

A GIRL'S COMING OF AGE JOURNEY

Tales of feminine early bravery

The stories of Noah, Luisa, Ellie and Chenghua, show that girls can be brave from a very young age and that it should be encouraged! These four young girls, who are between childhood and pre-adolescence, live their own initiatory journey in each chapter of this collection.

They all face big changes in their lives and have a hard time fitting in their new environment. They overcome these difficulties by conquering a new territory: Noah conquers the sea by learning how to sail, Luisa unravels the mysteries of Mexico City where she just moved, Ellie crosses a forest and a river all by herself just to reach the birds' Island of Souzay, and Chenghua's dreams of space help her overcome her daily-life challenges. Their determination and courage will lead them to grow up and to find their own path.

The graphism of these specials, produced by four talented independent French producers Miyu, Kazak, Doncvoilà and Tripode, are distinct from one another, and are all very beautiful, poetic and appealing. They can be programmed together in a long feature-film slot or on separate 26' slots.



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Noah is 9 years old and just moved to Benac'h, an island off the Brittany coast, where her mother found a job as a waitress in a mussels restaurant.

Benac'h is a small island where all kids have known each other forever, so Noah's arrival doesn't go unnoticed. She quickly gets nicknamed "Mussels" - in reference to the restaurant above which she lives.

Noah will soon find out that these kids' main activity outside school is sailing, and she'd just love to be part of that too - as well as taking part in the annual regatta! Except that her mother can't afford to pay for the sailing classes...

Through her courage and determination, and with a little help from an intriguing former woman navigator, Noah will find a way to learn how to sail on her own!

Director: Nicolas Hu

Producer: MIYU

French broadcaster: france•tv

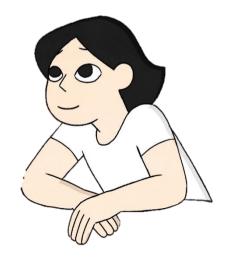
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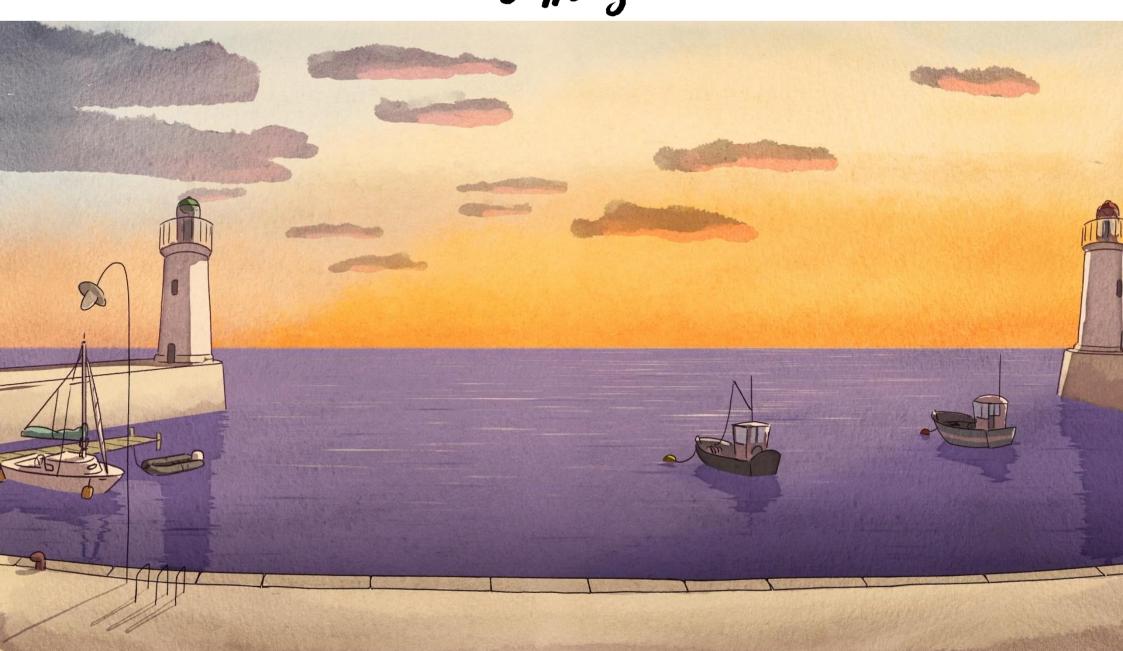
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9 year-old Luisa just moved from France to Mexico with her family. She has a hard time accepting this new environment. Thankfully, she's not alone: Keza, her beloved pet-lizard should keep her company.

