Because of Winn Dixie

Because of Winn-Dixie
The Movie vs. The Book

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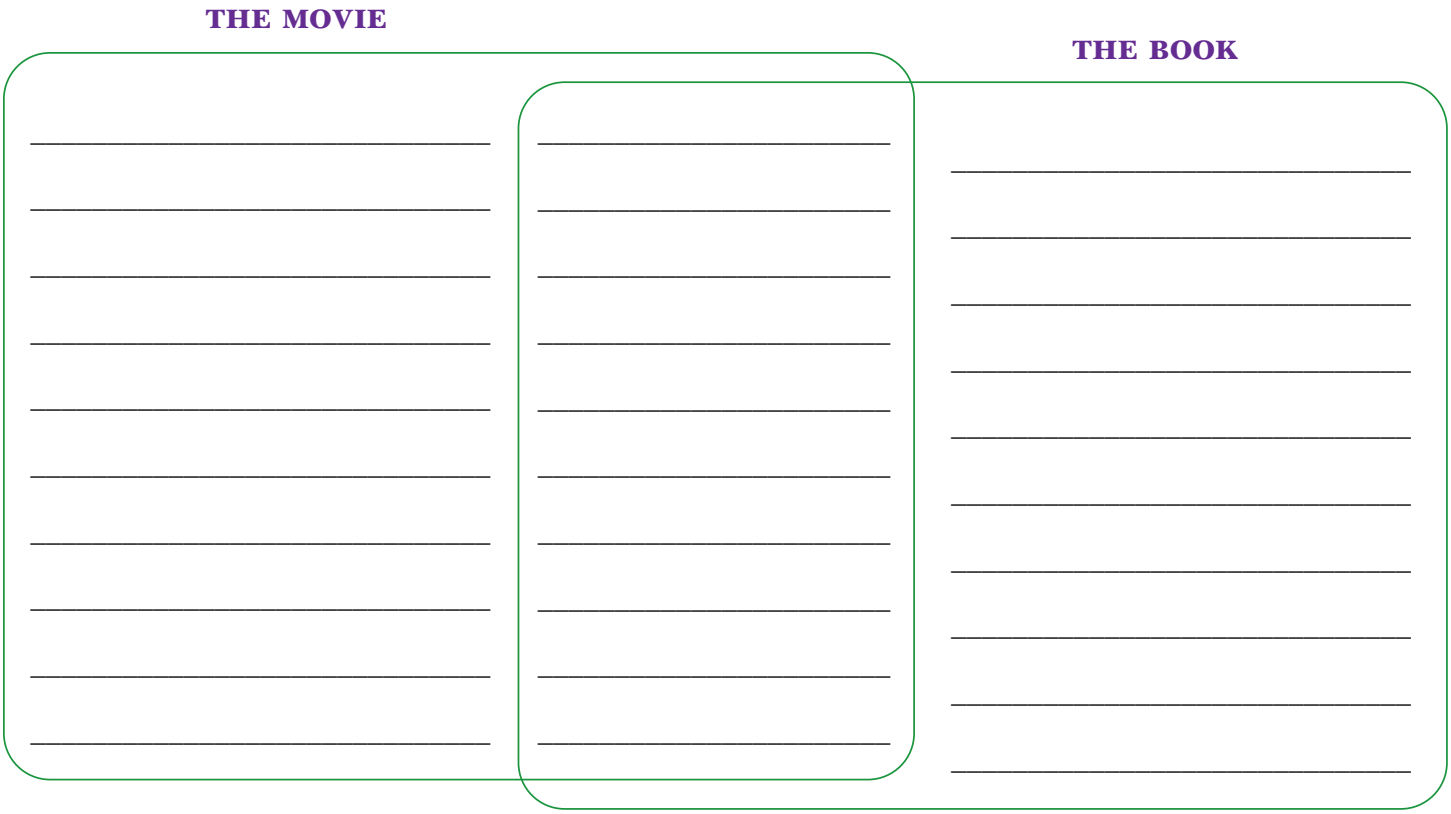
DIRECTIONS: The movie *Because of Winn-Dixie* is based on the book of the same title by Kate DiCamillo. Use this worksheet to compare and contrast the book and the movie. First, jot down ideas about how the two versions of the story are similar. Write these similarities in the space where the circles overlap. Then note the differences between the two and write them in the appropriate circle. Use the back of this worksheet if necessary.



Which do you think was better, the book or the movie? Why?

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Explain specific changes you would make to improve the book and/or the movie. Write your explanation as a letter to the author, Kate DiCamillo, and/or the director, Wayne Wang. Use the back of this worksheet to write your draft. Then write your final letter on a separate sheet of paper.

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