Twilight is a 126-min romance fantasy written by Melissa Rosenberg, directed by Catherine Hardwicke, and produced by Mark Morgan. It was released in November 2008.

The film is set in Washington and Arizona. It stars a teenager (Kristen Stewart) and a vampire (Robert Pattinson). It tells the story of a high-school girl and a mysterious vampire. The two fall in love, but they have to overcome social pressure and other obstacles to take a chance be together. Kirsten’s acting was impressive in the film, and Robert’s performance was captivating. Twilight received numerous film awards including MTV Movie Award, People’s Choice Award, and Young Artist Award. In addition, it was nominated for Best Fantasy Film at the 35th Saturn Awards; and also nominated for two Grammy Awards.

I find this film to be incredibly moving, exciting, and thrilling. In fact, my favorite aspect of the film is its touching scenes. The special effects are just amazing, especially the ones featuring the wolves fighting. Another great thing that I like about Twilight is its terrific sound track. It suits the mood of the film in a perfect way. The only thing I don’t like about the film is some of its extremely bloody scenes. They are disappointing. Yet, the best thing about it is its excellent plot. The story is very relatable because it explores these important classic and modern-day themes of good and evil, sacrifice, the power of love, the power of tradition, appearance and reality, man and the natural world, and family pressure.

Over all, I think this film contains great directing and acting. It is full of emotional moments, and tells an excellent moral story. That’s why I highly recommend it. Everyone should see it. It’s a must-see!

1. Read the first paragraph and say what type of movie/genre Twilight is.
2. Look at the poster and guess what the movie might be about.
3. Read the review and write the numbers next to the corresponding subheadings below.
   a. Summary of the plot and some information about the movie.
   b. Title of the movie.
   c. Opinion and recommendation.
   d. Introduction (title, type of film, running time, year, director, producer,…).
   e. Evaluation (things the writer doesn’t like(s) about the movie).

Useful Expressions:

**Author / Director, Producer**
- The film is directed by …
- The film is produced by …
- The script was written by …
- The book is written by …

**Setting**
- The action of the film is set in …
- The story takes place in (place)… in (date)

**Characters, actors and the plot**
- The main characters are …
- The story is about …
- It is starred by …
- The film / book tells the story of …
- In the course of the story the action develops dramatically.
- The film / book begins with …
- The film / book has an unexpected ending.
- The end of … is …

**Evaluation**
- I am impressed by …
- The book is terribly / beautifully written.
- The film is terrible / exciting.
- What surprised me is …
- What I liked best is …
- What I didn’t like is …
- I liked/didn’t like the film / book because …
- The best thing about the film is its excellent plot. The story is very relatable because it explores ….

**Opinion and recommendation**
- I think the film / book …
- In my opinion, the film / book is filled with lots of …
- I highly recommend the film because …
- The film is a must-see as it has something for everyone, from children to adults.