

Zoey Deschanel



Zoey Claire Deschanel is an American actress and musician. She made her film debut in *Mumford* (1999) and had a supporting role in Cameron Crowe's film *Almost Famous* (2000). Deschanel is known for her deadpan roles in comedy films such as *The Good Girl* (2002), *The New Guy* (2002), *Elf* (2003), *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy* (2005), *Failure to Launch* (2006), *Yes Man* (2008), *500 Days of Summer* (2009), and *Our Idiot Brother* (2011). She has also ventured into dramatic film territory with *Manic* (2001), *All the Real Girls* (2003), *Winter Passing* (2005), *Bridge to Terabithia* (2007), *The Happening* (2008), and *The Driftless Area* (2015). From 2011 to 2018, she starred as Jess Day on the Fox sitcom *New Girl*, for which she received nominations for a Primetime Emmy Award and three Golden Globe Awards.