



Reunion project in Poland

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Firstly, teachers and students from Spain, Portugal and Romania visited the host school (Publiczna Szkoła Podstawowa nr 1 w Kluczborku) and took part at an artistic program offered by the Polish students in the first day of their visit. Then, participated in a lesson integration in the school yard for knowing each other better and teambuilding.

During a workshop, they projected the structure of the project website, sharing ideas and establishing together the parts of it.

The second day, workshops took place in order to give a final shape of the website structure and to write projects for a civic action in the community. They talked about common environmental and social problems from the community and then they identified solutions in order to solve one of them. Three civic action projects in community were created on the base of good practices: „Fresh Water: a precious resource... but not an endless one”, „How Green Are You?” and „Can You Help?”, their planning being ended the following day. Teachers and students played a volleyball match together in order to create a pleasant atmosphere.

The third day, the guest visited the Town Hall from Kluckzbork, talking about school and community. Then they visited Jana Drzierżona Apiculture Museum where the students and the teachers learned more about the history of the local citizens, their customs and traditions and then took part at an workshop where they made ginger bread.

Coming back at school, the partners finished the three civic action projects, created three common evaluation tools of the civic action projects (questionnaires for teachers, students and parents) and they took part at the lessons. Then, they talked about the project activities and results, sharing ideas in writing an article.

The goal of the fourth day activities was to know more about the history, geography, religion, culture and Polish civilisation and to grow the team project cohesion, sightseeing in Wroclaw, having a Guided city tour with an English speaking guide and a boat trip on the Odra River.

We believe that both students and teachers, visit to Poland was a unique experience, particularly characterized by cooperation, cultural diversity, friendship, creativity, civic spirit. The exchange of best practices and the open communication led to the consolidation of the team project and the partnership.