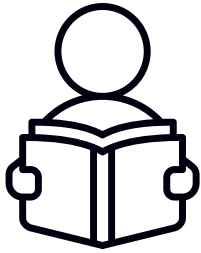


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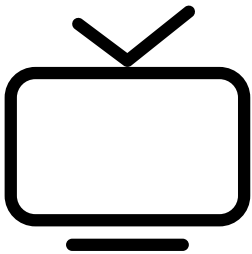
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READ



- Die Verwandlung by Franz Kafka (an eerie short story of psychological transformation and social alienation)
- Der Besuch der Alten Dame (a story that tackles two social deficits, greed and the dangers of materialistic thinking)
- A Concise History of Germany by Mary Fulbrook
- Read some great magazine articles on www.neon.de or some articles for young people on www.sowieso.de
- Read daily tweets on www.dw.de/learn-german/s-2469
- German newspapers: www.welt.de, www.zeit.de, www.sueddeutsche.de, www.faz.net, www.bild.de

WATCH



- Watch a German TV series online (<http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/german.html>)
- TV Channels: www.tagesschau.de, www.ard.de, www.zdf.de
- Watch the daily news online on Deutsch Welle – Germany’s international broadcaster
- Watch a German film. You can borrow one from Kino Korner (see Frau Restivo)
- Das Leben der Anderen – in 1984 East Berlin, an agent of the secret police conducting surveillance on a writer and his lover finds himself increasingly absorbed by their lives
- Die fetten Jahre sind vorbei – three young anti-capitalist Berlin activists target the wealthy by breaking into their homes but their escalating actions lead to an accidental kidnapping, forcing them to confront their ideals and a generation gap, blurring lines between protest, terrorism and relationships
- Almanya – a heartwarming German film about a Turkish immigrant family of a Gastarbeiter and his multi-generational family, exploring themes of identity, belonging and culture clash.
- Die Welle – a high school teacher’s unusual experiment to demonstrate to his students what life was like under a dictatorship spins horribly out of control when he forms a social unit with a life of its own. Based on a true story.
- Lola rennt – a young woman in Berlin has twenty minutes to find and bring 100,000 DM to her boyfriend before he robs a supermarket
- Türkisch für Anfänger – four young Germans are marooned on a desert island and have to learn to live together

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LISTEN



- Listen to the news in German
<https://www.newsinslowgerman.com/>
- Listen to German songs and music – artists you cover in Theme 2 or find other artists
- Listen to a German podcast:
 - Easy German Podcast
 - Slow German mit Annik Rubens
 - Coffee Break German
 - DW Langsam gesprochene Nachrichten
 - Babbel Nachrichten
 - Deutsches Geplapper
 - So ist Berlin

DO



- Change your phone language setting to German
- Visit the Goethe Institut in South Kensington and explore their resources
- Go to a German restaurant and sample some typical German food
- Research a German-speaking country/famous person/German company and prepare a presentation in German to your classmates
- Plan a trip to Germany – set yourself a budget and cultural aim for the trip
- Volunteer to support KS3/KS4 German students with their learning