**6th Video Conference 3rd May 2021**

The sixth meeting was held via videoconference using the Zoom platform on the above date at 1600 Hrs CET.

This meeting was previously agreed for the 19th April 2021 and was rearranged at the request of the participants from the Czech Republic. During this meeting all leading coordinators from the 5 countries were present and were able to speak on a range of topics.

1. The meeting started with the main coordinator from the Czech Republic discussing the results of a meeting held with the Headmaster of the project’s lead school. Basically, it was in reference to the suggestion of the extension of the project due the current Covid-19 pandemic. All participants had previously agreed that the idea was good and it will now be looked at in September of this year at the earliest. Before the Czech Republic had informed all participants that an extension should not be applied until at least the end of this current school year as this was the recommendation of the Czech National Agency. So, as a result this application is slightly delayed. Also, during this phase of the meeting there was a discussion as to when there might be a possibility of mobilities starting. This is a topic which is discussed regularly and again there was no answer. It is not just about when travel restrictions are to be relaxed but individual nations are permitted to travel with school students. So, before any mobilities can take place all participating countries need to have the same “rules of travel”.
2. The next item was the work that has been carried out so far and a plan of future work as laid down in the original application of the project. Everyone was asked to look and try to complete all parts to make we are all up to date with the plan. Everyone appreciates and understands that there are problems with trying to hold meetings with students and completing work during these pandemic lockdowns and restrictions. All that is asked for at the moment is for everyone to try their best. This is especially the case of “Introduction Videos” as these require students to be within the school premises and socially mixing, which are currently restricted. As a result, this activity is postponed until restrictions have been lifted.
3. C3 is the next item and is being prepared the team from Spain. This part of the project is about creating “green areas” within the schools. It has been requested that some work be uploaded to Google Drive in order to start this work a bit earlier. During the last meeting we discussed the delaying of the work until September and this was agreed. Due to the nature of this topic it might be of help to use some of the time over the summer period. Therefore, the coordinator from Spain agreed to place some information on the drive a bit earlier for everyone to look at the tasks.
4. The coordinator from Portugal informed everyone that she might be moving post and would not be taking part in the project in the future. If this is the case, she will find a suitable replacement and would still help the new coordinator to plan and help with the Portuguese mobility.
5. It was mentioned that the previously arranged video conferences must be completed in June, see the list below. During these conferences all the participating students are to discuss “the treatment of food at home”. It was suggested that the numbers attending the video conferences be restricted so as to enable the students to actually talk to each other. It was found that with large numbers involved there was not much in the way of communication between students as some can intimidated with the use of the video platforms. Therefore 5 students from each country will try to see if communication improves. Also, they are to prepare a few questions on the topic prior to the meetings.
6. Denmark – Portugal
7. Portugal – Czech Republic
8. Czech Republic – Spain
9. Spain – Netherlands
10. Netherlands – Denmark
11. The next meeting is scheduled to take place on Monday 31st May 2021 at 1600 hrs CET.