



Available for 2013-2014 School Year

African and African American Programs

African & African American Animation

Animated/Animated Documentary Shorts Program

Grades 9+ (Ages 14-18)

All world language films screened with English subtitles
90-minute program includes media education

Miss Divine (USA)
What's Fufu? (England)
Snowflake (Russia)
Hisab (Ethiopia)
Pondering (Belgium/Burkina Faso)
N'djekoh (France)
Sharaf (Sweden)
Journey to Cape Verde (Portugal)



Pictured: "What's Fufu?"

Themes: Travel, reflection, cross-cultural exchanges, rural life, coming-of-age, career aspirations, family origins.

The young men and women in this selection of short, animated films speak from their own experiences and their own hearts. In "What's Fufu?" Nigerian teen Yemmi reflects on her heritage versus her present-day life in London with foster parents. In the documentary "Pondering", passersby note whether they prefer their present circumstances or look to emigrate from Africa. In "N'djekoh" a young woman looks back on her childhood and the memories of her mother. And in "Journey to Cape Verde", a traveler checks out of digital life completely, to get in touch with the rhythm and flow of African daily life. The animation "palette" from across the globe paints the lives of characters of African descent in many ways. From watercolor to oil painting, from hand-drawn to computer animation, come along with these characters as they set off on their journeys – and find out more about themselves on the way.

\$6 per student – chaperones free!
Screenings held at Facets Multi-Media:
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Price includes curriculum (received in advance) and media educator led discussion.
World language films will be subtitled in English.

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