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Let's kiss in September

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A sentimental diary from the time without school.

During the quarantine they all spoke: virologists, politicians, journalists, members of parliament, teachers, headmasters, opinion leaders and all kind of experts ... But how about the children and young people themselves? Where have they gone? We have not heard them walk through the deserted streets, we have not seen them in city squares and in parks. They have no longer been able to crowd the nightlife. They have no longer gone to school. They have no longer filled the sport centers. So where have they gone? How did they live through the quarantine? We wanted to hear directly from them so we asked them. This is how they answered.

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