

Watching TV

Do you love binge-watching TV or discussing shows with friends? TV is a fun, safe, and easy topic for casual conversations. You might even learn a bit more about someone's interests or personality by discussing the shows they enjoy.

Below, you'll find lots of different phrases that will be useful when discussing TV. Use them when you're looking for something to talk about with friends. Let's get started!

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Questions About TV

The following phrases will help you start conversations about TV. Use them to find out what kinds of shows someone enjoys, what their favorite program to watch is, and much more!

German

Siehst du gern fern?

Welche Arten von Fernsehsendungen magst du gerne?

Was ist deine Lieblingssendung?

Hast du die neue Staffel von Found gesehen?

Hast du Kabelfernsehen?

Welchen Streaming-Dienst nutzt du?

Wie hat dir die neueste Episode von Light gefallen?

Magst du Spielshows?

Hast du die neue Miniserie Ashleigh's World gesehen?

English

Do you like to watch TV?

What kind of TV shows do you like?

What's your favorite show?

Have you seen the new season of Found?

Do you have cable TV?

Which streaming service do you have?

What did you think about the latest episode of Light?

Do you enjoy game shows?

Have you seen the new mini-series, Ashleigh's World?

Talking About TV

Want to tell someone all about your favorite TV show? The phrases below will help you do this. Use them to let others know what you're watching!

German

Ich schaue gerne den Mystery Channel.

Ich sehe nicht viel fern.

Ich sehe zu viel fern.

Ich habe die letzte Staffel verpasst, deshalb muss ich das nachholen.

Die neueste Staffel von Light soll richtig gut sein.

Ich habe die letzte Staffel nur so verschlungen.

Die Episode von gestern Abend war so intensiv.

Streaming-Dienste sind zu teuer.

Ich muss immer durchzappen, bis ich etwas Gutes finde.

Ich möchte meinen Kabelanschluss kündigen.

Werbung ist so nervig.

English

I enjoy watching the Mystery Channel.

I don't watch much TV.

I watch too much TV.

I missed last season so I need to catch up.

The newest season of Light is supposed to be really good.

I binge-watched the last season.

Last night's episode was so intense.

Streaming services are too expensive.

I always have to channel-surf until I find something good.

I want to cancel my cable subscription.

Commercials are so annoying.

Frequently Asked Questions

What are the most essential German phrases for talking about TV?

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Welche Arten von Fernsehsendungen magst du gerne?	What kind of TV shows do you like?
Hast du die neue Staffel von Found gesehen?	Have you seen the new season of Found?
Ich schaue gerne den Mystery Channel.	I enjoy watching the Mystery Channel.
Ich sehe nicht viel fern.	I don't watch much TV.
Ich habe die letzte Staffel verpasst, deshalb muss ich das nachholen.	I missed last season so I need to catch up.
Ich habe die letzte Staffel nur so verschlungen.	I binge-watched the last season.

What are the most popular kinds of TV shows in Germany?

Germans enjoy lots of different kinds of TV shows. Some of the most popular are talk shows and game shows, as well as crime series, soap operas, and family dramas. People also really enjoy watching sports events on TV.



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