GENRES, PURPOSES, STAGES & PHASES

	genre	purpose	stages	phases
Stories	recount	recounting events	Orientation Events	*setting* *description*
	narrative	resolving a complication	Orientation Complication Resolution	*events* *problem* *solution*
	anecdote	sharing an emotional reaction	Orientation Complication (Evaluation)	*reaction* *result* *comment*
	exemplum	judging character or behaviour	Orientation Complication (Evaluation)	*reflection* *episode (includes other phases)*
Chronicles	autobiographical recount	recounting life events	Orientation Life events	*birth, family, early life* *events*
	biographical recount	recounting life stages	Orientation Life stages	*birth, family, early life, fame* *stages*
	historical recount	recounting historical events	Background Historical stages	*topic, background* *stage 1, 2... (para structure)*
	historical account	explaining historical events (causes & effects)	Background Historical stages	*topic, background* *stage 1, 2... (para structure)*
Explanations	sequential explanation	explaining a sequence	Phenomenon Explanation	*step 1, 2...*
	conditional explanation	alternative causes & effects (*if a, then b*)	(Phenomenon) Explanation	*condition 1, 2...*
	factorial explanation	multiple causes for one effect	Phenomenon:outcome Explanation	*outcome (preview factors)* *factor 1, 2... (para structure)*
	consequential explanation	multiple effects from one cause	Phenomenon:cause Explanation	*cause (preview)* *consequence1, 2... (para struct)*
Reports	descriptive report	classifying & describing a thing	Classification Description	*phases depend on topic* *(e.g. appearance, behaviour...)*
	classifying report	classifying & describing types of things	Classification Description	*type 1, 2...*
	compositional report	describing parts of wholes	Classification Description	*part 1, 2...*
Procedures	procedure	how to do an activity	Purpose, Equipment Method	*(hypothesis, ingredients...)* *steps*
	protocol	what to do & not do	Purpose Rules/List	*rules, warnings...*
	experiment/observation report	recounting & evaluating experiment/observation	Aim, Equipment, Method Results, Discussion	*(hypothesis, preview)* *steps* *(review) evaluate results*
	case study	recounting & evaluating instances	Issue, Background, Description, Evaluation Recommendations	*phases depend on* *topic & length*
	strategic plan	planning strategies	Purpose, Background, Strategies, Evaluation	*phases depend on* *topic & length*
Arguments	exposition	arguing for a point of view	Thesis Arguments Restatement	*position statement, preview* *arguments, para structure* *review, restate position*
	discussion	discussing two or more points of view	Issue Sides Resolution	*issue statement, preview* *sides, para structure* *review, resolve issue*
Responses	review	evaluating a literary, visual or musical text	Context Description of text Judgement	*text, author (audience)* *steps/components of text* *evaluation of text*
	interpretation	interpreting themes or aesthetics of a text	Evaluation Synopsis of text Reevaluation	*text, preview of themes* *themes, techniques, para struct* *evaluate, synthesise themes*
	comparative interpretation	interpreting themes in multiple texts	Evaluation Synopsis of texts Reevaluation	*texts, preview of themes* *by themes or by texts* *evaluate, synthesise*

* brackets = optional, dots = etc., para structure = topic, elaboration (evidence, examples, reasons), point (link to topic)