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TAKE ACTION GUIDE:

ANOTHER WORLD IS POSSIBLE



ABOUT THE FILM

Climate activist Helena Marschall, 20, takes us into a youth-led movement in Germany to get political leaders to act. And some of them are listening. At a fragile time, when inaction seems to bring us closer to an irreversible climate catastrophe, young people are mobilizing to reverse global warming. ANOTHER WORLD IS POSSIBLE follows the work of Helena, who leaves no doubt that urgent action is imperative. But she also offers hope and a roadmap to impactful activism.

“The climate crisis seems big and scary, and as young people we often feel powerless. I’ve found that when we come together, we can rise up and truly transform the world. This film tells that story. Every day I’m inspired by the activists around me and what we have accomplished, and I hope that sharing that with a wider audience, with Anja’s help, will allow more people to recognize their power and join us in pushing for change.” —Helena Marschall

REFLECT AND SHARE

1. What surprised you about the film? Why?
2. What did you learn from watching this film?
3. How is the filmmaker's life similar to yours? How is it different?
4. Did watching this film make you want to change your behavior or the behavior of others? How?
5. What can we learn from witnessing other people's stories?
6. What is your story? What would you like others to learn from you?

LEARN MORE



Helena Marschall and her peers feel helpless when they see the indifference of leaders both in Germany and worldwide when it comes to climate change. A huge part of their response to this dilemma is in their commitment to learning—and educating others—about climate justice. You can contribute to this effort, too! Scan this QR code to learn more.

TAKE ACTION



Helena's message is one of action. Her organization isn't just about informing themselves and others—it's about getting involved, moving the needle on policies and individual choices, and working toward a shared solution to climate change. Scan this QR code for some organizations where you can get involved, too.

ABOUT BYKIDS

BYkids produces real-world films for kids, by kids. Talented young storytellers from around the world are paired with seasoned filmmakers to create powerful documentaries about their lives. In partnership with public television and education innovators, we share the films and their educational resources to help make global issues feel personal, relevant and actionable for millions of students. Our work serves as a catalyst for change, igniting important conversations and inspiring a new generation of social activists. To support our work, visit bykids.org/donate/.

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