

Australian Government

Classification Board

20 December 2018—Christmas/New Year films and games

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With the holiday and gift-giving period fast approaching, the Classification Board would like to remind everyone about the classification markings and ratings restrictions, and provide a list of upcoming intended theatrical-release films and some already-released and upcoming computer games:

Classification	Description
General	Is for a general audience. However, it does <i>not</i> necessarily indicate that children or young people will enjoy the film or the game. Some G media contains themes or story-lines that do not interest children or young people.
Parental guidance recommended	May contain material which some children/young people find confusing or upsetting, and may require the guidance of parents or supervisors. This media is <i>not</i> recommended for viewing by persons under 15 without guidance from adults. Parents may choose to watch the material with their children or find it sufficient to be accessible during or after the viewing to discuss content.
Recommended for mature audiences	Is not recommended for persons under 15 years of age. There are no legal restrictions on access.
Not suitable for people under 15 years who must be accompanied by an adult	Is considered unsuitable for persons under 15 years of age. It is a legally restricted category. People under 15 years of age may watch this category of film in a cinema, however, an accompanying adult must be present in the cinema for the duration of the film.
Restricted to people aged 18 years and over	Is legally restricted to adults.
СТС	CTC = Check the Classification

Film releases

(Note: Distributors may change dates of actual release)

Intended release date	Film title	Genre	Rating	Consumer advice
20 December 2018	Bumblebee NB: There are two versions of this film	Action, adventure	PG	Mild science fiction violence and mild themes. Some scenes may scare young children.
20 December 2018	Bumblebee NB: There are two versions of this film	Action, adventure	М	Action violence
20 December 2018	Colette	Drama	М	Sex scenes and nudity
21 December 2018	Master Z—The Ip Man Legacy	Action	М	Mature themes, violence and drug use
21 December 2018	Zero	Drama, comedy	PG	Mild themes and coarse language
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	Aquaman	Action, adventure	М	Fantasy violence
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	Cold War	Drama, romance	М	Mature themes, coarse language and sex
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	The Favourite	Drama	MA 15+	Strong coarse language
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	Holmes & Watson	Comedy	M	Crude humour and coarse language
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	Kusama—Infinity	Documentary	М	Artistic nudity
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	Piercing	Suspense	СТС	
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	Ralph Breaks the Internet	Animation, adventure	PG	Mild themes and animated violence
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	Vice	Drama, comedy	М	Mature themes and coarse language
Boxing Day 26 December 2018	The Wild Pear Tree (AKA Ahlat Agaci)	Drama	М	Mature themes and coarse language
28 December 2018	Simmba	Action, comedy	М	Mature themes, violence and drug use
1 January 2019	Mary Poppins Returns	Musical	G	A scene of very mild peril
3 January 2019	Eighth Grade	Comedy, drama	M	Sexual references and coarse language

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3 January 2019	How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World (2D and 3D)	Animation, adventure	PG	Mild fantasy themes and violence
10 January 2019	Instant Family NB: There are two versions of this film	Comedy	М	Coarse language
10 January 2019	Instant Family NB: There are two versions of this film	Comedy	PG	Mild themes, coarse language, drug references and violence
10 January 2019	Matangi/Maya/M.I.A.	Documentary	MA 15+	Strong themes and violence
10 January 2019	Pick of the Litter	Documentary	G	General
11 January 2019	The Accidental Prime Minister	Drama	СТС	
11 January 2019	Uri: The Surgical Strike	Action, suspense	СТС	
11 January 2019	Reign Of The Supermen	Action	СТС	
17 January 2019	Glass	Thriller	СТС	
17 January 2019	The Guilty	Suspense	СТС	
17 January 2019	The Kid Who Would Be King	Adventure, fantasy	СТС	
17 January 2019	Loro	Drama	MA 15+	Strong sex scenes and drug use
17 January 2019	Mary Queen Of Scots	Drama	MA 15+	Strong sex scenes and violence
17 January 2019	Skate Kitchen	Drama	MA 15+	Strong sex scenes and coarse language
17 January 2019	Storm Boy	Drama, family	PG	Mild themes and occasional coarse language
21 January 2019	Enai Noki Paayum Thota	Action, drama	СТС	
24 January 2019	Dragon Ball Super The Movie—Broly	Animation	СТС	
24 January 2019	Free Solo	Documentary	М	Coarse language
24 January 2019	Green Book	Drama	М	Coarse language
24 January 2019	Let The Sunshine In AKA Un Beau Soleil Interieur	Comedy, drama	MA 15+	Strong sex scene

