

# EUROPEAN DAY OF

LANGUAGES

2016

### Description:

The project aimed at celebrating language diversity among Europe. Children aged 9-14 were included into various tasks and activities with the aim of recognizing the importance of speaking foreign languages, as well as celebrating the mother tongue. Through the creation of games, posters, presentations and online material, children connected with their peers in a foreign country, exchanged ideas, showcased their work, as well as learned a few words of the language other children included in the project speak.

### Aims and outcomes:

- recognize the diversity of languages in Europe
- develop appreciation and respect toward foreign languages and cultures
- improve language skills via various activities
- speak, write, listen and read in a foreign language
- learn a few basic words and phrases in a foreign language not taught in school
- connect with peers around Europe
- communicate via IT tools with peers around Europe
- use Web 2.0 tools to create tasks and activities and to display results

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# Croatia - Bjelovar













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Pleskalt and

great students

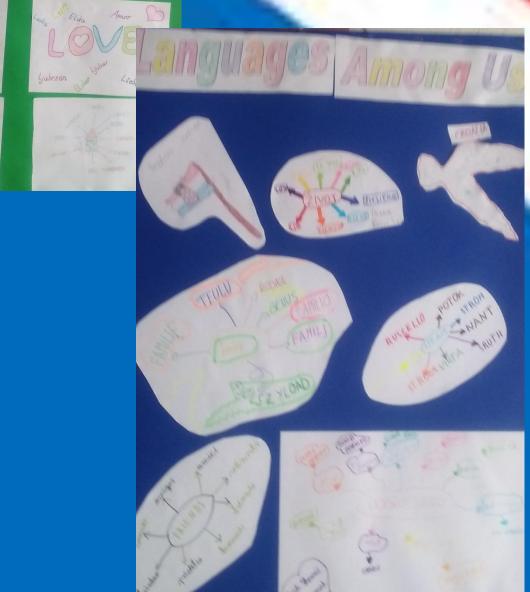
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Languages
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# European Day of Languages





Motivational poster for learning foreign languages

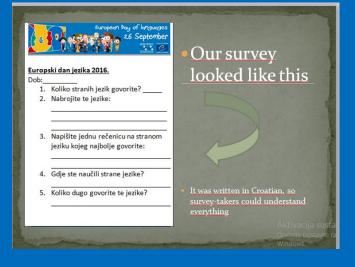
# Language Survey



# Languages Among Us

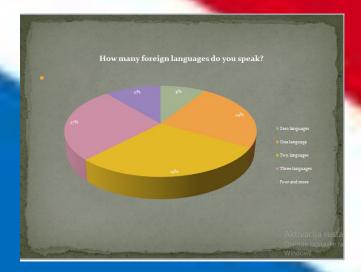
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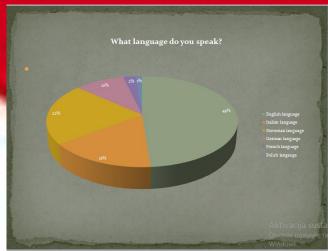
- We celebrate the diversity of languages in Europe on 26th September every year
- Our school and students are involved into various activities and tasks linked to the European Day of Languages
- This year, 7th and 8th graders conducted a survey about languages

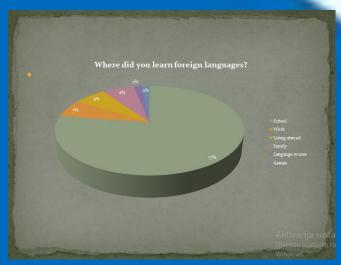


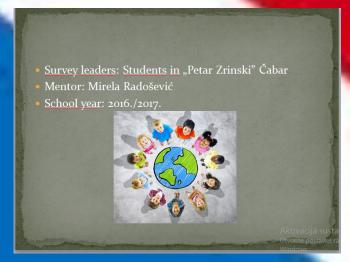
# What did we find out?

- We interviewed 45 people. The youngest one is 10 years old, and the oldest one is 65 years old.
- Our conclusions are:
- We speak a lot of foreign languages, and English is the most spoken foreign language in our area.
- On average, people speak 2 foreign languages.





