Outdoor Learning

- •Saint Nicholas Primary School is a multinational and multilingual school with pupils from low socio-economic level. Teaching in a multilingual class in a tradition way is very complex, difficult and usually not as efficient. Therefore, outdoor activities and outdoor learning is priority for Saint Nicholas Primary School.
- "Saint Nicholas Primary School" obtain a lot of activities related to "Outdoor Learning" for the Erasmus+ project "New ways, New Skills".

Educational visit at the Forest school of Pedoulas

The pupils of year 3 visited the Forest School of Pedoulas. At the field trip, the children had the opportunity:

- to examine the forests of Troodos
- to learn about the forest ecosystem
- to examine and analyze the forest vegetation
- to develop the skills of observing, comparing and recording
- to form positive attitudes towards the protection of forests

The visit included fieldtrip at the forest, observation, re-enactment "The alive forest", role play "The forest" and watching a video about the ecosystem.







Educational visit at the Educational Environmental Center of Koilani

The pupils of Year 2 visited the Educational Environmental Center of Koilani, a village 40km away from Limassol. Koilani is a winemaking village. Therefore the pupils studied

- Vineyards of Koilani village
- The viticultural museum located at the center of the village
- The wineries around the village
- The workshops of viticultural products of the village





Educational visit at the Educational Environmental Center of Akrotiri

The pupils of Year 1 visited the Educational Environmental Center of Akrotiri to participate on the educational program "Sea Treasures".

The pupils:

- learned about sea pollution and understood how dangerous the sea pollution can become for humanity
- learned about the sea ecosystem
- increased their critical thinking, their observation skills and their imagination
- formed positive attitudes towards the protection of sea

It was a unique experience for everyone. Learning through outdoor activities were so much fun and enjoyable.









Educational Visit at the Zoo

• The 1st grade students visited the Limassol Zoo and learned about the animals. They had the opportunity to see the animals and learn a lot about them. Each group of 2 children were given an "Animal ID" to fill after they observed and read the signs of the zoo. When they finished, they exchanged their knowledge by presenting their animal ID. At the end, an expertise made a presentation for the animals of the zoo.



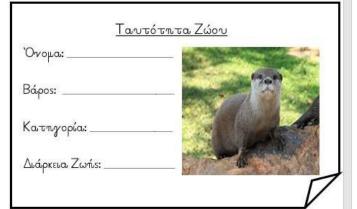






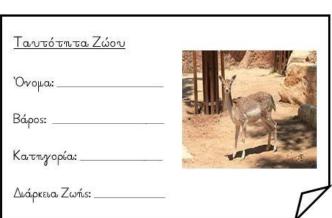












Hambis Printmaking Museum

The pupils of Year 3 visited the Hambis Printmaking Museum

The children had the opportunity to meet in person the artist, Mr Hambis Tsaggaris, and become familiar with the historical course of printmaking, its techniques, materials as well as printing presses through a selection from the rich collection of the Museum. Exhibition includes prints of all techniques and methods of printmaking by International and Cypriot artists from the 16th century until today, old books and maps, tools of all printmaking techniques and engraved plates of various techniques with their prints.









Gardening and Art Installations

The pupils made art creations using leaves, stones, wood and other natural resources.



Playground games

- The pupils love to play playground games. There are several playground games around the school yard.
- The 1st grade students play a game that facilitated the learning Through this playground game the 1st grade students learned the alphabet, the numbers and calculations, they were practicing on observation, they advanced their skills and learned the colours.
- Learning occur through game and while having fun!











Educational visit at a pottery

The 2nd grade pupils visited a pottery. They learned about this traditional occupation and made their own creations with clay. They also learned the importance of this occupation at the ancient years.

The program included:

- Historical reference of ceramic art from past to the present
- Information on how clay is made
- Demonstration of pottery wheel
- Drying and decoration of the pots At the end, the students made their own useful objects or souvenirs.



Tsiknopempti: a traditional festive day















