

LESSON 2

5 Match each movie genre with the correct description. Write the letter on the line.

1. _____ feature fast-paced, exciting, and dangerous situations	a. dramas
2. _____ are drawn by hand or created on a computer	b. documentaries
3. _____ tell a story with singing and dancing	c. science-fiction films
4. _____ give us information about real people and things	d. action films
5. _____ usually take place in the future	e. animated films
6. _____ make us smile and laugh	f. musicals
7. _____ focus on characters' problems and emotions	g. comedies

6 Read the newspaper movie listings. Write the genre that best describes each movie.

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The Fearless Fighter

You'll be on the edge of your seat. Don't miss this exciting adventure! But don't bring the kids—a little too violent. Edgewood Theater: 6:00, 8:15, 10:30

Myra's Day

Spend the day with Myra. You'll laugh so hard you might fall out of your seat! Plaza Cinema: 4:00, 6:00, 8:00

Goodnight, Mariana

Mariana tries to find her long lost mother. Her search takes her all over the country. Very sad and touching. Based on a true story. Castle Theater: 4:00, 6:15, 8:30

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7 **CHALLENGE.** Which of the movies from the listing in Exercise 6 would you rather see? Explain your answer.

8 Look at Tom's favorite things and least favorite things. Then read each statement and check true or false, based on Tom's lists.

Tom's Favorite Things

1. comedies
2. a trip to the beach
3. pop music
4. going to the gym
5. rice

Tom's Least Favorite Things

1. documentaries
2. a trip to the mountains
3. classical music
4. going shopping
5. pasta

	true	false
1. Tom would rather see a comedy than a documentary.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. He'd rather take a trip to the mountains than to the beach.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. He'd rather listen to classical music than pop music.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. He'd rather go to the gym than go shopping.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Tom would rather eat rice than pasta.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

9 Look at the statements in Exercise 8. Write five true statements about your own preferences. Use would rather.
