

ERASMUS KA2 "PRET-A-PET"

5TH MEETING

MANISA TURKEY 5-9 MARCH

2018



1st DAY - MONDAY 5th MARCH

On the first day our Turkish partners welcomed us warmly to their school (Ismet Inonou) and presented us a program of traditional Turkish dances. Thereafter, lunch was delivered to the school, followed by workshops where the pupils gave their own illustrations of the story they themselves composed at an earlier time using the modern methods of graphic design.





2nd DAY - TUESDAY 6th MARCH

- ▣ *On the second day, we visited SELGUK PARK, where students divided into mixed teams playing the treasure hunt and at the same time exploring the park, which is also a shelter for animals. In the afternoon teachers and students cooked in the kitchen of the school traditional dishes of our country and of course we made tzatziki and batzina pie but we also made some cheese pies. Afterwards the pupils painted on the wall of friendship the map of emotions, which they experience daily.*
- ▣ *In the evening we presented our culinary masterpieces at the official dinner and we enjoyed dancing and singing Greek songs and dances.*





3rd DAY-WEDNESDAY 7 MARCH

- ▣ *Wednesday's Theater Day at HDF COLLEGE where forum theater activity, the theater of opponents, was presented, whose main goal was to help people understand psychological problems and explore different ways of responding to all forms of violence in their environment.*
- ▣ *Then, the program coordinators visited an orphanage in the city and offered gifts to the children, giving them beautiful moments.*



4th Day – Thursday

On Thursday we went on a day trip and visited the famous ancient city of Ephesus, a Greek colony on the Aegean coast, with the famous 30,000-seat well-built theater built during the Hellenistic period. We admired the famous Celsus library, which at the time of its peak numbered 12,000 book volumes, as well as the ruins of the temple of Artemis between Ephesus and Selcuk.

We were excited to visit the house of Our Lady, a cruciform temple built by the Catholics where, according to the tradition, the Virgin Mary lived and where the Second Ecumenical Synod was convened in 431 AD. The excursion was completed with a visit and a meal at Kusadasi opposite the Greek island Samos.



In the evening during the dinner, the diplomas were awarded to the participants in the program.

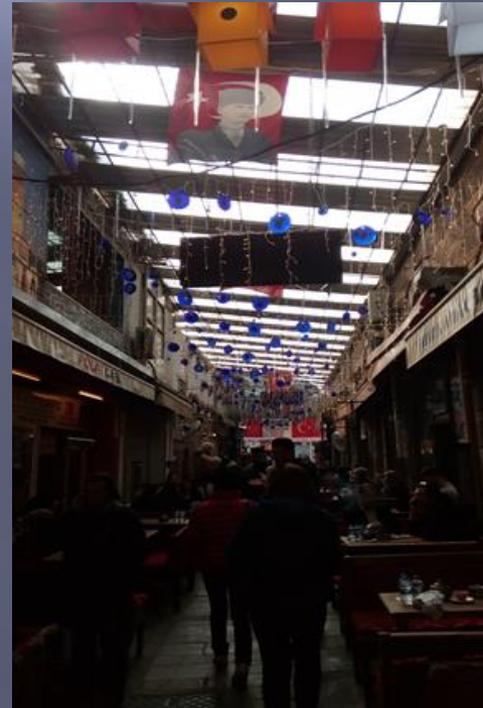


5th day - FRIDAY

At the last day of the visit, we went at Ismet Inonu school and then we visited the Town Hall where the Mayor of the city welcomed us.



Then we visited Smyrna, we walked to its stone-paved alleys and its famous waterfront, where nothing reminded us of the history and glory of the Greek city.



In the evening at dinner we said goodbye to our friends, hosts and other missions in a warm and friendly atmosphere, and we set our last appointment in Greece in Trikala on 7-11 May.



Thank you!