"From a board to a tablet – a journey with a data tablet across monuments of UNESCO heritage of Norway and Poland".

About the project

In the period of 2013 - 15 our school is participating in the international project: "From a board to a tablet - a journey with a data tablet across monuments of UNESCO heritage of Norway and Poland".

The project is financially supported by the European Economic Area Financial Mechanism and the Norway Grants, within Scholarship and Training Fund programme. We see it as a great success that our school is the first and only in the Podkarpackie province to receive the financial contribution of the EEA Grants and Norway Grants, while competing with 20 other schools, among them universities and high schools. To achieve the successful implementation of the programme, our school cooperates with Unggdomsskule from Fjell, Norway.

The key aspect of the project is strengthening bilateral relations between partner schools in order to diminish economical and social differences by improving the level of education and modernizing it, as well as popularizing the knowledge on the subject of UNESCO World Heritage.

Our priority is to turn the educational process into inspiring mutual experience. The main theme concentrates on popularizing some precious cultural and natural monuments by promoting our heritage. In the process, we try to build students' cultural identity, to deepen the connection between the past and the presence. We also hope to cooperate on the schooling field, to confront and compare the experience of our teachers, which might improve the quality of their work. Thanks to the actions planned, we expect to learn best techniques and innovative solutions to many problems. The teachers will master their teaching and educational competences. They will become proficient in the use of innovative methods, especially IT procedures.

As for the students, by cooperation with their peers from partner countries, they are to become more tolerant, as well as learn to accept people of different cultural area.

They are also likely to develop their national identity and get ready for life in contemporary Europe. The Polish - Norwegian partnership gives the participants the unique chance to overcome lingual and cultural obstacles and the opportunity to put their language skills into practice. The probable results will be much higher than the effects of school learning.

The actions planned within the project are the seminars on the usage of IT in the learning process, the seminars on the importance of the sites from the UNESCO World Heritage List, and the art and photographic competitions on the subject. The visits in Norway and Poland with conferences on the subjects of educational systems, a show lesson, the integrating IT workshops for students and teachers, excursions do the UNESCO sites will be also arranged. In both schools the National Days will be organized – the Polish Day in Norway and the Norwegian Day in Poland. The final product of our actions will be the guide book called "Guide for UNESCO Heritage Sites of Norway and Poland".

The Project enriches our educational offer and promotes modern methods of learning and teaching. It also introduces advantageous changes in school routine, engages and integrates the whole community. The aim of it is to build the positive image of our school as the modern and innovative institution, ready to propagate the idea of European integration, as well as opened to the needs of local society and public interests.