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Niels Arden Oplev, Denmark, 2006 

110 min. | DK/Feature



13-year-old Frits has fallen out of favour with the headmaster of his provincial school. The year is 1969. The world is changing rapidly and corporal punishment has been banned. The tyrannical headmaster, however, hasn't bothered to notice. Frits spends his summer holidays watching the family's first television, and is influenced by the winds of change. Martin Luther King's speeches and dreams of a better life have armoured Frits with courage and the desire for rebellion. When the headmaster steps over the line during punishing Frits, the boy takes up battle against the authorities. The story is based on actual events.

Basic information

Credits

Festivals & awards

Materials

Original title	Drømmen
Danish title	Drømmen
Other titles	Danish films for children - selection
Director	Niels Arden Oplev
Screenplay	Niels Arden Oplev , Steen Bille
Producer	Sisse Graum Jørgensen
Director of Photography	Lars Vestergaard
Editor	Søren B. Ebbe
Sound	Peter Schultz
Composer	Jacob Groth
Production designer	Søren Skjær
Casting	Jette Termann
Appearance	Janus Dissing Rathke , Bent Mejding , Anders W. Berthelsen , Jens Jørn Spottag
Production country	Denmark
Production company	Zentropa Entertainments11
Domestic distribution	Nordisk Film Biografdistribution
International sales	TrustNordisk / Filmbyen 22 / 2650 Hvidovre / t +45 3686 8788 / f +45 3677 4448 / info@trustnordisk.com / www.trustnordisk.com
Festival information	Danish Film Institute
Technical info	2994 meter, 35 mm, 1,85:1 - Widescreen, color, Dolby, SRD
Danish theatrical release	24.03.2006
Cinemas	Dagmar , Palads , Metropol (Strøget) , Birkerød , Reprise Teatret , Grand , Gladsaxe Bio , Værløse Bio , BioCity (Tåstrup) , Ballerup , Gentofte Kino , Albertslund Bio , CinemaxX , Empire , Kinopalæet (Lyngby) samt 46 biografer i provinsen
DFI subsidy	Konsulentstøtte
Danish rating	Allowed for children over the age of 11

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