



# ONCE UPON A TIME...THE SEA

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#### **SETTING UP EURO-CLASSROOMS AND PROJECT OFFICE**





#### **SUCCESSFUL EUROPEAN PROJECTS**

This is the slogan of an informative seminar with participants from all local schools, teachers, students and parent. The school headmistress Mrs. Dănilă Simona presented the meeting agenda, followed by the guests presenting the outcomes of various European project. Prică Georgeta, deputy headmistress of "Dragomir Hurmuzescu" Technological High School and Furtună Marius, headmaster of "Nicolae Bălcescu" High School, with some of their students discussed with the seminar participants.

The performance of "Lucian Grigorescu" School were outlined by headmistress Dănilă Simona, and deputy headmistress Ciocan Emilia, awarded the participating students to eTwinning projects a QUALITY AWARD and informed the guests on the Erasmus+ project, "Once upon a time...the SEA". The seminar was a good opportunity to exchange good practices. The seminar highlights were broadcast by the local TV station

Media TV, in a dedicated show.

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The Italian school proposed the students to fill out a questionnaire related to the biodiversity of marine environment and issues related to the sea and ocean pollution.

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Looking for a project logo, the students were guided by our Art teacher, Elena Dodiş, to illustrate the project theme through shape and colour. In our school, the works of our students Neagu Alexandru - VII B, Motoc Ioana – VIII A, Lucaci Alexandra & Sali Melysa - VII B, succeded in rendering significant symbols of the project.



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The project theme was included in the school curriculum, as integrated in subjects such as Art, Technology, Music, History, Science, Geography, Biology, Maths, English and optionals like "The Sea, from legend to art". The knowledge on the marine environment is basis for solving complex tasks and boards with decorative items, drawings, collages and , desene, colaje scaled models.







## LET'S DISCOVER THE SEA TOGETHER!

The sea was discovered via trips on the Romanian seaside or "Grigore Antipa" Natural Science Museum in Bucharest, Tulcea or Constanța, all intended to enrich knowledge on the biodiversity of marine environment and identification of coastal issues, gathering of marine elements to for SEART works, assuming a eco-friendly lifestyle and increase of students' creativity. The students' portfolios showed the acquisition of information and plus of knowledge from schools.



#### THE SEA IN OUR LIFE

The students documented and selected information on the marine ecosystem and the importance of the sea in people's life, which they presented during the videoconference *Our SEA in daily life*, attended by the students and teachers from the partner schools.



STUDENTS FROM ITALY

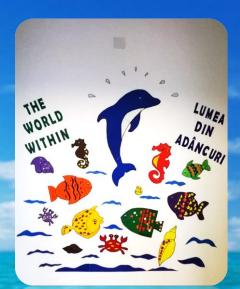












The students brought the sea closer through the creation of decorations.

















The themed decorative items and the diverse techniques succeeded in rendering the sea colours, sand warmth and clear sky.

Me... The sea





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**Everyone got carried away giving the** school a nice atmosphere ... of summer!

ME... THE SEA



### **BLACK SEA RUNNING**

The Eco NGO *Mare Nostrum* from Constanța celebrates the International Day of the Black Sea through the 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of a crosscountry running competition. The event was intended to raise awareness of the impact of the human life on coastal environment and included many participants. Our school was represented by students guided by teachers Osoianu Nicoleta and Marcov Raluca, and enjoyed a day spent on the seaside together with the 1600 participants.





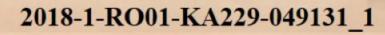
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#### **Project Transnational Meeting (29-30 October)**

The participants appreciated each moment of the meeting, starting with the warm welcome, Euro-classroom arrangement, enjoying the information on each partner school. During the 2 days there were fruitful discussions about the importance of teamwork, its promotion and support, the appraisal of the students' talent and sharing the experience acquired with teachers belonging to different cultures.



## **BLACK SEA INTERNATIONAL DAY**

It is our school's tradition to celebrate Black Sea International Day. The students provided remarkable literary and artistic creations shared to the audience in the festivity room, scaled models and art exhibition guided by the teachers Mocanu Mariana, Ene Viorica and Dodis Elena. There was a special atmosphere during all acts of the show and interludes of presentations of information on the Black Sea, others with illustrative images and approapriate music. Mihaela Deli-Iorga coordinated the entire activity, presenting the contests Our SEA in daily life and My Message to the Sea, where the protagonists were our team members. The celebration included a *Marine Carnival*, presented by the youngest students coordinated by Volintiru Lidia, as well as music performed by Badea Andreea and the school music group coordinated by Tănase Silvia.

The Legends of the Sea is a literary collection in a brochure, a present for the guests from the partner schools. The guests congratulated both the students and the teachers for the artistic programme, as well as the parents for their support.

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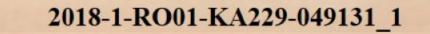
#### **PROJECT DISSEMINATION**

The promotion and dissemination of the project emphasized the outcomes of the Erasmus+ project and provided information to the school community and community in general, both via informative and promotional materials (leaflets, badges, folders) as well as press releases, interviews and TV programmes.



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On October 2<sup>nd</sup>, in an educational programme broadcast by the local TV station Emilia Ciocan Emilia and Tatiana Penelea, presented the Erasmus+ project. The presenation provided to the programme host information on every party interested in developing educational EU-funded projects.

The second programme included the participation of Emilia Ciocan, Ștefan Lenuța and Deli-Iorga Mihaela who provided information on the project transnational meeting from October 29 - 30, with its ample and diverse programme for students and teachers, an official visit to the Town Hall, Black Sea International Day.

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