

Self Reflection

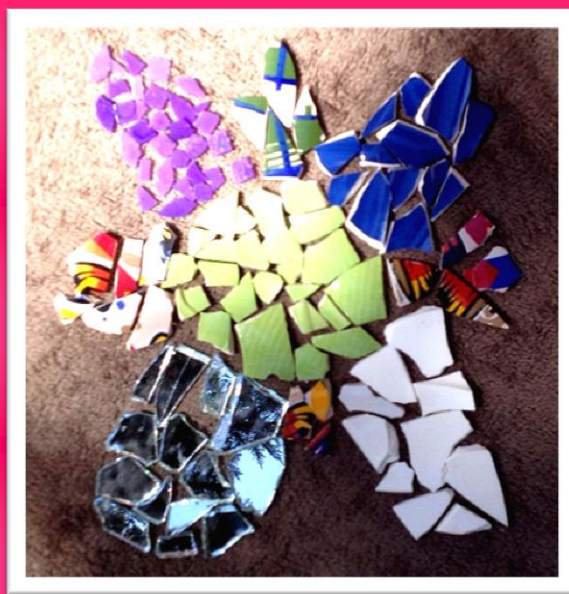
❖ Personal level...

I am Jenna Georis, I come from Braine l'Alleud, (Belgium), and I'm 24 years old. I study to become a "preschool teacher" in Louvain La Neuve. This program opened my eyes on the importance of outdoor education.

At the beginning I had many questions which I can answer now. At first I was scared that my integration in the group would be hard because my English isn't fluent but in the end I realized that the most important was my implication in the group and the activities.

We laughed and cried together, on the difficult times.

We were there for each other, we were like a little family here.



❖ Professional development and intercultural perspective

But the Best Part of this programme was the time spent with the children. We could all have a role to play with them and it was very rich to share our knowledge in another country. The teachers in

the school were very happy of our work and that was really gratifying for us.

All the preparation plans we made and all the activities we discovered is a huge knowledge I can take with me and it will always be something I will be able to use in my professional life. I really think it is a must. I didn't think that I could make a lot of activities about the 5 senses.

It was really interesting for me to discover how education systems work in other countries and to realize that some countries work very differently from us. I have learnt a lot from the other cultures and I am now really keen to go study abroad.

I have met many people who became good friends and I'm sure we'll keep in touch.

