



### LEARN WITH SERGE

## Video activities in German

Welcome to the **Double Club: German** interactive video activities with Arsenal winger and German U19 international, Serge Gnabry.

In a series of videos, Serge acts as both teacher and football coach, asking questions for your pupils to answer and giving coaching commands for them to follow. This provides a fun way of introducing new vocabulary and a perfect opportunity for an energetic warm-up session in the classroom.

The videos are available to all teachers participating in *Double Club: German*, and can be accessed in the 'Fun Zone' area of the Arsenal Double Club Languages website (sign-up required): [www.arsenaldoubleclub.co.uk](http://www.arsenaldoubleclub.co.uk)

## Quiz videos

- **Arsenal-Quiz** - a general quiz about Arsenal
- **Fußballspieler-Quiz** - guess the Arsenal players from the descriptions given
- Serge asks questions to the camera for your pupils to answer.
- In extended versions of the videos, Serge provides the answers, as well as further questions for your pupils to discuss.
- There are two versions of the 'answer' videos, one with the responses at the end, and one with the responses after each question.
- There are also two versions of the quiz worksheets to cater for pupils with different language levels.
- The **teachers' notes** for the quiz videos contain a full transcript of what Serge says, including the answers and follow-on questions.
- On the right-hand side of the teachers' notes, you will find suggestions and useful facts to help expand on topics from the activities and spark further discussion.

## Serge Gnabry



Serge Gnabry is a rising star in the Arsenal team.

Born in 1995 in Stuttgart, Serge plays as a midfielder / winger. He has attracted plaudits during his time in Arsenal's youth teams, and has already impressed with some accomplished performances for the first team.

Serge has a German mother and Ivorian father, and has regularly represented Germany at international level up to U19.



### Training videos

- Get the pupils to stand up in a clear space – they will need enough room to take two steps forward / backwards / to each side.
- Watch the 'Training commands' video, in which Serge introduces the various commands. When Serge gives the command 'Los!' ('Go!'), a drum beat plays and a countdown graphic appears on the screen. While the drums are playing, the pupils should jog on the spot.
- The pupils should repeat the instructions aloud and carry out the corresponding actions, as demonstrated by Serge. Between the commands, while the drum beat is playing, the pupils should jog on the spot.
- A list of suggested actions is provided on the following page, but please feel free to make up your own actions / get the pupils to choreograph their own moves.
- With the commands learnt, divide the pupils into two groups and watch the 'Trainieren mit Serge' videos, in which Serge gives training commands at random. Which group is the best at following the commands?

### Suggestions

- You can play the videos in full screen mode by clicking on the 'full screen' symbol in the bottom right-hand corner of the Vimeo player. If you need more time to explain / practise the actions, pause the video when the pause symbol appears on the screen.
- Try playing each video three times: once as warm-up, once as a competition between the two groups, and once with the audio only, so the pupils have to follow the commands aurally. (You could turn off the projector or minimise the browser window to hide the video player.)
- Once pupils are confident with the commands, why not run your own version of the activity, led by the pupils?

### Send us a video!

Are your pupils smooth movers? Why not film them training with Serge and upload the video to YouTube or similar. Contact us through the Arsenal Double Club Languages website ([www.arsenaldoubleclub.co.uk](http://www.arsenaldoubleclub.co.uk)) and we'll feature the best ones online.

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### Suggested actions

Command	Action
Los!	Pupils start jogging on the spot
Ein Schritt nach links!	Pupils take one step to their left
Zwei Schritte nach links!	Pupils take two steps to their left
Ein Schritt nach rechts!	Pupils take one step to their right
Zwei Schritte nach rechts!	Pupils take two steps to their right
Ein Schritt nach vorne!	Pupils take one step forwards
Zwei Schritte nach vorne!	Pupils take two steps forwards
Ein Schritt nach hinten!	Pupils take one step backwards
Zwei Schritte nach hinten!	Pupils take two steps backwards
Springt!	Pupils jump
Kopfball!	Pupils mime a header
Schießt!	Pupils mime shooting the ball
Tor!	Pupils celebrate with their hands in the air, cheering
Foul!	Pupils clutch a body part (e.g. knee), as if injured
Gelbe Karte!	Pupils mime the referee showing a card
Rote Karte!	Pupils mime the referee showing a card, and pointing to the touchline
Halt!	Pupils stop jogging