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KA2 UNDERSTANDING AND CRITICAL MEDIA LITERACY

Minutes of the 2nd Transnational meeting

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Ploiesti, Romania

We as contact persons/organization representatives report that we have agreed on the following subjects that are carried out decided or planned jointly about the partnership project.

1. The partners of KA2 strategic partnership 'Understanding and critical media literacy' from Croatia, Estonia, Greece, Romania, Czech Republic, Spain and Turkey, have joined the second transnational meeting in Ploiesti, Romania from **19th to 23rd February**, that was organized by Romanian partner. The number of participants was: 2 participants from Croatia, 2 from Spain, 2 from Czech Republic, 2 from Turkey, 2 from Greece, 3 participants from Estonia and 5 from Romania. Partners from Italy and Slovakia did not attend the meeting. Italians could not come due to headteacher's decision that they can travel without students only once a year, and they travelled to Greece while Slovaks had other mobility at the same time.

2. The participants met in Bucharest (**19th of February**) with Romanian coordinator Marian Dragomir, who organized the first day (**20th February**) of the meeting. The participants visited The Parliament building, Mogosoaia Palace and arrived to Ploiesti in the afternoon, where **we** had a short meeting. In the evening the participants had dinner with the Romanian project team and a deputy headteacher.

3. Second day (**20th of February**) the participants continued their meeting by a visit to Banesti Village. There they visited Gymnasium of Banesti where we were welcomed by the headteacher Andrea Petrache and the mayor of Banesti. The teachers showed the presentation of their school. Then we visited the library where the students performed Romanian national dances, sang traditional folk music, told the story of **Martisor** and recited poems .

4. In the afternoon the participants visited the host school 'Toma N.Socolescu' Technical College where presentations about video games and meeting were held. After the welcome speeches of deputy headteacher Adriana Minai and inspector for European projects and advisor Aurel Graur, the host school organized presentations of students' work connected with the project activities. They presented their survey about video games in which they analysed students', teachers' and parents' attitudes to the topic. The task for this meeting was to interview

10-year-old students about video games and to analyse the results. The Estonians presented their results of the survey through video. The Croatians presented their results of the survey and showed a role-play made by the first year students. The Spanish students presented their results of the survey in a video presentation. The Greek also presented their results. The Italians and Slovaks sent their presentation of the results, which were presented too. The Turkish and the Czech partners did not make the survey so they should do that for the next meeting in Spain. As the result of the presentations, the comparison between the countries showed some similar results, like the number of hours they play, the games they play, when they play them, who they play with or what they think video games help them with. On the other hand, there are some differences, for example, in Greece parents decide 100% what games to buy for children while in other countries it is not a case. Mr Aurel Graur suggested that we should put all the results together and in that way develop partnership approach.

5. The Czech partners presented their analysis about the news, which they did not prepare for the meeting in Greece. The students compared the news from 3 national newspapers. The news were about Manchester attack, the release of the murderer from prison and the story of a mole, a Czech symbol connected with the visit of the Czech president to China.

6. A cultural visit ([22nd February](#)) to Brasov, the visit to Bran Castle, Sinaia and Peles Castle were organized with an aim to learn about Romanian history and culture.

7. The teachers held their meeting ([20th and 21st of February](#)) where they discussed several issues. The coordinator of the project explained that the mobilities are obligatory for all the partners. If they do not attend the mobilities they can not use the money for other mobilities to take more students. It can be used to take more teachers. In addition, the partners should do the tasks and send presentations. Also the coordinator of the project explained the changes in the

budget because the places of mobilities were swapped (C3 and C4). Each partner got a new Annex a1 with the changes. Another thing the coordinator pointed out is the money from Intellectual output which should be paid to the teachers.

The Spanish team presented the draft of the programme for the mobility in Spain. The mobility will be held in Paterna, Spain from 15th to 21st April 2018. The partners agreed to take 2 students with them who will be hosted in the families. If the partners take more students they will stay in the hotel with teachers. All partners should prepare lesson plan according to the topics they chose. The activities from the lesson plans will be presented by students and they should last 25 minutes. The Spanish partner will send the programme and inform the partners about the families.

8. The partners from Turkey and Czech republic should prepare the survey about video games and present the results in Spain.

9. All partners have agreed on completing the following tasks:

- a) 2 lesson plans of the topics suggested after the meeting in Croatia should be prepared for the next year, 2018. One lesson will be presented in Spain by students.
- b) The presentations of the surveys about video games should be put in Excel and sent to Estonia.
- c) All participants who attended the meeting including teachers from the host organization should complete the feedback survey until 8th of March.
- d) Each partner will send a copy of invoices, boarding passes, travel tickets and other relevant documents ([connected with this meeting](#)) to the coordinator until 20th of March.