
 <p>Erasmus+</p>	 <p>Understanding and Critical Media Literacy ISTITUTO DI ISTRUZIONE SUPERIORE MANDELA - ITALY</p>
<p>Topic</p>	<p>The language of emoji in today's communication</p>
<p>Aims</p>	<p>How to analyze the language of emoji; reflect upon how they can replace face-to-face conversation especially among young people; considering their impact they can have when people express their emotions.</p>
<p>Age group</p>	<p>15-18</p>
<p>Level</p>	<p>Intermediate</p>
<p>Time</p>	<p>3 hours</p>
<p>Materials</p>	<p>Blackboard, projector, PC, handout about emoji taken by a webinar by Cambridge University Press and internet connection</p>
<p>Procedure</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Brainstorming on the role of new means of communicating and expressing feelings in nowadays' society (10 minutes); 2. Start to work on the world of emoji; reading the slide taken by a webinar (1 hour); 3. Describing the most common emoji, trying to make idioms and collocations in the English language with the use of emoji, drawing a mind-map to create the consequent Power Point to be presented at the meeting in Paterna, Spain. (1 hour); 4. Preparing some flashcards about the most common emoji with the ideas of writing the verbal name for the emoji provided in the languages of the 9 countries taking part to the project. (50 minutes).
<p>Final reflection</p>	<p>The students developed a deeper understanding and awareness regarding the world of emoji and the importance of non-verbal communication by means of pictures and icons; they also learned more specific knowledge of the digital communication and the social networks. It also goes without saying that this final activity promoted the theme of multicultural exchange and the curiosity towards new languages because, even though the language of emoji is international, each language has its own peculiarity which has to be considered in the field of verbal translation.</p>

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Do you speak emoji?

What's Emoji?





- According to Google is a small digital image or icon used to express an idea or emotion in electronic communication.



Why should we use them?

- Today, emojis are used by 92% of online population
- The aim: transferring different kinds of emotions in order to compensate for the lack of face-to-face contact.



	Happy Smiling	Happy Good		
	Sad Crying			
	Angry Dislike	Dislike Disapprove		
	Happy Proud	Happy Proud		
	Smiling Loving	Smiling Loving	Smiling Loving	Smiling Loving

Guess the English word, collocation and Idiom



FISH AND CHIPS



SUNGLASSES



A PIE IN THE FACE



IF PIGS COULD FLY

Guess the English word, collocation and Idiom



IT'S RAINING CATS AND DOGS



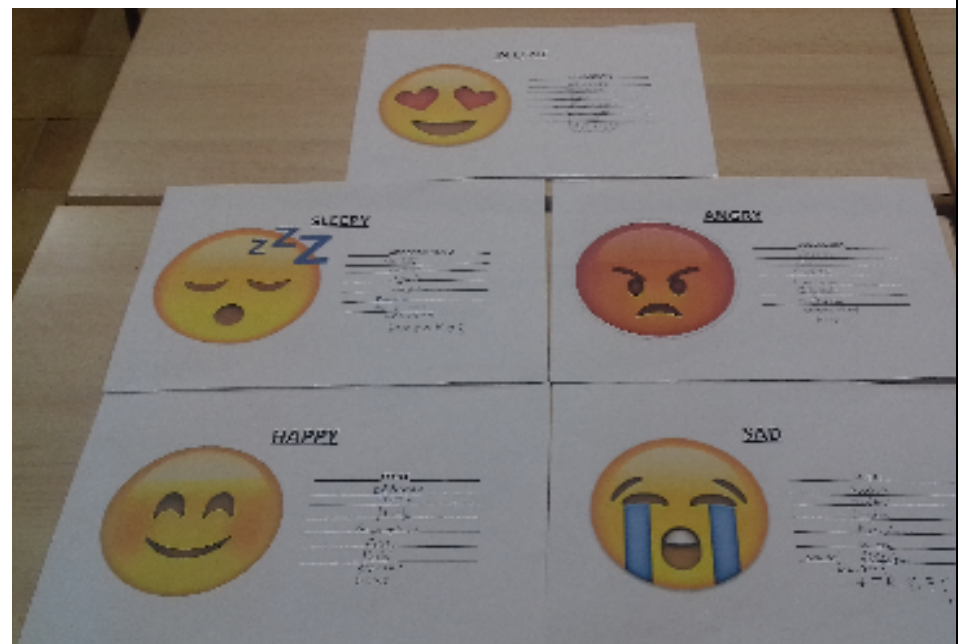
KEYS DIDN'T TAKE ON THEM



DON'T PLAY WITH FIRE



DON'T BURN YOUR CHICKEN BEFORE THEY ARE EVEN



Posters made by students during the last activity at point 4.