

KA1 COURSES



Greece - Levadia

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Name of the course	Hellenic Civilization
Dates of the course	the whole year
Duration of the course	Depends on the requests
Minimum number of places	10
Maximum number of places	30
Type of course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mix of Training Course and Job shadowing
If mixed, what is the balance between the activities?	80% course - 20% school visits
The target group is...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Primary teachers or /and ● Secondary teachers ● Pupils
Summary of the activity	<p>The culture of Greece has evolved over thousands of years, beginning in Minoan and later in Mycenaean Greece, continuing most notably into Classical Greece, through the influence of the Roman Empire and its successor the Byzantine Empire. Other cultures and states such as the Frankish states, the Ottoman Empire, the Venetian Republic and Bavarian and Danish monarchies have also left their influence on modern Greek culture, because the country has been influenced by its location between the East and West, but historians credit the Greek War of Independence with revitalizing Greece and giving birth to a single entity of its multi-faceted culture.</p> <p>Greece is widely considered to be the cradle of Western culture and democracy. Modern democracies owe a</p>

	<p>debt to Greek beliefs in government by the people, trial by jury, and equality under the law. The ancient Greeks pioneered in many fields that rely on systematic thought, including biology, geometry, history, philosophy, and physics. They introduced such important literary forms as epic and lyric poetry, history, tragedy, and comedy. In their pursuit of order and proportion, the Greeks created an ideal of beauty that strongly influenced Western art.</p> <p>Tradition, music, language, food, theatre and literature are the major composites of the culture in Greece and constitute the base for those who wish to take part in this course.</p>
<p>Objectives, skills & competencies</p>	<p>Content and pedagogical skills to deliver the content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • classical civilization qualifications and reorganization of their excellence as intellectual preparation for adult life and school community. • Experience the idea of democracy in everyday life. • Ancient Greeks were the first who established the ideas of rights and responsibilities, through this project • participants can connect these ideas with the corresponding ones of their own country and develop good • practices for school life. • Recognize the importance of family life and sincere relationships. • The inspired past of Greece can help them look forward. • Knowledge of arts, drama and philosophy. • The modern way of living in Greece, which includes religion and tradition, is tightly connected with living in nature and the open air. The participants can develop sensitivity about

	<p>environment and be aware of alternative approach of nature. They can also develop their sense of belonging to a community.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtain knowledge and develop skills to understand the meaning of well-being in everyday life. • project participants can develop activities connected with drama, dramatization, role-playing, creative writing, which can be intergraded in the curriculum.
<p>Schedule - brief description</p>	<p>Accommodation</p> <p>Levadia: hotel in the city centre (6 nights)</p> <p>Sunday Evening: Arrive Levadia</p> <p>Monday–Get to know each other and the place Ice-breaking games Training: Democracy and Citizenship: Then and Now, Evening: Group farewell dinner</p> <p>Tuesday– Training: Drama and theatre Evening: Free</p> <p>Wednesday– The evolution of Modern Greek language and literature, Evening: Group farewell dinner</p> <p>Thursday- Greek diet/food - Music from antiquity to today</p> <p>Friday - Tradition: Traditional shadow theatre, Social and economic impact of festivals and holidays, Cultural Elements of Life in Greek villages and towns. Evening: Group farewell dinner</p>

	<p>At the end of every day we will reflect on what have we done during the sessions, what was the purpose and how can the participants use this back home.</p> <p>All five days of the programme will be held in the premises of 3rd Secondary school in Levadia.</p> <p>Saturday Departure</p>
Cost breakdown	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Course = 400 € ● meals, accommodation and cultural visits upon request
If any other costs, please detail below:	