REPORT FROM 4TH PROJECT MEETING IN BRNO, CZECH REPUBLIC TUESDAY 19TH APRIL 2022



This project meeting was different because it took place from Tuesday to Saturday. The reason was Easter Monday which was on the 18th April which is a holiday in all the countries.

The Spanish team

arrived already on Saturday and Lithuanian, Swedish and Polish teams on Monday. They were all welcomed by the project coordinator Miss. Schormová and the families hosting some of the students. Swedish and Lithuanian teachers and students were all accommodated in the A Sport hotel near the school. Spanish, Italian and some Polish students were hosted in families. Spanish teachers took the chance and went by bus to visit our capital Prague on Monday as their students spent time with the host families. The Italian team was supposed to come on Tuesday.

Students hosted in the families arrived at school at 7.45 a.m. and at 8.00 went with their host to the lessons so see what is the school like in the Czech Republic. At 8.45 other teams of the teachers and some students came from the hotels and the programme started. From 9.00 a.m. to 9.45 a.m. there was a guided tour of school prepared by Czech students in Englich to show other teams our school. They visited the school in national teams and then all met in the teacher's room an headteacher and both deputy headmistresses invited everybody.

Later we went to the classroom where the Spanish teams gave us a presentation and lecture about a sustainable tourism in the city. Later we watched videos in English about the Czech Republic, Brno, and Moravia to introduce our country to the guests.



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At 1 p.m. we all went to a school canteen **for a lunch** – **a typical Czech meal** and had some rest.

In the afternoon we learned about sustainable tourism in the city.

We learnt that Brno has a very good public

transport network which is frequent, fast and ecological and that the citizens are encouraged to use public transport by a special programme: if they buy a year ticket for public transport (which is valid for trams, buses, trolleybuses, trains and

even a boat on the Brno dam lake) and they have no debts, they get 1/3 of the money back on their bank account by the city council.

We went to visit Brno castle Špilberk and used public transport which is an ecological way to move in the city. We first walked on foot through the park uphill and walked around the castle to see it from outside which is another ecological way of transport.



Later we **entered the castle** and visited some exhibition inside the castle. We were there with Miss Hronová and her daughter who explained everything to us in English. We spent an interesting afternoon even if the weather was not so nice



- there were showers at it is usual in spring here. We had a beautiful view of the city from the top of the hill.

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