One day, Keza escapes. Luisa will do anything to find him and bring him back home.

The quest to find him will lead Luisa to a thrilling journey through Mexico City's wonders. She will also make new friends: Arturo, an enthusiastic kid her age, and Diego a big-hearted luchador.

They will help her through her adventures to solve a mysterious prophecy about her lizard... could Keza be a reincarnation of the divinity Quetzalcoatl?

Director: Hefang Wei

Producers: KAZAK

French broadcaster : CANAL+

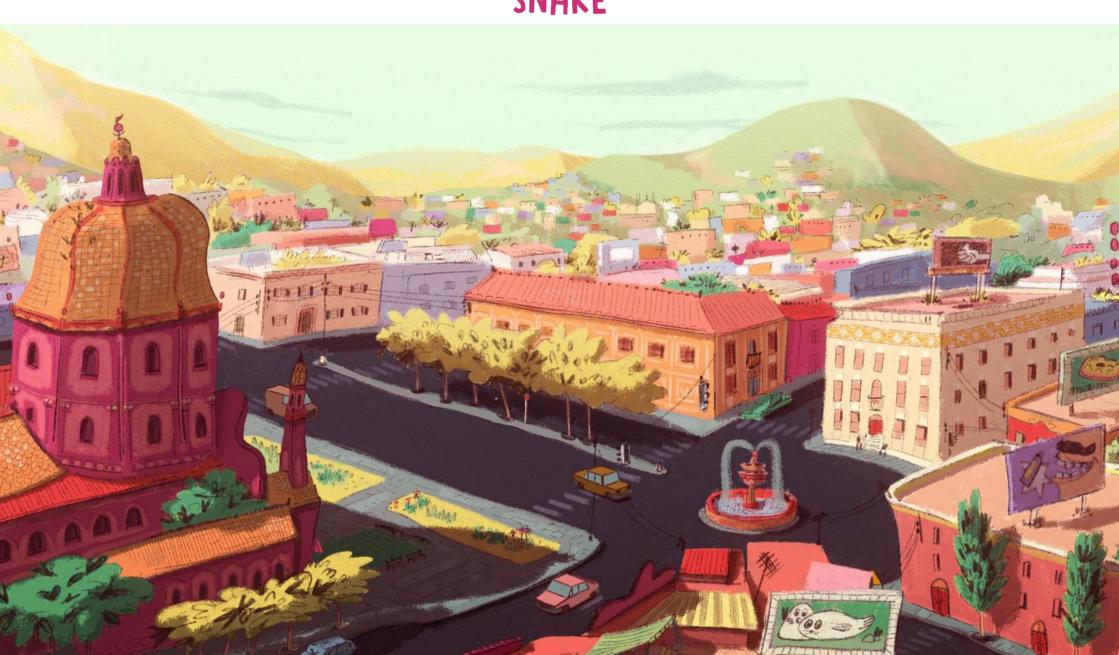
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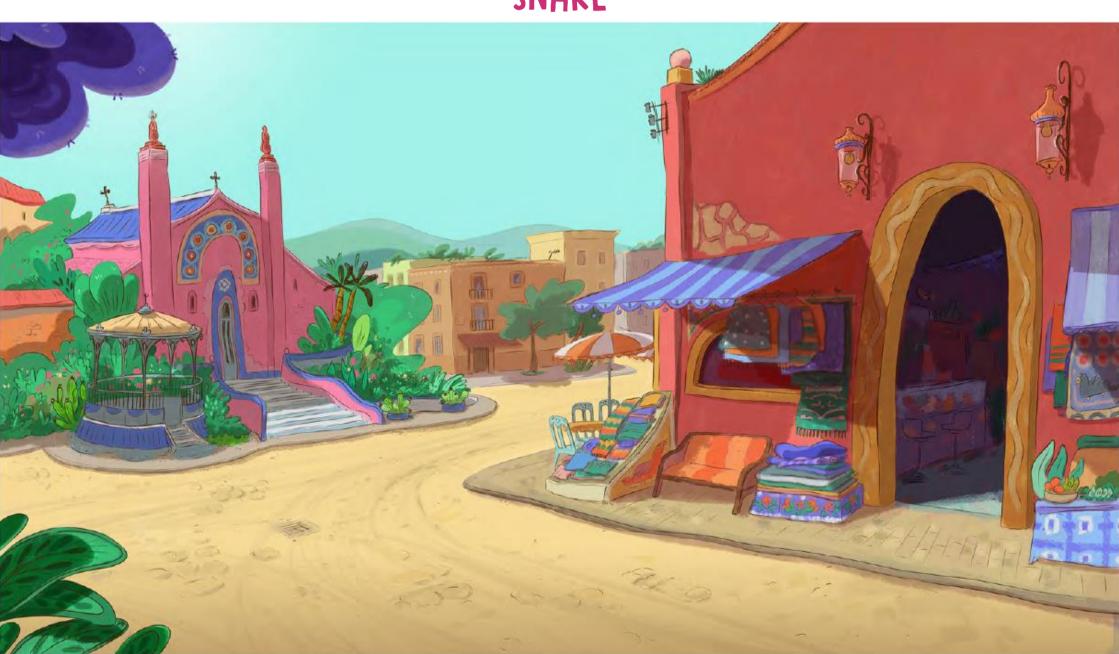
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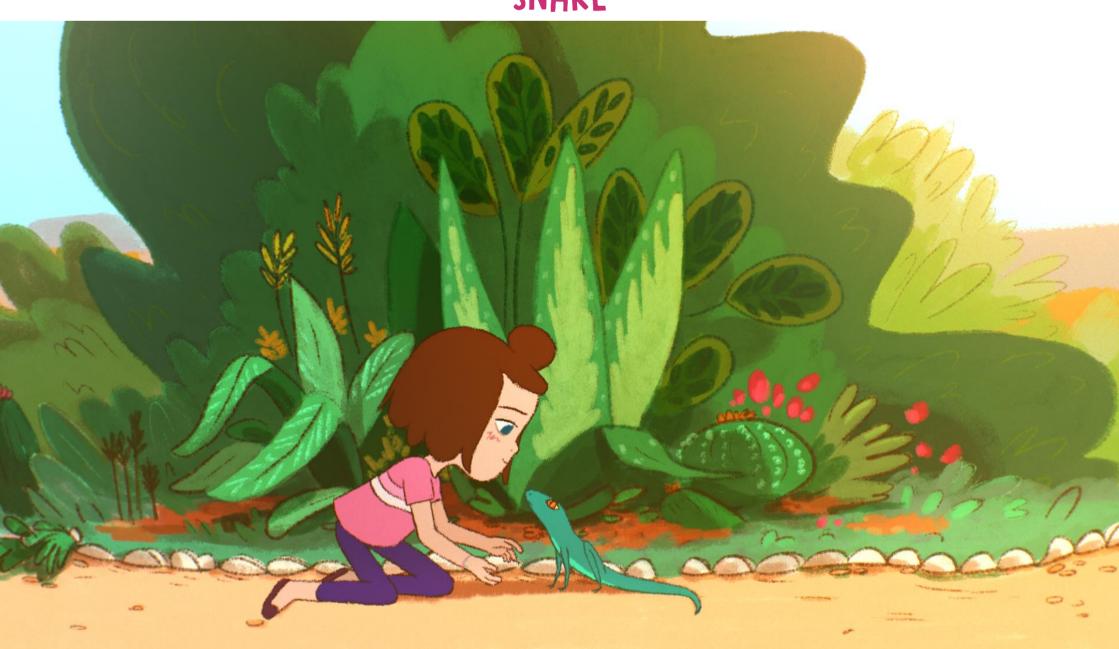