Intended release date	Film title	Genre	Rating	Consumer advice
24 January 2019	The Mule	Drama	М	Coarse language and nudity
25 January 2019	Cheat India	Drama	СТС	
25 January 2019	Manikarnika: The Queen of Jhansi	Drama	СТС	
31 January 2019	Ben Is Back	Drama	PG	Mild themes and violence
31 January 2019	The Front Runner	Drama	М	Coarse language
31 January 2019	The Hate U Give	Drama	М	Mature themes, violence and coarse language
31 January 2019	King Of Thieves	Drama	М	Coarse language
31 January 2019	Welcome To Marwen	Drama	М	Mature themes and violence

Other films which the Board found memorable during 2018 included:

Goosebumps 2 Haunted Halloween (PG, Mild supernatural themes); Le Retour du Heros AKA The Return of the Hero (M, Sex scenes); On the Basis of Sex (M, Coarse language); Roma (MA 15+, Strong themes and nudity); Sorry to Bother You (MA 15+, Strong sex scenes, coarse language, drug use and nudity); The Price of Everything (M, Coarse language and nudity); They Shall Not Grow Old (MA 15+, Strong war themes and injury detail); Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri (MA 15+, Strong themes and coarse language. Venom (M, Science fiction themes, violence and coarse language); Who's Watching Oliver (MA 15+, Strong themes, sexual and sexualised violence and coarse language); You Were Never Really Here (MA 15+, Strong themes and violence).

Games releases

The games are divided into three lists: Australian-made; Recent and Upcoming; and Popular.

Australian-made games

Game title	Platform	Rating	Consumer advice
Big Bash Boom	Multiple	G	General, online interactivity
Florence	Android, iOS	G	General
The Gardens Between	Multiple	G	General
Colin Thiele's Storm Boy	Multiple	PG	Mild themes

Recent and upcoming games

Game title	Platform	Rating	Consumer advice
Battlefield V	Multiple	MA 15+	Strong violence and coarse language, online interactivity
Fitness Boxing	Nintendo Switch	G	General
Just Cause 4	Multiple	MA 15+	Strong violence, online interactivity
Pokémon Let's Go, Pikachu!	Nintendo Switch	PG	Mild themes and violence, online Interactivity
Pokemon Let's Go, Eevee!	Nintendo Switch	PG	Mild themes and violence, online Interactivity
Spyro Reignited Trilogy	PS4/Xbox One	G	Very mild fantasy themes and violence
Super Smash Bros. Ultimate	Nintendo Switch	PG	Mild themes and violence, online interactivity

Popular games

Game title	Platform	Rating	Consumer advice
Assassin's Creed Odyssey	Multiple	MA 15+	Strong violence, online interactivity
Call of Duty: Black Ops IIII	Multiple	MA 15+	Strong supernatural themes and bloody violence, online interactivity
Fifa 19	Multiple	G	General, online interactivity
Forza Horizon 4	XBox One, Windows	G	Very mild themes, online interactivity
Just Dance 2019	Multiple	G	Very mild themes and coarse language, online interactivity
Marvel's Spider-Man	PS4	М	Mature themes and violence
Red Dead Redemption II	PS4 /Xbox One	MA 15+	Strong themes and violence online interactivity

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