

### Estonia Erasmus+ "Work in progress – My logbook"

(Name)

Dear student,

in order to keep track of your project work you should keep a logbook. For each day, please

- 1. describe what you did on that day (activities, workshops, excursions...).
- 2. sum up what you have learnt about the topic "Smart and sustainable use of energy".
- 3. describe and evaluate your project work, i.e.
  - a) which steps you have already taken, and which steps you still have to take (see project plan) and whether your project work is going according to your set project plan.
    If not, what could you do to solve the problem(s)?
  - b) your team work, e.g. your cooperation, your communication.In what way is it going well? What could be improved?
  - c) what you have learnt in terms of project work.

Illustrate your logbook entries by adding e.g. pictures, photos, extracts from brochures, used tickets.

Of course, you can keep an online logbook.



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## Wednesday, 3rd October 2018

The day started at the Stuttgart airport from which we took a plane to Frankfurt.

After a two hour stay at the airport in Frankfurt we flew to Estonia's capital Tallin.

From Tallin airport we had a two hour bus ride to Tartu, where the Lähte gymnasium is located.

When we arrived in Tartu we checked in into the hotel and had first contact with the students from the other countries which also lived in the same hallway as we did.



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## Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> October 2018

After the breakfast at the hotel the day could start.

A bus took all students from the hotel to Lähte gymnasium.

There we were welcomed by the Estonian English teacher.

Also some Estonian students gave concerts for us.

After the songs and the choir, we got the week's program which explained what we would do the whole week.



After that the British and our group presented the presentation about renewable energy which we had to prepare at home. We, the germans, showed our video, which was produced before going to Estonia. Some of us also held a presentation about renewable energy in Germany.

When the presentations were finished we were devided into four groups, each with another task for the upcoming week.

There were 1. The video group, 2. The photo group, 3. The blogger group and 4. The brochure group.

We had time to brainstorm ideas before we had to go to lunch.

After that we took a bus to Tartu where we were dropped of in the city center and had to walk through some housing areas, to get to the city's university. There the university teachers tried to explain things about renewable energy and heating to us. But it was hard to understand because of the big language barrier between the teachers and us.

When the tour had finished we all went back to the hotel.

There we had a few minutes time to rest, before a few of the students went ice skating. We were invited by the Estonians to go to a mall, go ice skating and to have dinner.



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## Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> October 2018

After Breakfast we had a city tour through Tartu. There we could look at the old town and also visited an old church. After that the Major of Tartu introduced himself to us and had a short presentation about the university city Tartu. The teachers and the Major also exchanged presents for each other.

We had lunch in an old gunpowder cellar, which was a really nice location. The food did also taste really good.

After Lunch we headed to the Tartu Envoiremental education Centre where we looked at a few plants and animals and got told how climate change affects the wildlife.

Next up, a bus took us to the ice age Centre were we had a guided tour. The tour wasn't that interesting and also had nothing to do with our topic, so all students started to explore the Centre on their own.

After Dinner at the Ice Age Centre we went back to Tartu to spend the last hours in the AHAA Science Centre right next to our hotel. The things in there were mostly made for children, but despite that is was still quite fun.



In the evening a few of the exchange students did a room escape together with some Estonians. The room escape was the most interesting and challenging thing today.



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# Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Today was Tallin day.

In the morning we took the bus to Estonia's capital.

After the 2,5 hour bus ride we got off and looked at the presidents residence and at the music festival location as well.

After a tour through the old city and a short show in the energy discovery centre we were free to roam around the city.



After dinner we went back to Tartu by bus.



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# Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Today we went hiking in the woods.

After Breakfast we drove to south Estonia, where we went for a hike in the woods and in the swamplands. We visited a lake and later took the bus to a riverside reserve.

In the afternoon we went around the new city centre in Tartu.



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# Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Today we worked at school, every group had almost the whole day to put together their materials gathered over the last week.

I was in the video group. We sketched out our plan for the film and filmed the last scenes. After that we cut all scenes together and finished right in time before the presentation of all projects.

In addition to the project presentations the Italians and the finish had to present their presentation about renewable energy in their countries, because there wasn't enough time on Thursday.

After the serious part was over the day ended with Estonian folk music and Estonian dances.



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## Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> October 2018

All countries departured from Tartu at 9:00, we all went to the airport in Tallinn.

Before entering the airport we had to say goodbye to the finish, because they took the ferry back to finnland. The rest of the students went inside and waited together until the flight arrived.

From Tallinn we flew back to Frankfurt and later back to Stuttgart where our interesting trip ended.