



1st MOBILITY for ERASMUS+ Project 2020-1-ESO1-KA229-082556_2

“Walking together towards an Egalitarian Europe”

During the week 21st–27th November 2021 the four (4) partner schools met for the first time in Bibbiena, Italy. Each partner took part with 2 teachers and 4 students as follows:

SPAIN: Teachers: María José Ferrer Márquez, Delia María Gómez Muro

Students: Irene Hernández Bretones, María Martín Andujar, Hugo Blanco Pérez, Tomás Montoya Sicilia

FRANCE: Teachers: Marietta MISAINÉ, Raymond PETIT-FRÈRE

Students: Davina AKICHI, Lara GUILON, Murielle GUILON-FIRMIN, Kérianne VICTOIRE

GREECE: Teachers: Kyriaki Kamiliotou, Aikaterini Rengouza

Students: Giolanta Kalamoukou, Agapi Kosmidou, Eleftheria Stergiopoulou, Angeliki Antoniadou

On 21st November 2021 the groups from Greece and Spain arrived at the hotel “Borgo Antico”, Bibbiena, where they were welcomed by the host Italian teachers. Due to an administrative error the French group could not join them on that day.



On 22nd November 2021, the partner groups were warmly received by the I.C. Bernardo Dovizi school manager and gifts were exchanged.

Spanish, Greek and Italian students gathered at a specially arranged classroom where they shared videos of their cities and schools and made brief presentations of their countries' educational systems. Then each school showed their timelines on women's vote and national legislation on gender equality and gender-based violence. The interested facts of their research brought about a fruitful discussion. Next, mixed groups of students and

teachers played two online KAHOOT games (1. on culture/landmarks, 2. on able-bodied and disabled sportswomen from the 4 countries). Finally, everybody sang in chorus: “I’ll be there for you” and “Bella Ciao”.



After lunch, the hosts took the guest schools on a guided tour through Bibbiena (Tarlati Square, Vecchietti-Poltri palace and the clock tower, Dovizi Palace, church of San Lorenzo) with Italian students being the guides, while in the archaeological museum the Erasmus+ group was greeted by the Mayor who offered every school two high-quality publications on local history and culture. At the end of the day the guests enjoyed a small concert by Dovizi school orchestra at the school premises.



On 23rd November 2021 the students got acquainted with the work of the important Renaissance painter Piero della Francesca at Sansepolcro, Monterchi and Arezzo with the help of a well-qualified guide who focused on the depiction of women and its interpretations in that period of time.

On 24th November 2021 partner schools visited Florence and went on a well-organised guided tour around the city and in the Uffizi museum where they had the opportunity to feel the unique atmosphere of the city and learn a lot about everyday life, education and social relationships in that period of time.



On 25th November 2021, the partner schools celebrated the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women with a special event that has been taking place in Italy for a few years now: installing red benches in squares and decorating public places with red ribbons.

Unfortunately, due to bad weather conditions, the event took place at school: on the benches already painted red by Italian students, the partner students made drawings and wrote messages about RESPECT, EQUALITY, EQUAL RIGHTS etc. The municipality representative who attended the event thanked the Erasmus+ project for its initiative and reassured the partner schools that these unique benches would be installed in Tarlati square on a later date. Then everybody gathered at the central hall, each school read a CEDAW article in their own language and in English, they all raised their red flower-shaped ribbons and sang *Bella Ciao*.



In the afternoon, they visited another historic city, Poppi. In the castle the Italian students put on a short performance based on Dante Alighieri's Divine Comedy / The story of Countess Matelda.



On Friday 26th November 2021 the theme of "Brotherhood and sisterhood: Clare e Francesco's example" was studied by visiting La Verna Sanctuary. After a detailed guided tour by a friar, the students played a Treasure Hunt game in mixed groups and explored the valuable exhibits inside the monastery as well as the impressive surroundings in an enjoyable way.

Back in Bibbiena the partner teachers had their final assembly with the following topics:

- a) Final budget of the mobility made by the host Italian partner to divide to the partner schools
- b) Reviewed schedule of the next three (3) mobilities which is officially extended for three months.
- c) Overview of the activities that schools are working on in December and new activities introduced for the 2nd term (January-February 2022).
- d) Discussion on whether the project aims were achieved; thoughts and impressions on the educational results of the activities performed and social or cultural benefits gained during the mobility week. As far as the organisation of everyday activities and overall schedule are concerned, everybody acknowledged that the host Italian school did a great job and thanked them for their friendliness and enthusiasm.
- e) Farewell wishes and dinner before the departure on Saturday 27TH November 2021.

