

Film Festival Categories

Each entry must fit into one of the following four categories:

Story

Any movie that tells an original fictional story created by the entrant. This category might include such movie types as drama, action, disaster, horror, science fiction, detective, romance or adventure.

Documentary

A movie about a real-life person, event, your community or culture, personal experience, or even yourself!

Animation

This category includes computer animation, hand-drawn, clay-animation, or frame animation.

Public Service Announcement (PSA)

This category is intended to educate or teach the viewer about a specific topic or theme.

Entry Levels

Students can enter individually or with a group of friends, and will be judged among other entrants in the same entry level. You can make student-produced movies with as many friends as you like - however, only six (6) students total can be officially recognized and included in the entry submission, if it is not a class entry. There are four age entry levels, and while primary judging of the festival is for student-produced films, each age category can also be entered as a class-produced project.

The entry levels are:

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Student Produced
Class Produced

6-8

Student Produced
Class Produced

4-5

Student Produced
Class Produced

9-12

Student Produced
Class Produced