



## Official report of the fourth short-term activity of the Erasmus+ project Media Education: From Passive Consumers to Active Creators

The fourth short-term learning activity of the Erasmus+ project *Media Education: From Passive Consumers to Active Creators* was held at Agrupamento de Escolas de Casquilhos, in Barreiro, Portugal, from 11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> April 2016, with the attendance of nine teachers and twenty-three students from the four partner schools. The schedule of the official programme of the meeting, which is attached to this report, was followed.

The official opening ceremony, during which presentations about our school, town and country were made and a few musical acts were performed, took place on Monday,  $11^{th}$  April 2016. A tour around the school was also made.

Throughout the short-term learning activity three hands-on Media Education lessons were implemented, one on cyberbullying, one on book jackets and one on book trailers, whose lesson plans can be found at EMEL website: <a href="http://www.europeanmediaeducationlab.com/">http://www.europeanmediaeducationlab.com/</a>.

After the theoretical part of the lessons, in five international groups of seven members, students had to create padlets on cyberbullying, book jackets either for a book written by a national author from one of the partner countries or for an imaginary book, as well as book trailers for a book of their choice. Their outputs were uploaded to the project website and to the project TwinSpace on eTwinning.

On Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> students participated in the activities held within the Arts Day carried out by the Visual Arts Department of our school, having created posters on the event. Their posters were also uploaded to the project website and the project TwinSpace on the eTwinning platform.

A meeting involving the project coordinators was also held. The ongoing process of the project was evaluated and the topics of the last lesson plans of the partnership were discussed and agreed on. The agenda of the last transnational meeting of the partnership was dealt with. Moreover, the information required from every partner country to be included in the final report was clarified by the project coordinator.







On the last day, participants evaluated the lessons taught through the online questionnaires available at the following links:

- Padlets: http://goo.gl/forms/Gj9pFJVw7Q
- Book trailers: http://goo.gl/forms/WbX2AJ2tEF
- Book jackets: http://goo.gl/forms/iUGJNAlHt4

Apart from the activities previously mentioned, several other activities were promoted by the host country so as to provide partner countries with an overview of its school life, way of life, history, customs and traditions.

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