

LANGUAGE STRUCTURES FOR COMPARATIVE WRITING

While this theme occurs in X it is conveyed more intensely in Y...

Again in Y is a similar theme is depicted...

The two texts are linked by a series of images...

A very different moment in Y illustrates similar theme...

This moment in X has its counterpart in Y when...

Typical of both texts is...

This moment in X is matched by one in Y...

This theme is represented in different ways in both texts

While an equivalent moment occurs in Y, the consequences for the main character are very different...

A corresponding moment occurs in Y when...

The opening scene in Y shows a very different way of starting a story...

While the novel allows the author to fill in the background of a character, the playwright must tell his story through the characters...

A key moment from Y (play) will illustrate this... Now note the way a similar key moment is dealt with in X (novel).. or Z (film)...

The editing in this section of the film allows a continuous feeling of tension e.g... Similar tension is achieved in a different way in X...