

super For the teacher...

Advice, research links and solutions for *Bist du ein super Detektiv* activity.



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About *Bist du ein super Detektiv?*

Creating the scenario of students being detectives encourages them to focus on what it means to be a creative problem solver and to look at things from different perspectives.

This task is suitable for students beginning German e.g. in upper primary or Years 7 and 8. A similar task was first used with students in Year 8 after only one semester of German in Year 7. Of course, the activity can be used in later years as revision or introduction to the topic.

To bring the concept of being a detective to life, you could consider watching the 2001 film version of *Emil und die Detektive* (based on the book by Erich Kästner) with the class and identifying the characteristics of each of the main Kinderdetektive. It is also a good context to practice basic personal profile information.

- **Link to the trailer:**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wtBY_5-YZAQ

The original 1931 film is available to watch via the Goethe-Institut Onleihe virtual library.

- **Registration free, watch on PC or via the App:**

<https://www.goethe.de/ins/au/en/kul/kon/onl.html>

ABOUT THE DIGITAL STUDENT WORKSHEETS

Students can type directly in the answer boxes and on the map in the digital PDF file.

Any questions about the activity, email Tina at:
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Der erste Fall

Wo in DACH-Land ist Frieda?

There are various ways you could work with this activity to facilitate students' learning about Karneval/Fasching/Fastnacht. This link to a Padlet can be shared with students to assist with their research.

- **Link to Padlet**

<https://padlet.com/wilkinsoneducation/die-5-jahreszeit-uzo5bd026eyroszu>

The Padlet provides starting points for finding out about the festival in various regions of Germany, Switzerland and Austria, its history and traditions. Some sites are in English, some in German, and some can be changed. You may share this with students or choose to 'remake' the Padlet so that you can customise it for your students.

Please **find the solutions** to the puzzles for 2023 on the following pages! *The dates would change in future years.*

EXTENSION

Students could report on other regional events or greetings related to Karneval from their research.

FYI: You can create 3 free Padlet boards if you don't have a paid Padlet account.



Tag und Datum

Montag, den 20. Februar 2023
Rosenmontag



Stadt

Köln, Deutschland



Beweise

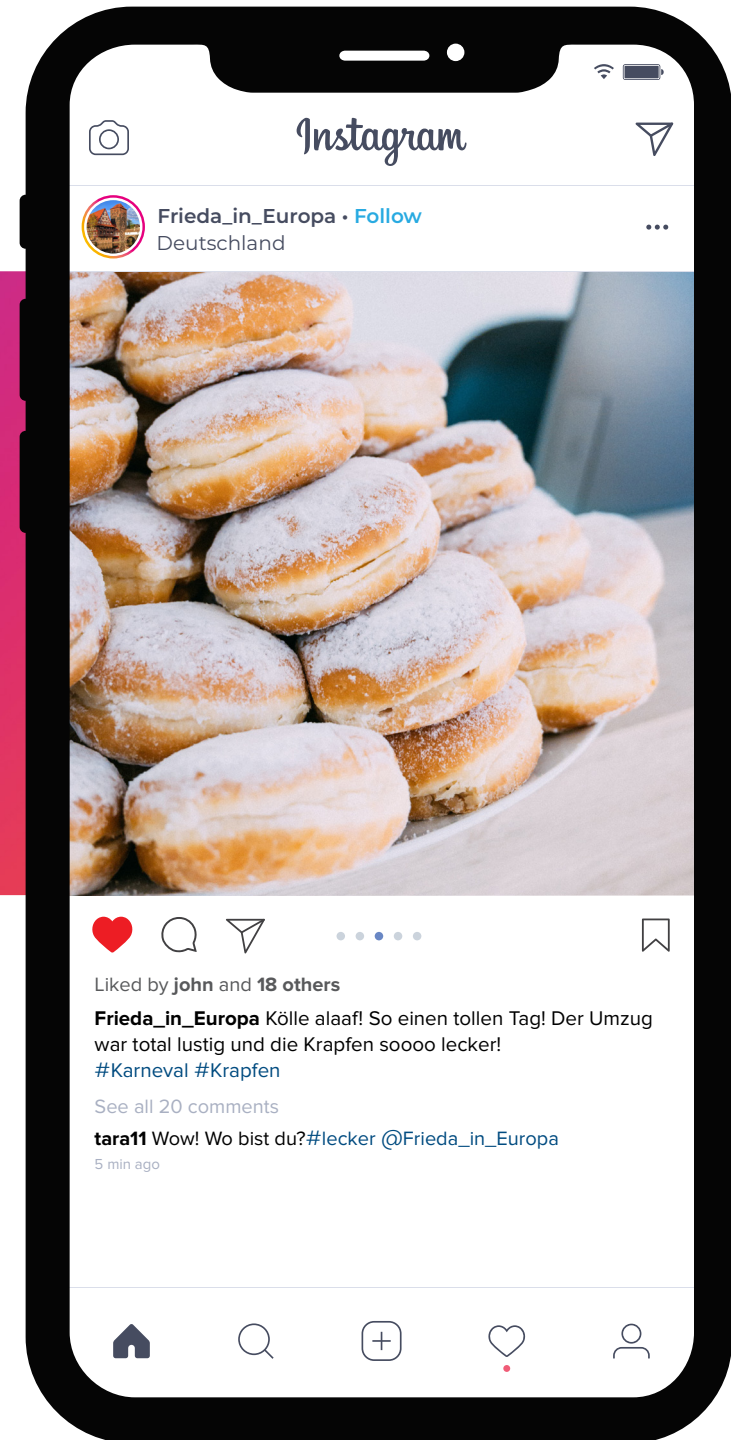
- **Deutschland**
- **Kölle alaaf**
+ regional greeting in Cologne for this cultural celebration
- **Krapfen**
+ regional word for jam donuts in this area
- **Karneval**
+ regional name of the celebration
- **Umzug**
+ Rosenmontag is the day of the big parade in Cologne

