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Book/Movie Comparison

Book Chosen: \_\_\_\_\_

Many great books have been made into TV shows or movies. In this activity, you will read a book, then watch the movie that was made from that book's story. Along the way, you will answer questions that will help you to think about the differences between the book and the film.

**Step One - Choose a book and read!**

<b>Book Title</b>	<b>Movie Title</b>	<b>Media Type</b>
Alexander And The Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day	Alexander And The Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day	Movie
Auggie And Me: Three Wonder Stories	Wonder	Movie
Chitty Chitty Bang Bang Over The Moon	Chitty Chitty Bang Bang	Movie
Frozen Storybook Collection	Frozen, Frozen 2	Movie
Harry Potter And The Chamber Of Secrets	Harry Potter And The Chamber Of Secrets	Movie
Harry Potter And The Goblet Of Fire	Harry Potter And The Goblet Of Fire	Movie
Harry Potter And The Half-Blood Prince	Harry Potter And The Half-Blood Prince	Movie
Harry Potter And The Order Of The Phoenix	Harry Potter And The Order Of The Phoenix	Movie
Harry Potter And The Prisoner Of Azkaban	Harry Potter And The Prisoner Of Azkaban	Movie
Harry Potter And The Sorcerer's Stone	Harry Potter And The Sorcerer's Stone	Movie
Here Be Monsters!	The Boxtrolls	Movie
Holes	Holes	Movie

Hoot	Hoot	Movie
James And The Giant Peach	James And The Giant Peach	Movie, Disney+
Minions : The Junior Novel	Minions	Movie
The House With A Clock In Its Walls	The House With A Clock In Its Walls	Movie
The Last Kids On Earth	The Last Kids On Earth	Netflix Original
The Lion King	The Lion King	Movie, Disney+
The Lion, The Witch And The Wardrobe	The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe	Movie
The Little Prince	The Little Prince	Netflix Original
The Polar Express	The Polar Express	Movie
Where The Wild Things Are	Where The Wild Things Are	Movie
Wonder	Wonder	Movie

**Step Two - Answer book prompts:**

Once you have read the book, choose three prompts about the book from the list below to answer in the spaces provided.

#	Prompt
1	What do you think your favorite part of the movie will be? Why?
2	Describe two parts of the book that you think will be difficult to portray in the movie.
3	If you were the author of this book and Hollywood approached you about bringing your book to the big screen, how would you feel? What questions and concerns would you have?
4	Describe a part of the book that you think will be cut out of the movie. Explain why.

5	In your opinion, what is missing from the book that you would add if you were in charge of making the movie? Draw a picture and write a sentence to describe the change you would make.
6	What was your favorite scene in the book? Would you be upset if it was different in the movie?
7	Research the jobs that are available on a movie set (director, producer, makeup artist, special effects, etc.) If you could have any job on the set of this movie, what would it be? Explain why you would want that job for this movie in particular.
8	In your opinion, what are the essential plot points of the book that the movie would need to have to fully tell the story?

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### Step Three - Movie Prompts:

Watch the movie that the book was made into, then choose three prompts from the list below to answer in the space provided. Be sure to ask your parents for permission before you rent or watch a movie.

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9	Describe an event that was different in the movie than it was in the book. What impact did that change have on the story?
10	Did the main characters look and act like you expected them to? Why or why not?
11	What are the two biggest differences between the book and the movie?
12	Draw a scene from the movie that was different than you expected it to be. Explain what was changed from the book.
13	Did you agree with the casting choices that were made for the movie? Why or why not? If not, who might you have chosen to play the main characters?
14	Research how the author of the book felt about the movie. Do you agree with their feelings?
15	If you were the director of this movie, what might you have done differently? Why?
16	Which would you be more likely to recommend to a friend — the book or the movie? Write a note to a friend recommending your preference for the book or movie and explain why you liked it better.

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