

Film title

Diary of a Chambermaid

Tagline

Cheat and work

Short synopsis

A scheming servant works for a wealthy couple in France during the late 19th century.

Long synopsis

Early 20th century, in the French provinces. Much courted for her beauty, Célestine is a young chambermaid who has just arrived from Paris in the service of the Lanlaire household. Fending off her master's advances, Célestine must also deal with the very strict Madame Lanlaire who lords over the house with an iron fist. Among the domestics is Joseph, the enigmatic gardener, who exerts total fascination over her.

Technical information and credits

Original title: Journal d'une femme de chambre
English title: Diary of a Chambermaid
Year: 2014
Country: Belgium, France
Language: fr
Subtitles: cz
Running time: 92 min
Dostupnost: 15+

Genre: Drama, Historically
Directed by: Benoît Jacquot
Written by: Hélène Zimmer, Benoît Jacquot, Octave Mirbeau
Edited by: Julia Gregory
Cinematography: Romain Winding
Sound by: Bruno Coulais

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Awards

Berlinale IFF - Main competition - 2015
César - Nominee | Best Costumes, Best Production Design, Best Adapted Screenplay - 2016
Lumiere Awards - Best Actor - 2016

Actors

Léa Seydoux, Vincent Lindon, Clotilde Mollet, Vincent Lacoste