

Impressions of Turkish students during the 1st LTTA in Athens





Gizem GÜRER

Memories from Greece

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Göktürk Baha Göllüce

ATHENS IN A WEEK

First, this project included the glorious proud feelings. Athens was a funny city for me. Athens was wonderful and interesting with people, nature and place. Places we go and see told me the idea of people, cultures, showed me the life style. We saw very interesting historical places, beauty and had fun. Acropolis was one of them. Acropolis and the Acropolis Museum impressed me. I have information about the Greek gods and goddesses. Their past life style and I have collected data on the material and moral values. Historic Temple of Poseidon was affecting me more than the Acropolis ... with sea views, with greens, I was interested in the historical remains on the temple and I liked. When it comes to venues, taverns were fresh and pleasant and interesting. Food was not well and didn't suit to our religion and culture. We had a great deal of difficulty in this regard. We would like to thank you remain their interest and relevance to the hotel staff. They were friendly, helpful, people. I was not only learning about the culture of Athens also Portugal and Lithuania. The people of these two countries at least, as Athens people, were so friendly and helpful. This is shown to be knowledgeable about the country they helped. What they were so nice city. How much beautiful people. I was in Athens, I met with people of different cultures and I feel so glorious that I learned the culture ... At first I miss you so much all my friends, including Mihai ... because of the interest they have shown all of them I am grateful ... Thanks to this project, I have got opportunity to criticize my own country and interpretation. I thank everyone.



Hanza SAĞIR

A Beautiful City

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Hülya YAŞAR

BEAUTIFUL DAYS

The journey was very fantastic for me and my student between 8-14 march. We learnt something about Greek culture and history. According to Education system, we see that there are not more differences among us. Greece looks like Turkey but there were some differences among us. While I was having a trip to historical places, I felt myself in Euro side while I was travelling a place near Acropolis. I felt myself in Istanbul. In addition, the song called Üsküdar Giderken looks like a song in Greek language.

We also introduced Lithuanian and Portugal teachers and student. They were very friendly. They shared their cheese and bread during visiting Temple. The atmosphere among partners is very warm. A student with a week journey is very useful for students. There is a proverb in Turkey. “Who learns more? The answer: Travelling more or speaking more”.



Muhammed Levent SATICI

Thanks Erasmus+

It was very beautiful. That was my first abroad adventure. Acropolis is my favorite. It was very amazing and tiresome. I learn English since 8 year but my English updated only 5 days. Foods were nice. Greek foods look like Turkish foods.

I am lucky for going to Greece. I learned Greek mythology. I visited museums and temples. They liked our show and they liked our music. I hope they had a good time. We had a good time. Thanks Erasmus+



Merve NAKIŞ

BEAUTIFUL DAYS

While I was going to Greece I have preconceived a bit. I wonder how people. How do they behave towards us? I understand we have come in the first day we got a really nice. People were friendly.

We had really wonderful friends, we travelled in the city. It took a long time I was tired very much. I got ill. My Greek friends came near me. They give me a bottle of water. They helped us when we came there. They washed my faces

We had funny chances of getting a friend. It was really nice Greek food and places. I said we had a nice trip. I especially enjoyed the Acropolis. I hope that such events always continue. Teachers and people thanked everyone involved in this project in Greece forever.



Merve Nur AYCI

A Mediterranean Country

Greece is a great country. When I went there I had a lot of fun. I had a really good time. It was a nice experience. First, we have some difficulties in finding a dinner in Athens. We went to the shops. But it wasn't hard to find food in the next days. Greece had very friendly people. When we get there, first of all we visited the school. A Church in the garden of the school was very interesting.

