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"Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up."

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this study is to describe the reasons, ways, and effects of drug trafficking performed by Malcolm Adekanbi in “Dope” film by Rick Famuyiwa. The researcher selected the film since it portrays the risks of being involved in drug trafficking. Drug trafficking is an important issue to discuss. It is not only happened among adults but also teenagers, especially school students. The film provides a lot of examples of how drug trafficking is performed by school students. Therefore, the researcher intended to elaborate more about the phenomenon.

There are three statement of problems, they are 1) Why did Malcolm Adekanbi become a drug trafficker in “Dope” film by Rick Famuyiwa? 2) How did Malcolm Adekanbi distribute the drug in “Dope” film by Rick Famuyiwa? 3) What are the effects of Malcolm Adekanbi becoming a drug trafficker in "Dope" film by Rick Famuyiwa?.

This research used the descriptive qualitative design. The researcher attempted to analyze the dialogues and scenes related to the reason and ways of selling drugs and also the effect towards the main character. The researcher used the objective approach in this study.

The steps of collecting data are as follows: 1) Finding the “Dope” film by Rick Famuyiwa; 2) Watching the film to help the researcher understand the content of the film; and 3) Taking notes regarding the reason, ways, and effects of the main character being a drug trafficker.

This research discovers that: 1) the reason of Malcolm Adekanbi becomes a drug trafficker because he threatened by A.J.; 2) Malcolm Adekanbi sells the drugs through online promotion and marketing; 3) Being a drug trafficker puts Malcolm Adekanbi and his friends in danger and risks his friendship.

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