

Writing Task Sample

Unit 1 Hong Kong's animation industry (p.17)

My favourite animated film

Which animated film do you like the best? Why are you so obsessed with it? Write a review in about 180 words.

When I was in my teens, I couldn't get enough of the movie *Despicable Me*. Since I liked it so much, I watched it in the cinema eight times— five times with different friends, and three times with my brother, my parents, and even my grandparents!

The reason that I like the film so much is that it is cute, funny, and **full of breathtaking action** all at once. The *Minion* characters are unruly and weird and still make me laugh out loud. Even Gru, the supervillain of the franchise, has a **heart of gold**, despite shooting at people with his freeze ray gun.

What's more, I like franchises that **stay with me throughout the years**. In my twenties, the second and third **instalments** of *Despicable Me* kept me entertained. Admittedly, I only saw each once, at least when it comes to cinema, because it **didn't seem fitting** for a twenty-something to be that obsessed with the film. Now, in my early thirties, I have a fourth **instalment** to look forward to!

In conclusion, the original *Despicable Me* was love at first sight, and **will therefore remain** my number one animated movie. It was the first time that the *Minion* characters cracked me up, and I still have the t-shirt to prove it!

~213 words