

# Romance Genres Check List

## Contemporary Romance

- Straight Contemporary
- Cowboy
- Cop
- Military
- Sports centered
- Tattooed
- Pets and Vets
- Small Town
- Firefighters
- Medical
- LGBTQ
- Multicultural/ multiracial
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Historical Romance: Romance novels set in any historical time period.

- Regency
- Rome
- Middle ages
- Victorian
- World War II
- 1950's
- Flappers
- Pioneer/ Cowboy/ 1800's American West
- Men in Kilts
- Asian
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Paranormal Romance: Romance novels in which the future, a fantasy world, or paranormal elements are an integral part of the plot.

- Shape-shifters
- vampires
- demons
- angels
- Fae
- Ghosts
- Dragons
- Witches
- Ancient Gods
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Inspirational Romance:** Romance novels in which religious or spiritual beliefs (in the context of any religion or spiritual belief system) are a major part of the romantic relationship.

- Amish
- Regular Christian
- other \_\_\_\_\_

**Romantic Suspense:** Romance novels in which suspense, mystery, or thriller elements constitute an integral part of the plot.

- Steampunk
- Contemporary romantic suspense
- Spy
- CIA/FBI
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Young Adult Romance:** Romance novels geared toward young adult readers.

- any YA romance

**New Adult Romance:** Romance novels geared towards and featuring adults in the 18-25 range. Often take place on college campuses.

- any New Adult romance

**Other**

- Short story
- Christmas
- Science Fiction
- Fantasy
- Time Travel
- Other \_\_\_\_\_