



## **We care about our planet**

### **Report of the Bulgarian meeting**

Due to measures taken to prevent the spread of Covid 19, the meeting in Sofia, Bulgaria, took place online from Monday 22nd to Saturday 27th March.

#### **Monday 22 March 2021**

The first day was the beginning of the meeting activities. In the first hour the hosts welcomed us to the beginning of the meeting and there was a virtual tour of the school. Then, after the established greetings between our participants, they presented the education system of Bulgaria through an interesting ppt.

An online tour of a traditional Bulgarian town took place. A beautiful video was shown and we got to know the rich culture of the country.

#### **Tuesday March 23 2021**

Participating students from Bulgaria, Poland and Turkey introduce themselves and present the musical instruments they created using recyclable materials. They then sing songs using the musical instruments they made.

The students of the other schools have created similar musical instruments before and the teachers of these schools present the same activity on video during the activities of that day.

In the last activity of the day, all the schools present in a video all the activities that they have been preparing ever since the meeting in Romania.

#### **Wednesday March 24 2021**

All the teachers and students who participated in the meeting are working on constructions prepared by the teachers of the Bulgarian school.

During this workshop we used plastic bottles and made beautiful vases with flowers. In this way we showed that nothing is thrown away and that everything can be reused and turned into beautiful objects instead of being thrown away and turned into garbage.

A presentation and guided tour of the beautiful city of Sofia was shown with a video.

#### **Thursday March 25 2021**

A Bulgarian school teacher prepared a workshop for all the participants in which we learned how to make beautiful dolls using old socks that we filled with cotton, rice or any other material that could be used for this purpose.

#### **Friday March 26 2021**

We learned to make bookmarks using cardboard and photos from old magazines and newspapers. We decorated the bookmarks with whatever materials everyone wanted. In the next activity we were guided online through the presentation of a video, in the traditional city of Plovdiv which was European capital of culture for 2019. Plovdiv is a city of special color and beauty full of cultural activities. We got to know the traditional dances and songs of this area and came closer to the Bulgarian culture.

#### **Saturday March 26 2021**

On the last day of the meeting in Bulgaria, the organizers from each country met and discussed the next meeting that would take place in Greece. Due to the emergency conditions prevailing throughout Europe due to the pandemic, no decision was made on when and how the meeting in Greece would be arranged. This will depend on the epidemiological data as they will be formed in the near future. The activities that should be done from the schools until the final meeting were discussed and a foreground was made with them. We all wish to be able to meet in the last meeting in a natural way and not online. Then a video was presented which included the individual videos that each country made with environmental slogans created by students from all schools participating in the program. Last activity of the meeting was the delivery of the certificates and the renewal of our appointment for the final meeting.