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HOW THE STUDENTS FEEL ABOUT THE VISIT IN ATHENS

Firstly, that was the best experience of my life. We had a very good time with our new friends and their teachers. Everyone was so friendly and congenial.

We've visited lots of places but I think there're more places and I want to see them all as soon as possible. Everyone had a good time, and Greek people helped us in every situation. Especially, the project coordinator, Vasilis helped us a lot in every issue. I'll never forget the moment that I lost my phone in the hotel. He helped us to find it. I have learnt a lot things about cultures, society and people.

Thanks everyone for their hospitality. We had a great time during our visit. I hope we'll meet again!

Batuhan Yörümez

I don't know how can I explain one of the most beautiful experiences in my life with a few words, I think it was the most amazing week of my life. I met many people, I saw many new places, I learned many things... I danced by holding hands and looking into the eyes of people I'd never known. I watched the float of a kite under the same sky with people I'd never known.

A woman sang a song in her language, in a language I'd never understood and it touched my heart. I learned about many other cultures, languages, thoughts... But I also have learned that we're smiling or being sad in the same language, we all have the same feelings. We are all the same. We're just where we are and who we are. I can't see the difference among us.

I remember the moment we were hugged to say goodbye to Greek and Slovakian students, I understood once more that we are a family and our hearts are beating, regardless of sex, religion or nationality. I would like to go to Slovakia and see them all again but I hope we will meet them here again... Thank all Slovakian and Greek students for everything. Thank my best teachers Nurdan Akçay and Münir Uslu. I understand that we're better when we're together.

Belemir Gül

The trip to Greece as part of the Erasmus + Project has left some of the unforgettable memories. I made great friendships which will last for life and had the time of my life.

I would've never thought I'd feel so sad the night that I left but I was glad at the same time for participating in this Project visit. All of the administrative team were also nice and very helpful. I'd like to thank Mr. Lapas especially for his effort. Everyone I met there showed great hospitality and I'm thankful for that. Apart from all of the above, Greece is a wonderful country with its landmarks and nature. I felt home during my stay because it is very similar to western coasts of Turkey. Food is the another thing I loved about Greece. My mind is full of thoughts and I have a lot to say but unfortunately I am having difficulties to put them into words right now. Whoever is reading this right now; don't worry! I have nothing but nice things to say about this experience and I'm looking forward to seeing the great people I met and their beautiful country again. Thanks for everything. It's been real!

Burak Kılınç

When I arrived in Athens I was thinking that I wouldn't be able to contact with the people but during my first meeting with Slovaks I changed my ideas. I observed the people in Athens were the same with Turkish

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people. When we met at the school, I spoke with Slovaks and Greeks and I liked them. When I learned about Greek's culture I observed it was similar with Turkish culture.

We've done different activities and seen amazing places. I've made better friends than most of my friends in Turkey. I want to go to Athens again and I want to meet my friends I have made during the visit in Athens. It is amazing to be in this project. Thanks to everyone who has been in the Project.

With Love

Hüseyin BAŞ

First of all I want to thank my teachers for giving me this opportunity to teach the Turkish culture and learn about new cultures. It made me so happy to be able to express ourselves and make new friends from different countries and cultures.

All of the students were amazingly friendly. All of them have unique and perfect personalities. I never felt lonely and never got bored. I enjoyed the time we spent together. We shared our feelings and our thoughts freely with each other.

The Slovakian and the Greek teachers treated us like their own students. The Greek teachers were so kind and sincere that I never felt like a foreigner in their country. Especially Mr. Vasilis was with us all the time and when we had a question, he tried his best to explain it to us.

I wish we could stay longer and have more conversations with the Greek and the Slovakian friends. I'm so thankful that I got this opportunity. I saw new places, I saw Greek people's manner of life and I met new people. This trip extended my horizon. I had a whole new experience and I'm so happy that we broke the language barrier and feel comfortable without worrying about making mistakes while speaking English. This project helped me improve my speaking skills. I'm looking forward to see them in our country!

ELAY ILGIN AYGÜN

I was very excited when we get off the plane in Eleftherios Venizelos Airport and came to Greece.

Both Greek students and Slovakian students were very friendly, they welcomed us very warmly. The Greek students and their teachers hosted us very hospitably. We had the chance to get to know each other and had great memories all together. The Greek students were very funny, they made us laugh all the time and they were incredibly sincere. They never hesitated to tell us about Greece. When the times we were at hotel with Slovakian group, the Greek students visited us. I never felt lonely.

There was an amazing acculturation. It was such a great experience to manage to serve the project's purpose. We saw Acropolis, Epidaurus Ancient Theatre, Mycanea Ancient City and more. They gave us a CD which contains Greek music as a present. Some of our friends sang song together.

I learnt a lot about Greece and Slovakia. Without this Project, I wouldn't have got to know Greek and Slovakian people so closely.

I met new people and each of them are so valuable, kind and friendly. I enjoyed every second I spent in Athens. I hope to see them in my country so that we can pay back their heartwarming behavior.

My trip was so amazing that I didn't want to leave Athens.

Tuğçe Nur IRMAK