There, they wrote colorful writings on the walls. This is so fantastic. They drew very nice pictures. Then we visited the historical museums. There were many interesting sculptures. I'm really impressed with the history of the Greeks. There a lot of differences between the Turkish and Greek Belief. When we went to the concert of classical music, we were really excited. People played their professional musical instruments, I found it perfect. While I was visiting schools in the streets of Greece, we went to churches, museums. One of the things I loved most was the hotel beds. It was soft and comfortable ... There were a lot of our friends. We met different international good friends. Lithuanian teacher Mrs. Silva was taught Turkish songs. Games, food names and songs are alike. Many thanks to the Greek nation.



Nuriye ARSLAN

Good Relationship

We had a long journey to Athens in 7 March in 2015 on Saturday. We arrived to Athens at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday morning. Then we went to hotel. They welcomed us nicely. Then we had a breakfast and settled our rooms. Rooms are medium sized but it is very comfortable.

I learnt about Ancient Greece. It was very charming. We visited Archaeological Museum. It was very interested. Because there were very old stuffs and historical sculptures in museum. They affected me. Then we visited Acropolis Museum and Acropolis. The museum was very big and impressive. I learnt about Athens, ancient and modern. I learnt about Greece mythology, Greece gods and Greece goddesses. They were magnificent. Acropolis has got wide area. I learnt about Antigone and about Sophocle's tragedy. It was very impressive and sad.

Athens looks like Black Sea region of Turkey. Because Athens's weather is sometimes rainy and sometimes sunny. So, Athens is similar to Black Sea of Turkey. Athens's streets are very nice and fantastic. Because everybody have a smile face. It affected me. Greece dishes are similar to Turkey dishes but we slogged for meal. Because we don't eat some meat.

We visited Temple of Poseidon. Poseidon affected me. Because temple is surrounds with AEGON Sea. They looked very nice. The temple has got very wide area.

Athens is my first overseas experience and I am happy so much. I have got new friends and new teachers. I love them and I will miss them. Thank you very much for everything.



Yunus Emre EREN

Nice Impact

We were tired the first day we went to Greece. Because the trip was a pretty tiring. We were the first group that arrived. But other groups came later. We started the journey for first day. We meet our friends in Greece. All were close and friendly .But Portugal was a bit different. They were so excited; I think they were cold-blooded when it comes to our first meeting. The first day, Greek showed us a few historical places. We got up at eight o'clock in the morning. Second, we saw the characteristics of that area and we had breakfast on our own. We watched the Lithuanian shows. Dozens of students and teachers listened our songs and played play games with us. Teachers were also very friendly and had smiling face. After the show, we went to the museum of archeology and we were attracted a quite historic area. The most important thing in Museum that reflected Greek history and mythology very well. After that, we went to the Acropolis. It was a fine place to spend time and take photos.

Cultural date list of 26 march 2007 entered. I think the most beautiful place I have seen was Sounion in Greece. We had a trip by bus near the bay. But whether, I think it was warm. The place where the temple faces the sea is Sounion as geographical. We walked in the street for a long time. The people are very close, friendly.If they say yes I say, I think you want to go again. But I miss the Turkey....



Tekin ÇİÇEK

TRAVELLING TO NEIGHBOR

Everybody is excited before they visit the new places and they dream something.

Two teachers and eight students went to the Athens in Greece on 7 March referring to Erasmus plus project. We were very tired during journey. It took 16 hours by bus. We took the taxi to the hotel. First, we thanked Greek coordinator to organize everything for us such as accommodation and excursion...After we put the luggage in to hotel, we went out. The street was very narrow and there were a lot of historical buildings around the street. I think that they paid attention to the historical buildings. After that, we went out with Lithuanian and Greek students and teacher to eat something. Students introduced themselves and had a good time together.

We got good impression from Greece and Greek, Lithuanian and Portuguese partners. It is possible to see properties of Aegean and Mediterranean regions in Greece same as in Turkey. There were lots of historical places such as Antique theatre, big Column Temple same as in Turkey. Secondly, lots of people said that our parents or family have connection among us. There were a lot of dishes called Imambayıldı, Börek, Cacik same as in my country.

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