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E-diary of C3 mobility

From Capellades, Catalonia (Spain) to Heraklion- Crete, Greece

Taking care of our natural environment

Saturday 4th May 2019:

Today, we arrived in Crete (Greece), we had to take two flights. First, we went from Barcelona to Düsseldorf and then from Düsseldorf to Heraklion. The landing at the last one was a little hard. Then, we took the bus to the hotel. We found the bus station after a long time and the bus driver was a bit rude with us. Finally, we arrived at the hotel and, after a long day, we were all in our rooms relaxing.



Sunday 5th May 2019:

Today is our free day, so the teachers and we visited the city in the morning. After a long walk on the beach, we took the bus to go to the city. We walked along the streets, we visited a museum and an orthodox church. We also met Otto, a German man who showed us somewhere to eat. In the restaurant, we ate fried fish, it was delicious! While we were eating, the waiter was very nice to us and he was also very funny. After, we bought some souvenirs and we had to take the bus to go back to our hotel. We found the bus stop without a problem but when we arrived there, the bus had left without us! So we had to wait 20 minutes to take the next bus. At night, we had dinner with our new polish fellows. It was a long but funny day, now it's time to go to sleep because tomorrow we have to wake up early.



Monday 6th May 2019:

Today we woke up at 7 and at 8:30 we went to the 11th Gymnasio of Heraklion (Talos Gymnasio). There, the greek team made a presentation about the history of Greece and they also showed us traditional dances. After, we had a tour of the school and, then, we played some games to get to know everyone a little better.

After the games, we went to have lunch in a tavern called Anchorovolia and, just after, we visited the National Museum of Natural History. It was really interesting. When we finished, we went walking to the Koula fortress, an amazing fortress that defended the old port of Creta.

Finally, we came back from the centre of Heraklion to our hotel by public bus! And this time it wasn't difficult.



Tuesday 7th May 2019:

Today we spent the day doing activities with the others inside and outside the school. First, we had a speech on our Erasmus+ project, it was about different ways of exploiting organic waste to make compost. After the talk, we had a Greek class to learn words related to ecology. We also practised the chat, the forum and the e- twinning. Then, we were divided into groups to do some activities like planting in the school garden, painting the school walls, etc.

After the activities, each one of us went with our greek partner to their houses. At their houses, we tasted some traditional food. Then, we went to the city centre.

At night, everyone who was staying at the hotel went to a tavern to have dinner. It was really funny and we had a great time!





Wednesday 8th May 2019:

Today, we went to visit the Knossos temple, it was built in honor of Mino, king of the Minoric population. Then, we went to visit Heraklion's archaeological museum, a big museum with remains from the Paleolithic and Neolithic and of the civilisations that have been passing through Creta. There, we got lost before the visit was over, but we were lucky and met the rest of the group!

Right after, we went to the town hall. There, the first deputy mayor, chancellor of tourism, welcomed us.

At lunch time, our greek fellows led us to a typical food bar. We spent all the noon in the city centre with our greek students.

At dinner, all the groups from Erasmus+ went to a typical tavern to eat. It was great!



Thursday 9th May 2019:

Today we went to a park named Cretan Zeus Theme Park. At first, we thought that it was an amusement park or that they were going to talk about greek mythology, but after a two hour bus drive, we saw that it was a botanic park with some animals. We went for a long walk in the garden while they were telling us some information about each plant. When we arrived up the hill, they gave us something to eat (french fries and meat sticks). After everyone finished eating, we went to see some games, houses and jobs from the old Cretan island. Right away, we saw some animals there. Finally, before going to our hotel, we stopped to drink coffee next to a beautiful lake.





Friday 10th May 2019:

Today, we went to Archanes. First, we stopped at the Environmental Interpretation Centre. There, we did some activities. Most of them were related to the cure of the vineyards, composting and aromatic plants. One of the activities we liked the most was to make aromatic oil.

Right after, we got our diplomas and after, we went to eat at a tavern named Spitiko, and there we ate some typical food like lucumades, which is a dessert.

When we finished, we visited a little of the streets at Archanes and, after, we left with our Greek students. Right when we arrived at their houses, we got dressed to go to a tavern in the centre of the city. The place was very nice and we had a nice time. We drank some sodas and some smoothies. We also talked, danced, laughed and played some games like the one that we showed them, ximixurri.

When we got to the hotel, at night, they gave us some presents.



Saturday 11th May 2019:

Today we had a free day because the project is over. This morning we went to the beach to go swimming and to take some pictures.

After, we stayed at our hotel for a little bit and, then, we went to have lunch at a tavern called Pergola. There, we shared a greek musaka.

At noon, at around 6, our greek fellows came to see us for the last time at our hotel. Together with the turkish and the polish students, we spent all the time playing basketball and playing ximixurri.

At night, we went to have dinner at Grand Cafè with the Romanian teacher. There, each one of us ate a complete hamburger, and it was delicious!

Today was a fun but sad day because we didn't want to say goodbye to our new friends.



Sunday 12th May 2019:

This morning, the Polish kids woke us up because they wanted to say goodbye. They also got us some typical food from Poland! After, we went to have breakfast and, right away, we went to our room to pack our suitcases and it wasn't easy!!

When we were done, the Turkish kids came to say goodbye too. They are lucky because they will stay some more days.

We left our suitcases in a locker, which cost 2 euros!!, in the hotel and went to walk on the beach, but not much because we had a lunch reservation in a tavern that was right in front of the sea!

After, we went to get our suitcases and, right before we got our ticket for the bus, we saw our bus to get to the airport leaving without us!! We got our tickets and we had to wait for about half an hour for the next bus.

Once we got to the airport, we went through the controls and Brisa went off the alarm. We got our first flight, Heraklion-Athens, with a delay of 45 minutes. They got us a snack. Now, we are waiting for the second and last flight, Athens-Barcelona.

We don't want to leave, and we don't want to start the routine again, but we had loads of fun. Now, we have some new friends and we miss them a lot.

But we will never forget: "Don't worry, we are in Greece!"



