

SELF- REFLECTION

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

When I first heard about this intensive course I knew that I wanted to attend it. Especially because it took place in Barcelona, this place is the city of imagination and creativity.

When I arrived to the Marti Codolar I didnt't think that the programme would be so busy, at the first moment I was scared, but afterwardsI realized that this course is the best choice that I could have attended. ☺



I study social pedagogy in Hungary, but next to it I organize summer camps and organise freetime programmes for children. In this way the exercises and activities what we have done were very useful for the future.

I could do every exercise and I was waiting for what would be the next one what I would have to do. That's because these were exercises and activities what I had never experienced before at home in my studies and in my work. It's good to know that there are people apart from me who want to progress in education, child-centered and helpful, on the other hand the morality is perfect.

I could progress in my abilities and competences.

I visited the city, but not through an eye of a tourist, I could make it mine, I realized that the environment that surrounds us has a huge influential power. The senses, the people, the buildings and everything made me us be creative. These two weeks will be unforgettable for me.

INTERCULTURAL

I'm so glad that I could meet new people from other countries who are interested in children care, -education, and want to progress in these things and make a better future for the new generations, like me. It was good that I could meet with other cultures, education systems and experiences of other students.

At the course we were separated into 6 groups- A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2. These groups were made of 5-6 members and the students were mixed. In one group there weren't 2 students from the same school. Sometimes the same lettered groups were together and did the activities and exercises together. It was a very very good thing, because I was forced to make relationships with the others and communicate with them in English or Spanish. That movement made a connection between us and the work together started to be easier day by day.

It was good to know what students and their families in other countries do for their studies and to imagine their future in their educational system.



Work in the group was very useful. To collect the ideas for lesson plans and for preparation to make activities for children was so much better in group, because everyone had good ideas, I learned new perceptions of playing from the others, and we could do brainstorming a lot. We could help each other if somebody didn't understand something and we could give advice to each other. On the other hand we had mutual success and it made us more resolute to work hard to be able to be good specialists.

PROFESSIONAL

I learnt a lot in these 2 weeks. Now I know how can I make good activities for children without toys and other 21st century stuff. I just have to use my imagination, collect the experiences and ideas from here, I should step closer to the nature and in this way I could make activities and exercises that are better than before.



I like the idea that the programme had a theme- dragon- and daily routine because the children also need these things. In this way we can pass our experiences on to them genuinely.

I learnt a lot about the senses, how the children can progress themselves, improve their abilities, creativity....

Again- This journey was the most useful experience in my life ☺

Thanks that I could attend it!

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