**Project**

Favourite Film Stars at My School

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**Introduction**

**We chose this theme because we like watching films with good actors. This theme is very important because many film stars are very interesting, but some are not so good examples for young people. The aim of our survey was to get to know more about the most favourite film stars at our school. We also wanted to know why do people like these film stars and are they well informed about the cinema.**

**When we asked our four questions to our schoolmates ( 48 persons at our school) our four questions, we asked them to write down their favourite film stars first. Some of our classmates wrote famous music stars instead. Very many music stars become film stars in our days, but some do not. So, we decided to check our schoolmates with the first question – are they interested in cinema at all?**

**Than we made the TOP 10 of the famous filmstars at our school and surched for the reasons.**

**Definition**

**There are two definitions on-line of a film star:**

 a star who plays leading roles in the cinema  
[wordnetweb.princeton.edu/perl/webwn](http://www.google.lv/url?q=http://wordnetweb.princeton.edu/perl/webwn%3Fs%3Dfilm+star&sa=X&ei=20wSTNWIM4r9_AaC8pn_Aw&ved=0CAQQpAMoAA&usg=AFQjCNHa2cPQ_ea_-9d_3cp6plylOmzL1w)

 A movie star (cine star or film star) is a celebrity who is well-known, or famous, for his or her starring, or leading, roles in motion pictures. ...  
[en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Film\_star](http://www.google.lv/url?q=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Film_star&sa=X&ei=20wSTNWIM4r9_AaC8pn_Aw&ved=0CAUQpAMoAQ&usg=AFQjCNEs4gQlPkcjue0H_lwILWXmja5Dtg)

**We chose the second definition for our project, because it was broader and fitted more with the reasons of the popularity of our filmstars.**

**Hypothesis**

**Film stars are popular among students of our school because they are attractive and funny and because they are professional.**

**Aim**

**To make TOP10 of filmstars at our school and to learn more about the reasons of popularity of the film stars.**

**Method**

**Survey. We chose 48 people from our class and school randomly. We asked to circle the best variant and gave the possibility for their own answer of respondents.**

**Questions**

1. **What is your favourite film star?**
2. **Michael Jackson;**
3. **Paris Hilton;**
4. **Jackie Chan;**
5. **Your variant;**
6. ***Why do you like this film star?***

***Because he/she is:***

1. ***brilliant;***
2. ***interesting;***
3. ***funny;***
4. **Why do you like this actor?**

**Because he/she is:**

1. **very intelligent;**
2. **something special;**
3. **fantastic personality;**
4. **your variant...**
5. **How much do you like this person? Give your answers in percent.**

**a)5%**

**b) 50%**

**c) 99%**

**d) 100%**

**Results**

**The TOP 10**

1. **Rovan Atkinson (Mr. Bean)**
2. **Paris Hilton**
3. **Jackie Chan**
4. **Bruce Willis**
5. **Johnny Depp**
6. **Brad Pitt**
7. **Van Damme**
8. **Schwarceneger**
9. **Jennifer Lopez**
10. **Kate Winslett**

**As it can be seen from the chart, some of the persons we questioned answered that their favourite film star is Michael Jackson. We think they are not interested in cinema much, and their answers should not be counted, but we counted those answers that refer to the atractivity of the stars. The reasons of enjoying filmstars can be the same as of enjoying music stars.**

**The most often reasons for enjoying a film star are ( Question 2):**

**1. Because he/she is a singer, because he is beautiful, handsome, good looking; crazy;**

**2.because he/she is interesting or funny;**

**3. because he/she is like me;**

**4. because he is brilliant or fantastic .**

**The most often reasons for enjoying a film star as a personality are ( Question 3):**

1. **Because he/she is a woman or a man or other different reasons**
2. **Because he/she is something special**
3. **Because he/she is a fantastic personality**
4. **Because he/she is intelligent**

**The actual degree of liking the film star is:**

1. **100%**
2. **99%**
3. **50%**
4. **5%**

**Conclusions**

**Our survey shows that the main reason for liking or disliking a film star is the attractivity and extravagance of the personality more than his/her intelligence or human and moral qualities. It is sad, because the film stars have to behave strangely and attractively all the time to be beloved.**