

The Report of the Meeting

Different Stories-Same Values
Project Meeting: Stockholm – Sweden, December 9th - December 16th 2012

The Greek delegation arrived in Stockholm on December 9th and left Stockholm on December 15th 2012. The delegation consisted of two teachers: Ms Eleni Chantziara, Ms Renia Chatzigeorgiou and four students: Andromachi Sortikou, Stella Kapitagli, Vasilis Maniatis and Giorgos Kantiltziadis .

The Italian delegation arrived in Stockholm on December 9th and left Stockholm on December 16th 2012. The delegation consisted of two teachers: Mr Alessandro Crescenza, Ms. Anna Maria Sicilia and four students: Clara Lomonaco, Simona Sardella, Cinzia Petrelli and Martino Genchi .

During the project meeting between December 9th and December 16th teachers and students of all the delegations could get to know the history, traditions and customs of Stockholm and Sweden. At the start of the meeting we organized a lesson where everybody talked to everybody, “speed dating“, in order to get to know each other. There was a workshop on Alfred Nobel on December 10th which is the Nobel Day. The Nobel Museum, the City Hall and the Culture House were visited.

We visited the Europe House and listened to a lecture there. The students had written essays, poems and short-stories on the topic „Why is EU important for me“. This was a competition in the honour of our deceased Italian colleague Grazia Cecere. The prizes were awarded here in Stockholm. The best ones will be printed into a book by Fantasifabriken.

In school we had lessons where all students made gingerbread houses, Christmas decorations and tried floorball. One of the evenings a dinner was held , where the students had prepared the food. On December 13th we all attended the celebration of Lucia. There was also a workshop on migration in Europe where the students worked in smaller groups.

The Vasa Museum was also visited where there was a guided tour and the students tried ice-skating in Kungsträdgården.

The visit of the delegations deepened the friendly relationship among students, teachers and parents. Both teachers and students improved communicative skills in English, enriched their knowledge of different cultures: differences and similarities, educational possibilities, developed their skills of using new technologies and students increased their educational level.

At the end of the meeting we made arrangements for the next meeting in Italy from March 4th to March 10th and distributed tasks to be done. In Italy we will start preparing the final report of the project. All the delegations will prepare presentations on traditional sports and games before the meeting in Cisternino. We will also prepare presentations about our religions in order to compare the common values. Students made evaluations of the meeting in Sweden.

The Principal of the school

The Main coordinator

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