.

Comedy

Funny, one-liners, laughing.

Thriller

Gripping, murder, mysterious, frightening, fascinating, suspense.

Romantic

Handsome, beautiful, heartache, happiness, relationships, musical music, singing, dancing.

Sci-fi

Special effects, aliens, outer space, costumes, make-up.

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Fantasy

Magic, myth, extraordinary, jaw-dropping.

Horror

Blood, scary, shocking, frightening, disturbing.

Drama

Real-life situations, realistic characters.

Gangster/crime

Criminals, mobsters, violence, swearing, killing.

War

The sadness of war, soldiers, tragedy.



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ROLE PLAY

In pairs, discuss the films you like from the different genres, using the language below. You can fill in your own movies and genres.

Example conversation:

A: What kind of movies do you like?

B: I like **thrillers**.

A: Can you tell me about one of the movies that you have seen?

B: Certainly. The name is A Perfect Murder.

A: Who are the **actors**?

B: Michael Douglas and Gwyneth Paltrow.

A: What is the movie about?

B: It's about a man who plans to murder his wife.

A: Oh goodness! Is it good?

B: Yes, very good. The **director** is Andrew Davis.

A: When was this movie made?

B: In 1998. I really enjoyed it.

A: Would you watch it again?

B: Yes, I think so.

A: Can you recommend another movie?

B: Mhmm, another good movie is Avatar. It's a **sci-fi** movie. You will enjoy it if you like this **genre**.

A: It sounds interesting and I have heard that it's an excellent movie.

B: It was shot in China. Spectacular **plot** and **special effects**. The **makeup** of the **characters** are done very well. You will enjoy it!