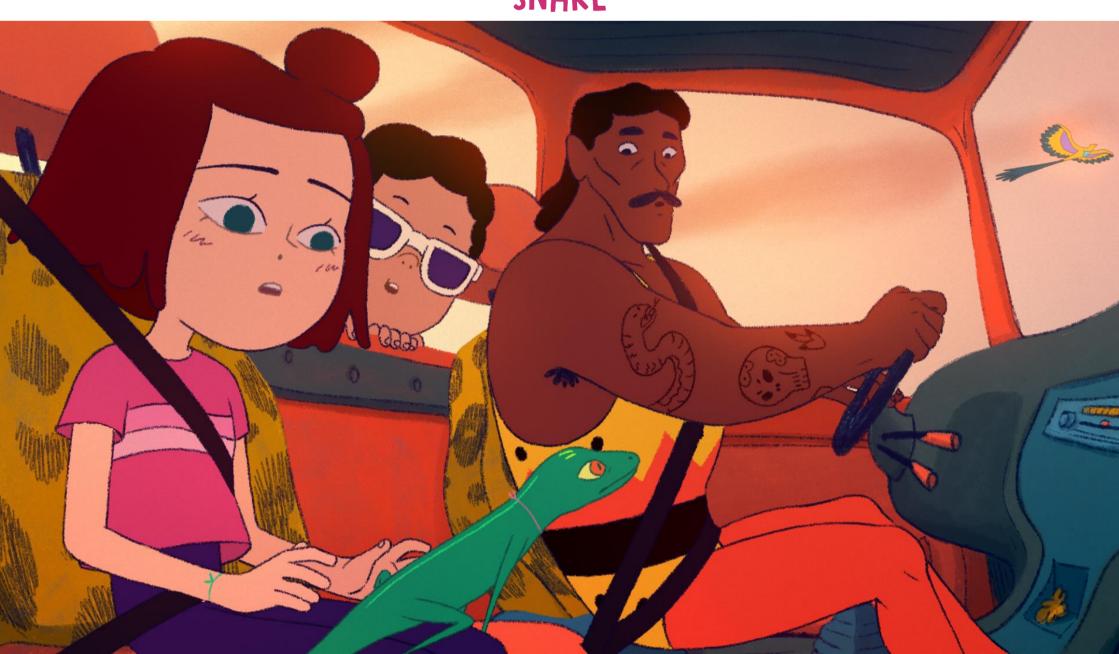




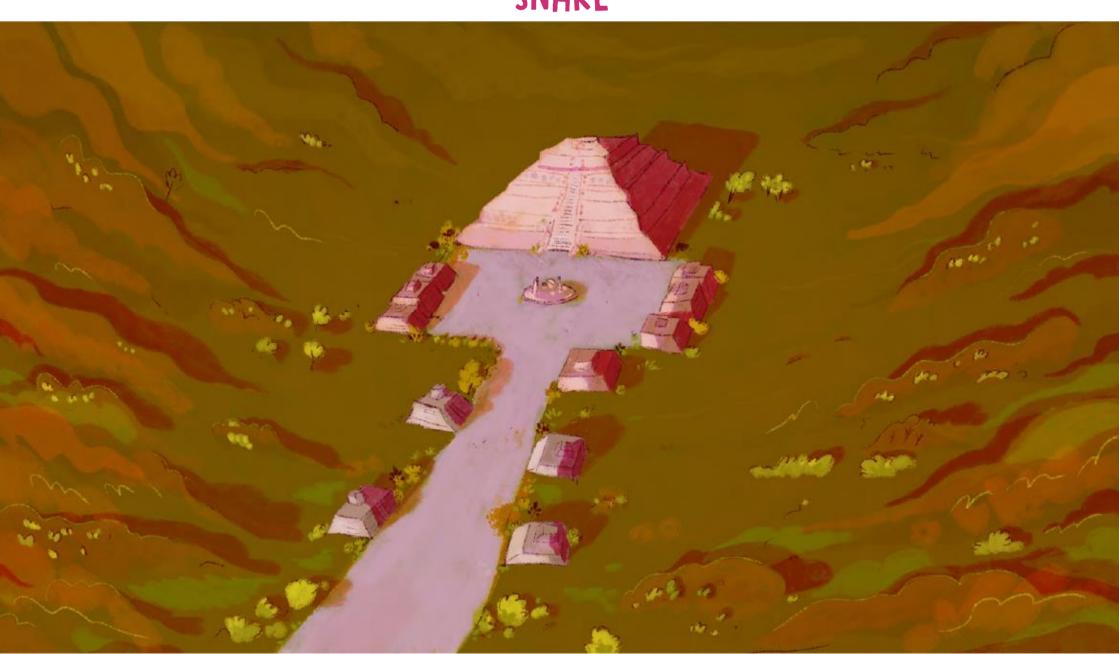




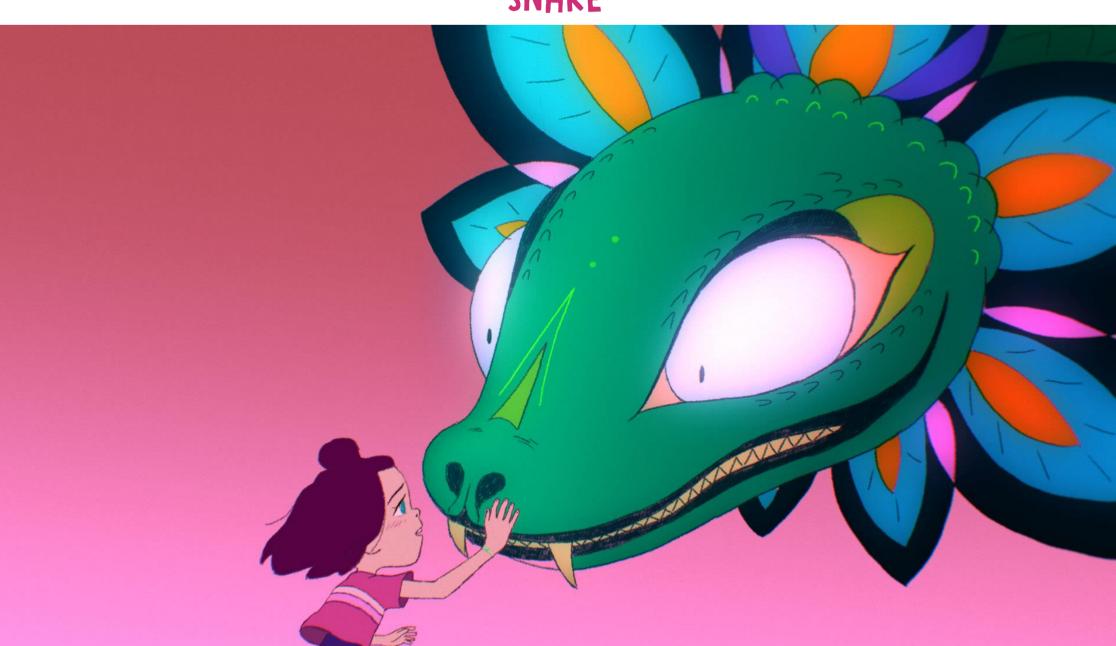














Ellie is ten years old and just entered Middle School. She has a wild imagination, an endless curiosity, and a passion for birds. She watches them, listens to them and observes them in all situations: on the streets, at school... and even at the library where she reads about birds to always learn more.

One day, the school librarian lends her a rare ornithology book. Ellie goes back to the library the next day to hand it back as promised, only to find out that the doors are already closed.

Her curiosity leads her to return it in person to the librarian, who actually lives on an island full of birds in the middle of the Loire river off Saumur... it's the start of an adventure at the heart of nature, and an initiatory trip for Ellie!



