Describe a film you have recently seen that you hated（讨厌的电影）

You should say:

What kind of film it is

When you saw it

Why you hated it

And what suggestions you have for the film.

知识点：

1. 和电影有关的表达 （更多表达请见"音频版生活词汇集"福利）

- **movie genres：电影的种类**

动作片：action movie；喜剧 comedy；爱情片 Love story/romance； 少女片 Chick flick（贬义）；爱情喜剧片 romcom (romantic comedy),；爆米花电影 popcorn movie；好莱坞电影 Hollywood blockbuster；兄弟情电影 bromance；家庭片 family movie ；恐怖片 horror movie ；惊悚片 thriller movie；科幻片 sci-fi (or "science fiction") ；独立影片 independent movie/ low-budget film； 文艺片 art movie

- **演员阵容：cast 卡斯**

I really the cast of that movie. The leading a-+ctor and actress are both my favourite.

- **角色：character**

I really like his character in this movie.

- **情节 plot**

It was a good film, but the plot was difficult to follow at times.

- **场景片段：scene**

One scene in the movie is about how the couple break up. It was really sad.

- **special effect：特效**

- **visual effects：视效:**

- **soundtrack: 原声背景； sound effects：声效**

- **A-lister: 大腕儿，一线明星。 B-lister, C-lister...18 线明星**

- **Cameo: 客串。 An A-lister did a cameo in a movie.**

- **Extra: 临时演员-**

- **Box office: 票房**

This movie smashed the box office= This movie was a box office hit.

- **premiere: 首映**

the first night when a movie is starting to show

- **original movie VS. Prequel 前传 VS. Sequel 续集**

- **XX 明星拍新电影了：XXX's having a new movie out.**

- **放映：come out/ be released**

When the movie first <u>came out</u>, I saw it in the movie theatre.

The movie <u>was released</u> in October 2020.

2. 不喜欢一部的电影的主要原因:

①Plot 剧情:

- **A weak or poorly written plot 写的很差劲的剧情**

- **A major turnoff 一个很让人失望的事情**

- **Confusing/messy 很让人不理解、乱起八糟的**

- **Hard to follow 很难看懂**

- **Predictable 完全可以预期到的内容，毫无悬念**

- **Plain/ boring/ uninteresting/ nothing is really happening 平淡无聊、啥事儿都没发生**

- **Slow 发展很慢**

- **Cliché （法语词）很俗气/ tacky/ tasteless**

- **Lack of imagination** 缺乏想象力

- **Doesn't make sense** 一点合理性都没有

- **Plot twister** 剧情反转

- **Twists and turns** 一堆剧情反转

Too many twists and turns that didn't really add up to anything coherent.

② Acting skills 演技：

- **Unconvincing** 没有说服力的

- **Wooden, num** 木头的感觉 麻木

Her performance felt wooden, with little emotion conveyed in her delivery of the lines.
His portrayal of the character was num, with no real depth or understanding of the character's motivations."

- **I feel <u>struggled to connect with the characters</u>** 建立联系感很难

- **<u>Couldn't invest in</u> the movie** 无法投入电影

- **over-the-top/ flashy/ unnecessary/cringeworthy** 夸张、令人尴尬的

- **hard to take seriously** 很难认真对待

- **The actor's <u>facial expressions were so limited.</u>** 很没有表现力的面部表情

- **Annoying/ off-putting** 讨人厌的

- **Distracting** 让人分心跳戏的

③Special effects 特效：

- **Look fake/cheesy/ low-budget** 看着假、低成本的

- **Overdone/bombastic** 做的太过分、太猛、太绚丽

- **Overshadow the rest of the movie** 喧宾夺主

④Movie adaptation 改编电影:

- **When a beloved book is <u>adapted into（改编）</u> a movie, fans often <u>have high expectations</u>. I'm the same.**

- **The movie <u>deviates</u> too much from the original book.电影离小说太遥远**

- **sticks too closely to the book 太高度还原小说**

- **dull/unoriginal 有点傻，不够原创**

Recently, I watched a <u>romance movie</u> called "XXXX," and unfortunately, I found it to be pretty <u>disappointing and overrated</u>—（令人失望的、过誉的）. The <u>plot was confusing,</u> with too many <u>twists and turns</u> that <u>didn't really add up</u>（逻辑加在一起说不过去）. The characters in the movie were all the time making stupid and unnecessary decisions, which made it hard for me <u>to stay invested in</u> the story.

The movie <u>was based on a popular novel,</u> but in my opinion, the <u>movie adaptation</u> failed to do justice（未能做到公正的还原）to the original book. I felt that, it <u>deviated too much from the book,</u> and it almost seemed to be irrelevant. It was almost like, the filmmaker didn't even read the book properly（感觉电影制片方都没有好好看原作）.

<u>The chemistry</u>（化学反应） between the two main actors was <u>fake and unconvincing. I just couldn't buy it</u>（我不相信）. The actor, oh my god, <u>could his facial expressions be more limited</u>（他的面目表情还能再少一点吗）? His performance felt <u>so wooden and num.</u> The actress in the movie looked 0 interested in the man. It was hard to believe that they were truly in love.

Another thing I couldn't understand was that, why did the director <u>put some cheap-looking special effects</u> into the movie（为什么放了一些廉价感十足的特效）? It was totally <u>unexpected and unnecessary.</u> At some point, I was laughing out loud.

Anyway, as a fan of the book, I really <u>had high hopes</u>（期待很大） of the <u>movie adaption.</u> But unfortunately, it failed to <u>live up to my expectations</u>（没能满足我的期待）. The poor plot, bad acting, and the lousy special

effects were <u>all major turnoffs</u>（让是失去兴趣的原因） for me. I don't recommend it, AT ALL!