

Erasmus+ “Work in progress – My logbook

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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 “immigration”.
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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Friday, 8th February 2019

Firstly we met at the Auditorium, after that we went for a tour around the school. We discovered, that some school types are in one building and we were really surprised about that fact. Like technical college and high school gymnasium in one building. So we saw also chefs and waiters, they are learning how they should serve the food and also how to cook the perfect meal. After that we had to present our podcasts, we also got a new task. It was doing a new podcast with the different students from different countries, so we mixed up our groups.

However we also had fun, like doing karaoke, each country sang a typical song of their country. It was really funny. Then we left the school and did a tour around Castelfiorentino, the town where some of us were staying. In the old part of Castelfiorentino we visited the museum of Benozzo Gozzoli, there was a wall with painting which told us a story and it was really interesting.

After spending a few hours with all of the students of the different countries, we had free time and some went with us to buy a ice cream. The last thing we’ve done together was t



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Saturday, 9th February 2019

Today we went to Florence, it's also called the city of art.

We did a tour of Florence and saw the Cathedral and Neptune and my host also told me, that in Italy he is called 'the big white one'. My friend and I we also wanted to visit the Uffizi-gallerie, but the line was quite long and we hadn't as much time as we would spend there.

Moreover some of us also had a coffee time in a typical Italian restaurant. After a long day and also very hard day with a lot of walking we entered the train, which was going to bring us home. But out of nothing many of our group said that we have to get off the train, because someone told them, we had to wait for our teachers. It was really stressing me out, fortunately everything went well and we could stay in the train.

I hope that I won't get white hairs after that.



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Sunday, 10th February 2019

That was the only day were we could decide what we would do with our host family, more specifically our host friend. So they decided that it would be cool to visit Siena, it’s a small village, where every year a festival called Paleo takes place. Also our teacher told us about the famous race. Because of the crowded place non of the Italian hosts saw it, even though they’re just 30 minutes from that village. However we ate ice cram and stayed at the main place, called ,Il Campo,.



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I was really excited about this day, because I went one time before to San Gimignano, where the world champion of ice cream have their store. And before we went there, I told my friends about that fact and now everyone was really excited!! First we went to the legendary store where only a few bought a scoop of ice cream, because we didn't had lunch. After 2 scoops we searched for a restaurant, where we could try typical Italian food. Well after the scoop my friends and I we weren't that much hungry so one bought Spaghetti Bolognese and my other friend and I we had Tiramisu for lunch. After that we went to a lookout point where we saw the villages in the valley. We met at 3 pm, so it was time for ice cream, again! Later on we had a tour by our teacher, she told us interesting things about the ‚Manhattan of the Middle Ages‘.



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Tuesday, 12th February 2019

Today we had to finish our podcast, it went quite good, the only thing that was not as good as we planned was that we had a lot of background noises. But besides that it was fun recording it, everyone said something, so the podcast was very interesting with regard to the differences about the pronunciation. But I think it was a good idea that everyone spoke at least a sentence. I think our podcast is a very multicultural one. Even though they just could do nothing.

We also talked a lot, everyone could speak english quite good, so it was not a problem of communication, maybe more a problem of shyness. But in the end of the whole trip we become very good friends with each student.

After work the cooks from the technical college served us a delicious meal. Then the students showed us their performance at the auditorium. It was really good, they sang and also did tricks with a basketball. The next appointment was at a restaurant, where all of us had dinner for the last time together.

I have to say that it was a wonderful experience for me and I also think for my classmates and the other students had a time, they will never forget! And for the other students of the different countries.



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I liked working in a international team from across Europe. The task was also feasible and I’m very lucky that I had the chance to be part of this wonderful and also important project! I think it’s important that we now also know how important the immigration in Europe is and how it might change our life. Erasmus is a very good project to feel what Europe means, like meeting new people from different countries is also a first step in the correct direction.

Immigration is not only a word, it’s the future of Europe and also other continents. There would be no day without people leaving their country to search for a better life and I think that we should take care of them, like our competition is to integrate them as well as we can. Nobody likes to be alone and I think that’s a first step of being all together. That’s the responsibility we have to take, everyone should do their best to make the world as one country, Because in the end, we are all the same!