Producers: doncvoilà productions

French broadcaster: france • tv

Availability: Available

Duration: 32





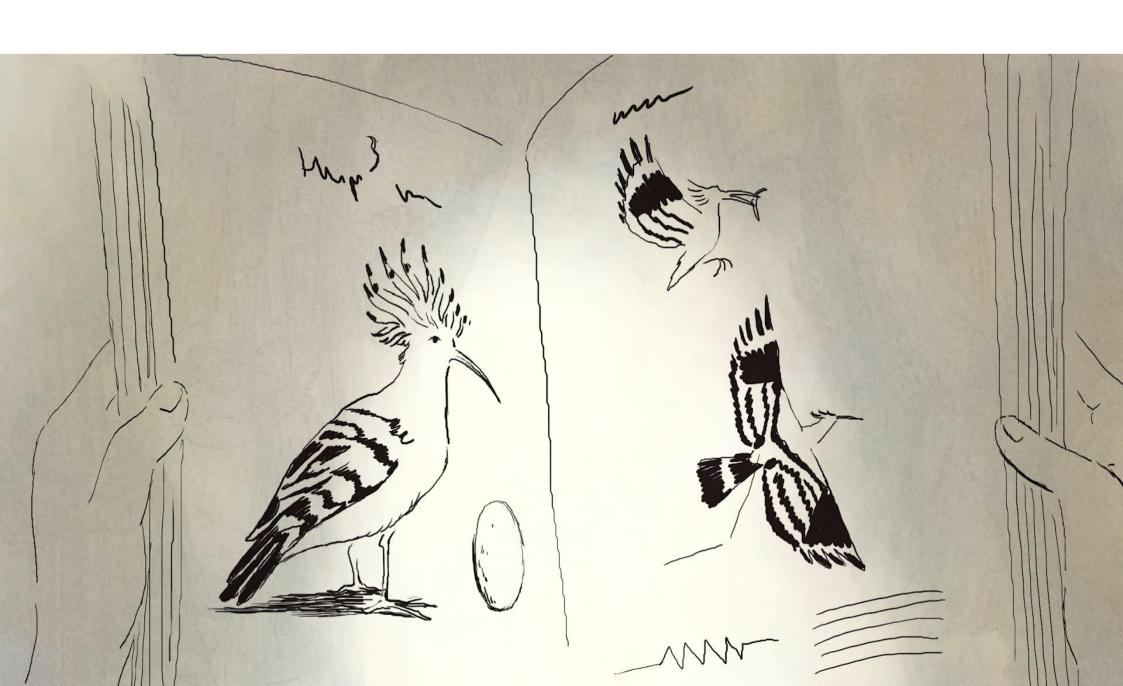


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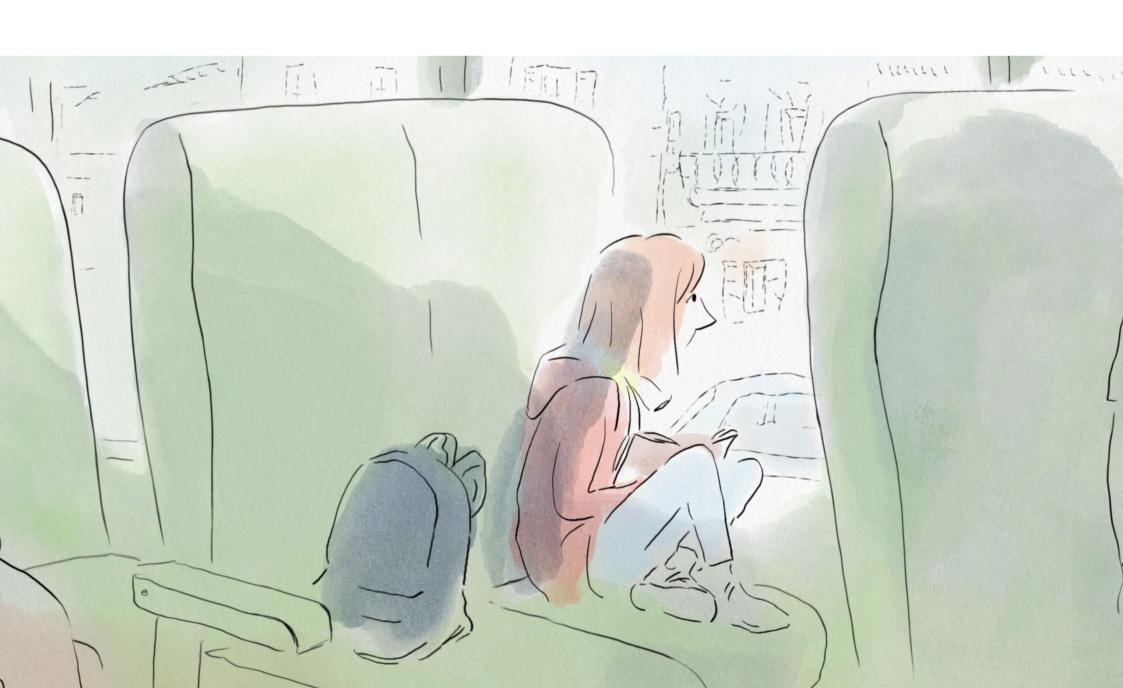
















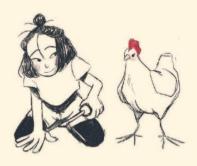












Chenghua, aged 9, is preparing a school project on space travel with her best friend. She cannot find enough time to do this as she is constantly asked to translate for her parents. They do not speak French and are dependent on their child; they do not realize that they are placing too heavy a weight on her young shoulders.

Chenghua can take no more and tries to break free from her family. Her desire for space and natural enthusiasm will help her take those steps.





Director: Noémi Gruner & Séléna Picque

Producers:

TRIPODE PRODUCTIONS

French broadcaster:

CANAL+

Availability: Available

Duration: 26'



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