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Tag und
Datum

Dienstag, den 21. Februar 2023
Faschingsdienstag



Stadt

München, Deutschland



Beweise

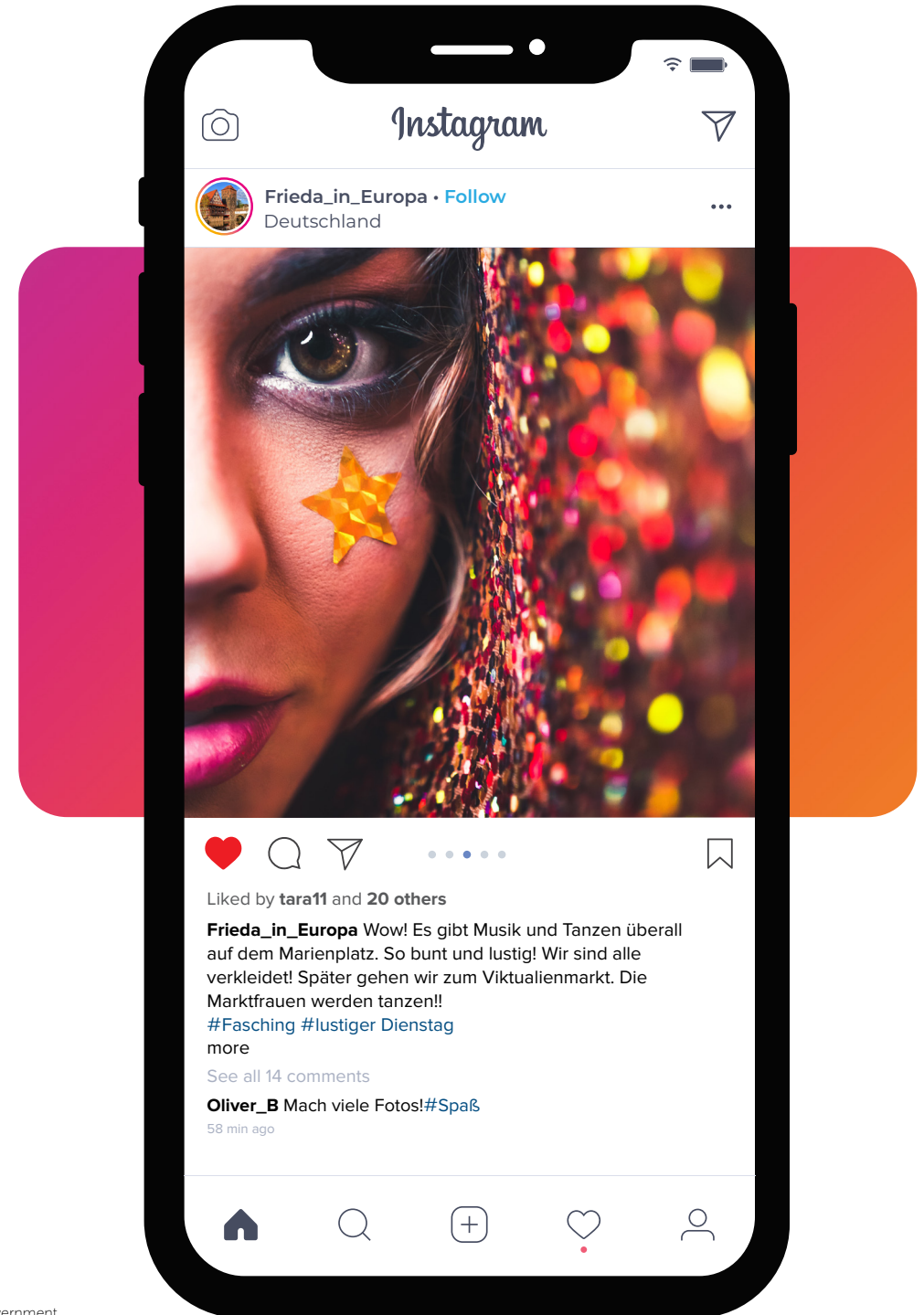
- **Deutschland**
- **Marienplatz / Viktualienmarkt**
- **Fasching**
+ regional name of the celebration
- **Tanz der Marktfrauen**
- **Straßenfest**
- **#Dienstag**