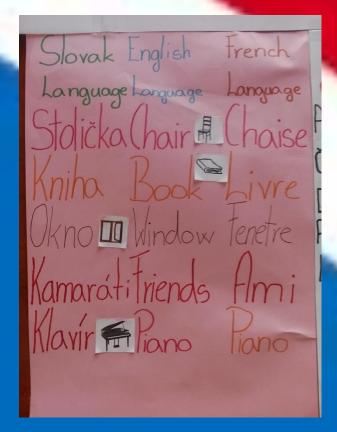


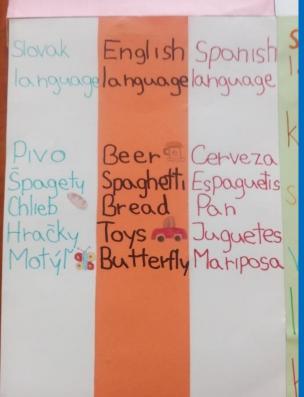


Thank you teacher Mirela Radošević and her students from Primary School Petar Zrinski Čabar!

# Slovakia - Trnava



















# A quiz in English language:



# A survey:



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Martina Dekanová, Stanislava
Vargová and their diligent
students!

(There were also a few videos created by the school, but videos cannot be displayed in an e-book!  $\odot$  )

## Serbia - Belgrade



PROVERBS IN ENGLISH AND SERBIAN
PRESENTATION BY JOYANA KRNETA
CLASS 8/1

comparison

Aktivacija sustava Wi

### PROVERB NO.1

Description: When someone has done something bad to you, trying to get revenge will only make things worse.

Eng: "Two wrongs don't make a right".

Serb: "Ko drugom jamu kopa, sam u nju pada".



### PROVERB NO.2

Description: Trying to convince people with ideas and words is more effective than trying to force people to do what you want. Eng: "The pen is mightier than the sword".

Serb: "Reči su oštrije od mača".



### PROVERB NO. 3

Description: It's best to do something on time. But if you can't do it on time, do it late. Eng: "Better late than never".

Srb: "Bolje ikad nego nikad".



### PROVERB NO. 4

Description:

Eng: "No pain no gain".

Srb: "Bez muke nema nauke".

If you want to improve, you must work hard



### PROVERB NO. 5

Description: People like to spend time with others who are similar to them.

Eng: " Birds of a feather flock together".

Srb: "Svaka ptica svome jatu leti".



### PROVERB NO. 6

Description: Pictures convey emotions and messages better than written or spoken explanations. Eng: "A picture is worth a thousand words".

Srb: "Slika govori više od hiljadu reči".



### PROVERB NO. 7

Description: You should wake up and start work early if you want to succeed.

Eng: "The early bird catches the worm".

Srb: "Ko rano rani, dve sreće grabi".





Description: If you need to do something, don't wait until later. Do Eng: "There's no time like present".

Srb: "Ono što možeš danas ne ostavljaj za



### PROVERB NO. 9

Description: Different people have different ideas about what's beautiful.

Eng: "Beautiy is in the eye of beholder".

Srb: "Lepota je u oku posmatrača".



### PROVERB NO.10

Description: When it's raining heavily.

Eng: "It's raining cats and dogs!"

Serb: "Lije k'o iz kabla!"



### PROVERB NO. 11

Description: When you are very happy.

Eng: "Be on cloud nine".

Srb: "Biti na sedmom nebu".



### PROVERB NO. 12

Eng: "Blood is thicker than water".

Srb: "Krv nije voda". Description: Family relatoships are



### PROVERB NO. 13

Description: Talk about a certain person, and that person appears. Eng: "Talk of the devil".

Srb: "Mi o vuku a vuk na vratima".























Thank you teacher Maja Hadžić from Primary school "Vasa Čarapić" Belgrade, Serbia and her dilligent students!

# <u>Ukraine - Irpin</u>





Ukraine forever!

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Thank you Natalia Oliynyk from Irpin school №12, Irpin Ukrajina

# <u>Ukraine - Kiev</u>



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