

# **Under the Surface**

Original title: Under the Surface

A portrait of Anne, a young woman of 33 who has Asperger's and is visually impaired, a condition caused by her premature birth. She wants nothing more than to live underwater as a mermaid, but her greatest challenge is to live above water. She is slowly trying to build a life together with her boyfriend, who looks remarkably like Prince Eric from The Little Mermaid. Then her mother discovers that Anne's premature birth was caused by the drug DES, an artificial hormone prescribed to her grandmother in the 1960s. *Under the Surface* is a story about a seemingly impossible love that takes shape thanks to the female protagonist's imagination and perseverance.

## **CREDITS**

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## **CREATION DETAILS**

TYPE: Film

PRODUCTION SHARE: Majority Flemish CONTACT & SALES

Production

**GENRE:** Documentary, Biography **YEAR OF PRODUCTION: 2024 PRODUCTION STATUS:** Completed **ORIGINAL TITLE:** Under the Surface

**ORIGINAL LANGUAGE: Dutch** 

## **TECHNICAL SPECS**

**RUNNING TIME: 75' AVAILABLE IN: 2D ASPECT RATIO: 2.39:1** 

**SOUND FORMAT:** 5.1 (+ sub) Dolby RELEASE FORMAT: DCP; 4K; Apple

ProRes 422; DCP (2K) **COLOUR:** Colour

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