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What's the best way to keep the little ones occupied during the Carnival holiday? ANIMA 2018 has once again got things sorted: what with workshops, entertainment and discoveries on the big screen, there's no way they're going to be bored. Once again, Flagey's epicentre will be changing into a little paradise for the kids during the carnival vacation with entertainment (in collaboration with Ouftivi), makeup stands and the much talked about ANIMA pancakes!

The youngsters (5 to 12 yrs) will be able to take part in [daily animation workshops](#), while the older kids (12 to 16 yrs) are invited to a [5-day workshop](#), in English, hosted by Japanese animation filmmaker Maya Yonesho. There will be a volunteer on hand with Maya to help out with translating into French if needed.

The kids will also be invited on a tour of the world in moving pictures every afternoon, with films from Asia, North America, and the four corners of our continent. They'll be able to discover the amazing Japanese feature [LU OVER THE WALL](#) (Kids 7+), a real little gem that can hold its own against the poetic imagery of a Miyazaki production or [BIG FISH AND BEGONIA](#) (KIDS 7+), a sumptuous epic tale inspired by Chinese mythology. North America will be represented by films nominated at the Oscars like Carlos Saldanha's [FERDINAND](#), director of [ICE AGE](#) and [RIO](#) or [COCO](#), the latest offering from PIXAR.

The tiny tots will be able to choose from a rich selection of quality European productions including the latest from Michel Ocelot ([KIRIKOU](#)), [IVAN TSAREVITCH AND THE CHANGING PRINCESS](#) (KIDS 5+), a programme of shorts with some familiar characters, [ERNEST AND CELESTINE IN WINTER](#) (KIDS 3+), a charming feature voiced by Virginie Efira and Kev Adams, [DRÔLES DE PETITES BETES](#) (Kids 4+), as well as the short films in competition, in two programmes, one targeted to the very young, [BANDE DE ZOZOS](#) (Kids 3+) and the other to kids a little older [WE'RE GOING ON A BEAR HUNT](#), (Kids 6+) bringing together the best shorts of the year.

In short, 10 very animated afternoons in store at ANIMA! Something for all ages and all tastes!

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