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Tag und Datum

Montag, den 27. Februar 2023
Morgenstraich



Stadt

Basel, der Schweiz



Beweise

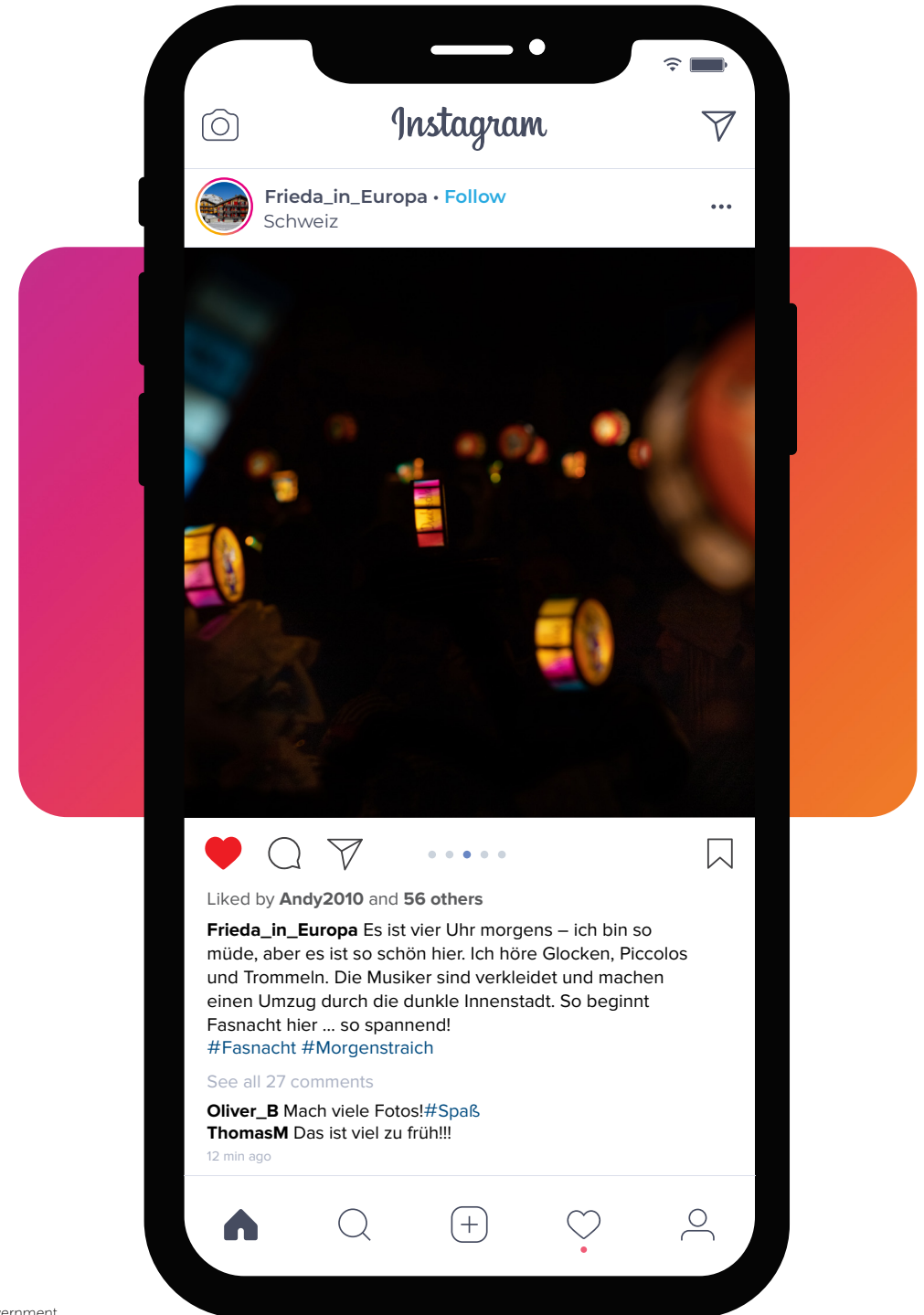
- **Morgenstraich**
+ name of a cultural event in Basel
- **Starts later in Switzerland**
- **4 Uhr morgens**
+ the Morgenstraich parade begins at this time
- **Umzug**
+ parade with piccolos and drums after the bells ring on St Martin's to darken the inner city to begin Morgenstraich
- **Fasnacht**
+ name of the celebration for this area

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Tag und Datum

Samstag, den 18. Februar 2023
Faschingssamstag



Stadt

Wien, Österreich



Beweise

- **Schloss Schönbrunn/
Kindermuseum**
- **Servus**
+ appropriate regional greeting
for all times of the year
- **Samstag**
- **Fasching**
+ regional name of the celebration

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<https://www.canva.com/photos/MAFP6J10ssA-friends-celebrating-carnival/>

