



P7 activity - Meeting with tradesmen in the timber industry: Loggers

Visit to the Forest Protection Service

In February 2020, our older students visited the Forest Protection Service of Thessaloniki. They had the opportunity to be trained in matters related to the forest and more specifically to be informed about the natural landscape, the special forest management and the historical references of the suburban forest of Thessaloniki (Sheikh Shu) , the Public Forest of Hortiatis and the settlement of Hortiatis.

They were also informed about the relationship of the forest with the city of Thessaloniki and its importance for it apart from being its natural boundary. It was important to report and record the elements of the forest based on the four axes of sustainability.

However, special mention was made of the birth and growth of forest trees, the life cycle of the tree, the process of logging and wood processing, and a demonstration of cutting a trunk and analyzing its sections.



