



Erasmus Plus Project @Museart Sept 2016-June 2019

**Project summary:** Our project is art and history based, exploring different cultures/traditions through sculpture and art.

We aim to use art/history as a universal means of learning and communication between partner countries.

Fully inclusive project, aims to enhance skills in Literacy, Numeracy, ICT, World Around Us and The Arts.

Project will introduce pupils and teachers to our European platform.

**Learning, Teaching and Training Activities** will allow teachers to improve cultural knowledge, share innovative teaching methodologies and exchange excellent practices with our partner countries.

Project will have mobilities for the following:

**Transnational Project Meetings and Learning, Teaching and Training Activities**

**TPM**- planning, monitoring and evaluation meetings - no defined duration

**LTTA** - learning, teaching and training activities must be **5** days excluding travel. School based teaching and learning activities. This may include workshops and some cultural excursions.

### Partners

Ireland - Galway

Spain - Linyola

Croatia - Zagreb

Bulgaria - Haskovo

UK - Tyne and Wear

Sweden- Kolmarden

Estonia - Paikuse

Italy - Turin - Moncalieri

## **Year 2 - September 2017- June 2018**

### **TPM - PROJECT PLANNING MEETING- 14 November - 17 November 2017- NEWCASTLE**

3 members of staff (Emma, Mairead and Denise) travelled to our partner school, St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Blaydon, Newcastle.

### **LTTA - BANBRIDGE- 12 March - 16 March 2018.**

We will be hosting our project partners in March 2018. They will be visiting our school from Monday 12<sup>th</sup> - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March. They will engage in teaching and learning activities, as well as some workshops related to the project and for professional development. The visit will also include visits to some tourist attractions. Details of the visit will follow in January.

### **LTTA - SPAIN - 21 May - 25 May 2018**

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May. This will be a week-long visit to our partner school. 2 visiting staff need to demonstrate something that they can teach to partner staff/pupils. Aim is to share skills. Could be history/drama/music/art related. Workshops will take place during the visit which will have some cultural/educational aspect. Details of visit from the host school will be forwarded before the meeting, hopefully in January 2018.

## **Project activities - GANTT CHART 2017-2018**

**Activity A5** - Create Christmas cards based on a traditional art theme from your country. Each country will create a selection of Christmas cards and post a selection to each partner country.

Received Christmas cards will be disseminated throughout the school.

### **Activity A9 - Coin design from partner countries**

Each partner country will examine 2 or 3 coins/notes from their own country. Look at the historical aspect of each coin/note.g character, dates, and artwork. Using this as a starting point, pupils think about designing a new note/coin for their local area. Include a famous person from our locality (historical aspect), brief information about their historical value and design a new note/coin based on this. Include relevant dates from history, artwork etc.

Finished coin/note designed to be uploaded to Google Drive and eTwinning portal by 31<sup>st</sup> January 2018. Partner countries will share completed coins/notes with their pupils. Photographs and word document explaining process and outcome to be included in this activity.

### **Activity A11- From Books to Film**

Make a movie (iPad - iMovies/animation) based on a traditional tale from your area. Research this tale and create a storyboard and short movie based on this. Ideas could include Fionn Mac Cumhall and The Giant's Causeway.

Final movie to be uploaded to eTwinning portal and Google Drive by May 2018. Completed movies to be shared with pupils.



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**Activity A13 - Making keychains using knots and ropes.**

Our partner country, Croatia will upload a video clip of instructions for making a keychain using fishing line. Each country will use this clip to make their own keychains. Finished activity with photographs and word document detailing process and outcomes to be uploaded to eTwinning portal and Google Drive by May/June 2018.

**Activity A17 - Street Art workshops**

Partner countries can explore the historical/cultural aspects of street art and if possible engage in a local street art project.

E.g Every year our Galway partner school knit woollen squares in school and they use the squares to cover a famous historical monument in their city.

Final pieces to be uploaded and shared on eTwinning and Google Drive by June 2018.