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Penelitian ini menyelidiki persahabatan sebagaimana digambarkan dalam film The Perks of Being a Wallflower (2012). Teori persahabatan Aristoteles digunakan untuk menganalisis data. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengidentifikasi tipe-tipe persahabatan dalam film dan untuk menjelaskan bagaimana persahabatan digambarkan dalam film. Penelitian ini berjenis studi kepustakaan atau kritik sastra. Data-data penelitian disajikan dalam bentuk dialog, kutipan, tangkapan adegan, dan elemen struktural di antara para karakter. Data-data penelitian dikumpulkan menggunakan metode analisis dokumen. Data primer berasal dari film The Perks of Being a Wallflower (2012) yang disutradarai oleh Stephen Chbosky. Data sekunder berasal dari jurnal, skripsi, dan dokumen lainnya terkait dengan penelitian. Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa terdapat tiga jenis persahabatan dalam film The Perks of Being a Wallflower (2012), yaitu Persahabatan Kebaikan, Persahabatan Kesenangan, dan Persahabatan Keuntungan. Selain itu, hasil penelitian juga menunjukkan bahwa persahabatan dalam film The Perks of Being a Wallflower (2012) digambarkan melalui enam cara, yaitu melalui Tema, Penokohan, Latar, Peristiwa, Sudut Pandang, dan Suara.

Kata kunci : persahabatan, teori persahabatan Aristoteles, *The Perks of Being a Wallflower*

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The present study deals with friendship as reflected in *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* (2012) movie. Aristotle's theory of friendship was employed for analyzing the data. This study aims to identify the types of friendship in the work and to describe how friendship is depicted in the work. This study is a type of library research or literary criticism. The data are in the form of dialogues, quotes, scene captures, and structural elements between the characters. The data are collected using the document analysis method. The primary data sources come from *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* (2012) movie directed by Stephen Chbosky. The secondary data sources come from journals, theses, and other documents related to the study. The finding shows that there are three types of friendship in *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* (2012) movie, namely Friendship of Goodness, Friendship of Pleasure, and Friendship of Utility. Furthermore, the finding also shows that the friendship in *The Perks of Being a Wallflower* (2012) movie is depicted in six ways, which are through Theme, Characterization, Setting, Event, Point of View, and Sound.

Keywords : friendship, friendship theory of Aristotle, *The Perks of Being a Wallflower*

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