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Colegiul National "Gh. Vrânceanu"

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Erasmus+

**“What’s the use of it?”
Partners Meeting
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Project teams: Teachers and students

„WHAT'S THE USE OF IT“, ERASMUS + PROJECT IN FINAL STAGE

Four High School students from Metković, Croatia with their teachers Zivka Frankovic and Ljiljana Jelacic have visited Romania these days , as part of the final two-year European project on applications of mathematics in real life called *What's The Use Of It*. The project included the mobility of teachers and students from Cyprus, Romania, Turkey, Spain and Croatia, ie. Metkovic High school.



Croatian team

All the project objectives and tasks are successfully implemented, and overall performance and the atmosphere are marked as an example of good practice. Operating materials - presentations are published on the website www.whatstheuseofit.net.



English class with Erasmus + teachers



Presentation on STEM issue



Croats with the host members



Farwell party and certificates

In the context of extracurricular activities during the school year, the students of Metkovic High School were actively engaged in the workshops making recommendations and suggestions. The four most enthusiastic students: Frano Rajic, Ema Boras, Ivan Pavlovic and Matija Matic, have shared their experience with other students from partner schools at a meeting in the Romanian town of Bacau from 11 to 15 April 2016. These third graders from Metkovic High school easily made new friends and got to know a different system of education.

"It is worthwhile to point out that the 35-lesson curriculum per planned units is successfully completed and in the final phase there still remains a final design of the presentations as well as the final evaluation," said Ljiljana Jelcic, the mathematician and the leader of the Croatian team. On the national conference of teachers of mathematics in Zadar, Croatia, from 21 – 23 March 2016, the project was presented by a highly efficient mathematician, also a member of the team Mrs Ljubica Jerkovic.



Spanish team



Turkish team from Ankara



Cypriot team



Romanian team



Turkish team from Denizli



Farwell party



Dance: teachers' memorable extra-curricular activity

SIGHTSEEING - Iasi (Moldavia's capital)



Centre of Bacau



Bacau theatre: puppets



Iasi: Metropolitan Cathedral



Iasi: Monastery of the Three Hierarchs



Iasi: Palace of Culture

STUDENTS' IMPRESSIONS

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EMA BORAS, 3 C class

Being a part of Erasmus + is one of the best experiences of my life. Apart from getting to know other cultures, languages and new friends, this definitely helped to practice English. Moreover, I learnt a lot not only about the Romanian school system but also about other educational organizations from all member states. I strongly believe that my team will be able to make improvements in my school and local community.

IVAN PAVLOVIC, 3 C class

I am really glad to have had the chance to visit Romania and feel its tradition, people and food. I would really love to do it again.

MATIJA MATIĆ, 3 C class

The Project ended in a thousand unforgettable memories. I realized that although we are different, there are many more similar things.

FRANO RAJIC, 3 C class

The Project made me understand the importance of balancing theory and practice, not only in maths but on a daily basis. Furthermore, I finally saw the real beauty of learning foreign languages. In addition, my English skills and self-confidence in using both Maths and the language rose dramatically.

PARTICIPANTS (teachers & students)

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