

And the nominees are...

The British film 'Howard's End' and Clint Eastwood's 'Unforgiven' lead the field with nine Academy Award nominations each. The 65th annual ceremony will be held in Hollywood on March 29

Best Picture: *Howard's End*; *Unforgiven*; *The Crying Game*; *A Few Good Men*; *Scent of a Woman*

Best Actor: Robert Downey Jr., *Chaplin*; Clint Eastwood, *Unforgiven*; Al Pacino, *Scent of a Woman*; Stephen Rea, *The Crying Game*; Denzel Washington, *Malcolm X*

Best Actress: Catherine Deneuve, *Indochine*; Mary McDonnell, *Passion Fish*; Michelle Pfeiffer, *Love Field*; Susan Sarandon, *Lorenzo's Oil*; Emma Thompson, *Howard's End*

Best Supporting Actor: Jaye Davidson, *The Crying Game*; Gene Hackman, *Unforgiven*; Jack Nicholson, *A Few Good Men*; Al Pacino, *Glengarry Glen Ross*; David Paymer, *Mr Saturday Night*

Best Supporting Actress: Judy Davis, *Husbands and Wives*; Joan Plowright, *Enchanted April*; Vanessa Redgrave, *Howard's End*; Miranda Richardson, *Damage*; Marisa Tomei, *My Cousin Vinny*

Best Director: Neil Jordan, *The Crying Game*; James Ivory, *Howard's End*; Robert Altman, *The Player*; Martin Brest, *Scent of a Woman*; Clint Eastwood, *Unforgiven*

