



# Primary school Brusnice Slovenia



# Presentation of our school:

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## Velike Brusnice



Location in Slovenia

Coordinates:  [45°48'35.09"N 15°15'40.72"E](#)

<b>Country</b>	 Slovenia
<b>Traditional region</b>	Lower Carniola
<b>Statistical region</b>	Southeast Slovenia
<b>Municipality</b>	Novo Mesto

<b>Area</b>	
• Total	3.93 km <sup>2</sup> (1.52 sq mi)

<b>Elevation</b>	251.6 m (825.5 ft)
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<b>Population (2002)</b>	
• Total	498

# Village Brusnice



Velike Brusnice (pronounced ['ve:likɛ bru'sni:tsɛ]) is a settlement at the foothills of the Gorjanci range to the east of Novo Mesto in southeastern Slovenia. The entire municipality of Novo Mesto is part of the traditional region of Lower Carniola and is now included in the Southeast Slovenia Statistical Region. The local community Brusnice is spread between the river Krka and Gorjanci. The hills with vineyards, close to the River Krka and Otočec with beautiful forests, fields and meadows make this landscape wonderful.



# OUR SCHOOL

- Our school is a good school which provides a useful knowledge for life, using creativity and innovation. It also promotes healthy lifestyles to ecological awareness and concern about the qualitative relationships.



Our headmistress  
Jasmina Hidek.



Teachers and  
technical staff in  
our school.

We do many different things in our school.  
Here are some of them:

This is our **folk dance group**.  
Children from 3rd to 5th grade can  
join the group. They are very good  
at what they do, so they perform in  
different events in and out of our  
school.



Every year in June, we participate in **The festival of cherries**, which takes place in our village. Our pupils make an exhibition of paintings and different art crafts, and they also participate in the procession.







Our school is also included in **Slovenian project called Growing Books**. We have already published 9 books. Every year we have an event with cultural program.



We have developed an excellent **theater group**. In collaboration with a former pupil who writes dramatic texts, students then perform the play at various events.



# Our educational system

- Education in Slovenia from primary to secondary schooling is regulated by the National Education Institute of the Republic of Slovenia (ZRSŠ), whose scope includes education programmes, delivery and development.
- Children first enter primary schooling at about the age of 6 and finish at about the age of 15. Each group of children born in the same year forms one grade or class in primary school which lasts until the end of primary school. Each grade or year is divided into two terms.
- At the end of the sixth and ninth grade pupils are examined by special state tests in math, the native language and their first foreign language, and the third subject tested in the ninth (or eighth) grade is decided by the minister. Exams in ninth grade are used to evaluate the pupil's performance during their school years. The points acquired by these tests used to be the key factor, when a child wanted to join a particular high school, but with the new system, the points acquired are only used when pupils running for the same school have the same points from their grades, so the commissioners of the school take into account the points acquired to finally evaluate the student whose performance is the best.
- In primary school marks start with 1 (insufficient) and is the only failure mark. The second one is 2 (sufficient), the next is 3 (good), then 4 (very good) and the best is 5 (excellent).