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Acceptance of Literature

A famous author, Stephen King, once said, "Books and movies are like apples and

oranges. They both are fruit, but taste completely different." Just because things are similar

doesn't make them the same. Everything is unique in its own way. They may be comparable, but

at the same time, they are completely distinctive. Books and movies are both worldly popular.

This means people all over the world like to watch movies and read books. Reading books have

been proven to help increase with english abilities. They also are popularly heard about among

friends and other social medias. These popular movies, in the end of the filming, tend to make a

lot of money .When people watch the movies, as compared to their written counterpart, they tend

to feel that the movies are always better. Books that are manufactured into movies are more

popular than the movie itself because books help you learn more, books are widely

recommended by their friends, most books make a lot of money, and the books are always more

detailed.

Usually when somebody is reading a book, there is some sort of moral, or morals, to the

story. The way these morals are developed is a big deal to those who like to read. They expect

the movies from their favorite books to be recorded the right way. People want to see all of the

details and lessons that go along with the book. For example, a big detail could be the theme and

books are the best way to learn about the steps leading up to the them. Along with the idea of

themes, the reader likes the idea because of the learning experience. For example, they get to enhance a more superior reading and writing techniques ("Are Movies Better Than Books?" 2016). Since it's immensely challenging to capture all these significant ideals on film, books are favored more overall.

The constructing of movies and new books can be heard about through multiple ways. A survey asked if movies were better than books. The data appeared to be somewhat close. 59% of the people said no and 41% of the people said yes ("Are Movies Better Than Books?" 2016). Another survey was constructed to collect data on how people like to hear about new books to read. For example, the survey asked people about getting recommendations from sources including *Amazon*, *Sleepe*r, *Ratingzone*, and mainly friends. In the survey, 90% of the people said they get good recommendations from their friends. About 40% get it from *Ratingzone*, about 42% get it from *Sleeper*, and 60% get it from *Amazon*. Which a separate survey showed the percent of trusted recommendation sources. Both movies and books trust using *Amazon* when choosing what to watch or read (Sinha and Swearingen 2006). Although, hearing about new books from friends is the best way. This means people like to help encourage each other to read having more of a learning experience by reading the book.

Movie statistic grossings show and prove that books are extremely popular. If they weren't popular, then authors wouldn't be making all this money. The popular book trilogy, *The Lord of the Rings*, made $4.19 billion from all of the books and all of the movies only made $2.9 billion. Another well known book series, *The Great Gatsby*, made a total of $225 million. To go with the book series two movies were produced, one in 1974 and the other in 2013. Combined, the movies manufactured a total of $165.4 million (Wiklund). There are also a lot of other books

out there that have made so much money it's crazy. For example, the popular book series written by John Green, *The Fault in Our Stars,* sold 5.7 million books just in 2014. That means he made a total of $10.3 billion is just one year (Roxborough 2014). Another popular series, released in the year 2009 by James Dashner, *The Maze Runner*, grew in numbers. 2009 was the year the first book in the series was released. Just in five years of time the book itself sold over ten million copies. In 2014, Dashner said the series is starting to grow outside of the country. It is continuing to grow more popular (Dashner 2015). This is just a few of a thousand book series out there that have grow to become more popular each year.

Words are the utmost finest way to try and demonstrate the deeper meaning of the storyline. It goes into greater details that are crucial to try and be captured on film. That's why when movies are created the producer wants to try and add in everything they can. They want to try and get the audience to live and be involved with everything that arises ("Are movies better than books?" 2016). This includes watching the characters flourish overtime. Which is why sometimes authors are unhappy about the way there book became when it was turn into a movie. For example, Stephen king was bummed out about how his movie, *"The Shining"* came out (Santos 2013). The movie can't really portray a novel like it really is. The actors or actresses may not be able to get the character exactly like the book. Not only authors but the readers also expect great things from the films. When readers begin to read a book as they learn about new characters, they get a mental image of what the character may look like and act like. Books go into depth about character details. These details include both physical appearances and personalities; this allows the reader to have a mental image of what the characters like. The problem with that is movies don't always portray what the characters are really like through the

film. Another problem with making books into movies is the fact that movies are too short to be able to tell the whole story of the book. Usually a movie is somewhere around one and a half hours to three hours long. When reading a book it takes much longer. This means when a book is produced into a movie, it's extremely difficult to add everything. Everything could include the script, the characters, or even sometimes the settings. Also, books keep you more involved in movies. When watching a movie it's really easy to get bored and start doing something else like playing on your phone. While you read, you are physically holding an object that you have to touch and turn the pages every few minutes. This gives you more of an emotional connection because it keeps you interested in what you are reading. These are just a few reasons why the details of books are excessively important. These are also the reasons why books are more popular. People expect things in a movie and they can't get all the details they want like they would reading a book.

Movies and books are both established off of recommendations that overhang significance to collaborative filtering. Collecting data from the studies show that buying movies and books create more money for businesses. This means when producers use books to make movies they are combining the two unitedly to construct more pleasure for people and for the businesses (Ungar and Foster 1998). This may be true, but does it mean that one is better than the other? Together they are favored but separately one is better than the other. Books happen to be more popular than the movies because of the fact that without the books ever being written by these authors there would be no movies from these books. Which is a big deal because today a lot of the popular movies do you come from books. For example, *The Hunger Games*, *The Lord of the Rings*, *The Divergent* series, *The Star Wars* movies, *The Hobbit*, and many others first

started out as books and then were produced into movies. The famous series written by J.K.

Rowling, *Harry Potter*, actually sold more money from the movies compared to the book. The

movie is gross income of $7.7 billion in the books gross only about $2.7 billion. That is a big

difference between the two. Statistic show that the movies are more popular. That may be the

case although, if the book wasn't written and published in the first place movie The movie would

cease to exist today.

Movies based on books are less popular in general because books help people

learn more, lots of friends recommend them, books make a lot of money, and most importantly

books are always more detailed. Learning is a big part of today's society. A lot of people say

there is something new to learn every day. Reading books helps people to learn so much. If the

movie for the book is watched, a lesson may be learned, but writing and reading skills won't be

improving, which is why friends like to try and recommend books to each other. The best way to

hear about a new book is through friends. This is the case because more people trust a friend's

opinion that just someone's review found online. There's other ways, but through friends is

proven to be the best. This shows that people are supporting each other to read. Which it pushes

them to have more of a learning experience. Also, books are more popular because most books

make more money than the movies because of how popular they are. Statistics have proven this

to be true. Companies might actually make more money from the books, but without the book,

you wouldn't have such an extravagant film. Which is why trying to get all the details right is

relevant. Capturing details and a movie is overly difficult. Details are better seem to reading.

They're showing better than words. Words are a powerful thing.

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