



The SPACES project in Madeira!

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Time for a meeting...

The final meeting of the SPACES project took place in Madeira, Portugal on 14-17 February 2023. The Escola Básica e Secundária Padre Manuel Álvares was the host organization. All the school's community welcomed the SPACES consortium with a tour in the school facilities and services and a visit to Madeira's Ethnographic Museum. After that the partners had the chance to work together to review the deliverables produced by the end of the project, discuss its overall progress, and agree on the final steps required for the closure of the project.



...and a Joint Staff Training

On the following days (15-17/02/2023), the 5th Short Term Joint Staff Training event took place. The project's team members of Escola Básica e Secundária Padre Manuel Álvares had prepared a very interesting agenda of activities, starting with an enlightening and dynamic workshop with João Baptista, from ADARTEC - Associação Design, Arte e Tecnologia, on STEAM methodology. Also, partners had the opportunity to make an inspiring visit to Teatro Metaphora - Associação de Amigos das Artes, to their work in the streets of Câmara de Lobos and to the nobility of their philosophy and mission. The natural beauties of the Madeira island were not excluded from the activities nor its culture, traditions or flavors. The Ethnographic Museum of Madeira led the group on a journey through time to Madeiran habits and customs; the Casa do Povo da Ribeira Brava Folk Group introduced our sounds, rhythms and history, in a lively folklore exhibition. A tour of the east part of the island and a visit to the capital city, Funchal, further acquainted partners with Madeira's natural beauty, history and culture. During these 4 days, memories, affective bonds and complicities were created, knowledge and visions of the world, of education and of the reality of schools were shared, contacts opened up possibilities and privileged ways of cooperation.



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