generally speaking...

## Comics

- · slim, softcover
- stapled like a magazine
- often published monthly as part of a series

- Recognized subsets with distinct cultural artistic influence and content:
  - manga (Japan)
  - manhwa (South Korea)
  - manhua (China, Taiwan, Hong Kong)

## Sequential Art

tells story and/or information (any genre)
words and images laid out in a particular order (sometimes wordless)

## Graphic Novels

Bound as hard or softcover book, or eBook May be a stand-alone story Often a compilation of previously published comic chapters

## Webcomics

 digital content (published online for free or for purchase)