

How to make use of TV and film versions of books

TV and film versions of books can be a brilliant way to engage reluctant readers:

- ✓ Watch the first in a series and then order the 2nd book in the series (Noughts and Crosses by Malorie Blackman and His Dark Materials based on a Philip Pullman series are currently available on iPlayer)
- ✓ Watch the TV version of a GCSE text and then make some revision flashcards (A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens is currently available on Prime Video for £2.49)
- ✓ Watch a film adaptation of a novel and then read it to decide which you prefer and why (All the Bright Places by Jennifer Niven is currently on Netflix)

Involving younger siblings

Younger siblings can enjoy listening to stories as well:

- ✓ <https://www.youtube.com/MichaelRosenOfficial>
- ✓ <https://sooperbooks.com/bedtime-stories/>

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