

# **GERMAN: EVENTS & SERVICES**

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THE COLOUR OF THE OCEAN (DIE FARBE DES OZEANS), GERMANY 2011

- SCHOOL SCREENINGS IN REGIONAL FILM THEATRES
- AND STUDY OPTIONS (TEACHING MATERIALS, WORKSHOPS, ...) IN THREE LANGUAGES: FRENCH, GERMAN, SPANISH



http://www.youtube.com/watch?featur e=player\_embedded&v=vvmqetGZ4vA

### THE COLOUR OF THE OCEAN - INFORMATION

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**The Film**, The colour of the Ocean', is woven around attitudes to the waves of African refugees seeking a better life in Europe. Zola and his son Mamadou are among the ten survivors of a refugee boat washed ashore in the Canaries. German tourist Nathalie is the first person to reach them and her instinct is to do everything she can to help. Border guard Jose's instinct is to start the process that will see them deported. Is he callous or just realistic? Is Nathalie admirable or hopelessly naive? The struggle to do the right thing places issues of responsibility, compassion and moral duty at the heart of an utterly compelling human drama.

**Multilinguilism** is essential to the film – the characters speak their native languages (French, German, Spanish – English subtitles) and the central topic of migration offers complex opportunities to discuss and reflect on ethics and responsibilities of young global citizens.

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# 2013 – THE YEAR OF THE 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE ELYSÉE-CONTRACT



## CONCERT: IRIE RÉVOLTÉS 7 NOVEMBER



THE GOETHE-INSTITUT IS ORGANISING AN EXTENSIVE EUROPEAN TOUR – THE CONCERT IN SCOTLAND WILL BE ORGANISED IN CO-OPERATION WITH THE ALLIANCE FRANCAISE.



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Irie Révoltés: Heidelberg/Germany based Hip Hop/Reggae/Ska BAND with Lyrics in German and French.

Their message is multi-cultural, strongly anti-racist and socially committed.

http://www.irie-revoltes.com/

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... You can't start to early on the road to become a global citizen



#### **German in the Nursery**

A sustainable German language programme for the very early stages learning in nursery education. Piloted this course in Springburn

Tuition and staff training went hand in hand and connecting language with culture, traditions and song was fun for all.

#### GERMAN IN THE NURSERY - SOME VOICES FROM SPRINGBURN NURSERY

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'This programme is an excellent way of introducing young children to a modern language through practical and fun activities, laying the foundations for future learning.'

> Jean Waters Head teacher Springburn Nursery

I was apprehensive about how the children would respond, however they participated really well and performed 2 German songs at the Christmas concert. The parents were very impressed and some told us the children were using the German words at home.'



Shona McPherson CDO Team Leader Springburn Nursery

'He really enjoyed it and I was amazed at how easily he picked it up.' Lennon's Mum

#### OTHER EVENTS & SERVICES IN 2013

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25th February Advanced Higher Study Day, Goethe-Institut

February/March Competition for Primary and S1/S2: Märchenhaftes Theater



March Posterexhibition & Workshops: Musik + X

April Concerts & Sing along for very young learners: Martina Schwarz, *Learn German with Songs* 



6th – 21st May Interactive ,Märchenwelten' Exhibition

#### **RESOURCES AND MATERIALS**

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# Postcards & Posters

Film for the German classroom

- Suggestions & Study Guides to download
  <a href="http://www.goethe.de/ins/gb/gla/lhr/mat/flm/enindex.htm">http://www.goethe.de/ins/gb/gla/lhr/mat/flm/enindex.htm</a>
- PASCH Kino: DVD-Rom 4 Films with selected clips to study background, culture and language
- *Kurz und Gut macht Schule II/Animation Short films for the classroom* with worksheets on <u>www.goethe.de/filmschule</u>

Ideas, Action, Webquests, Teaching Materials & Information <u>http://www.goethe.de/ins/gb</u> /gla/lhr/enindex.htm

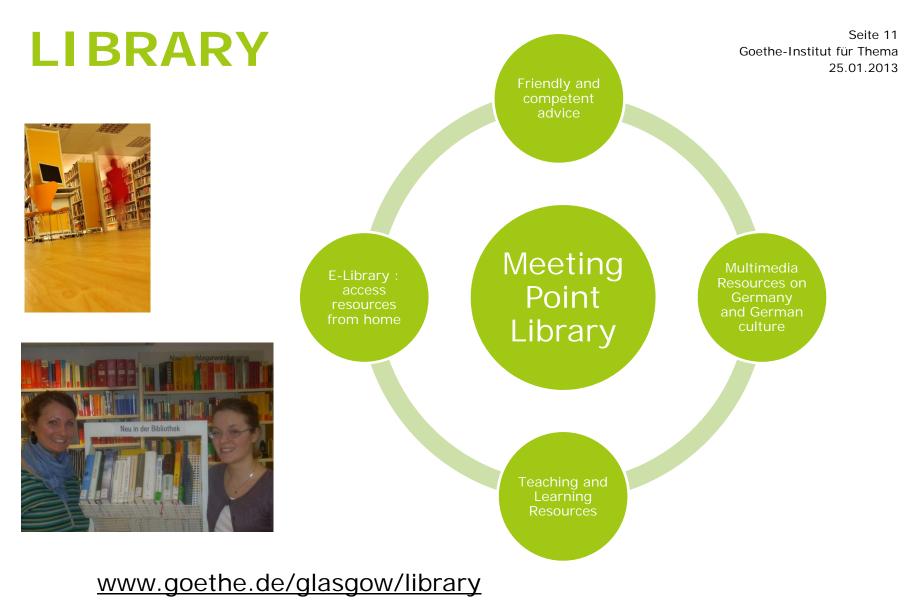
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#### RESOURCES, SCHOOL VISITS, INFORMATION

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To promote German in your school we offer: Visits to your school with our Language Ambassador • Materials: Flyers, Posters, Badges **DVD**: German - A smart choice The Website "Vorsprung mit Deutsch" with up-dated information on German as part of students' career plans. For example tips on 'taster trips' or 'Working holidays' in Germany; 'exchange programmes' or 'ways of learning German with the help of self-teaching websites, on-site language courses, language tandems or mobile phone apps; ...





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