



FINAL REPORT



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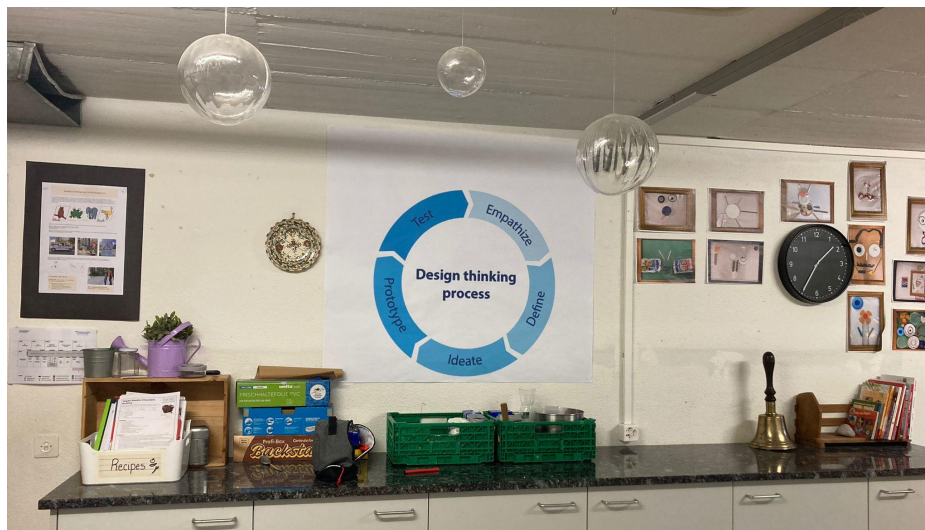
1. Information and support

The internship that we have done at the international school has been totally incredible. Our welcome was very warm from all the teachers. The person in charge of showing us the school took us through all the facilities and explained to us the different areas and departments that were there.

When we got to our respective classes, they welcomed us as if we were just another teacher. Rebeca and Karen, who in my case are my teachers, explained everything to me and left me my space to adapt to the classroom and the students. These are photos of my class, the hallway, the craft and cooking workshop:







The teachers in my class have integrated me, they have explained to me how the school program works, the evaluation and what surprised me the most is the reading evaluation and how the reading groups carry out to help each other

2.Overall programme

The school has a very different program than in Spain. I have always had many doubts about my career because I have to practice and teach things that I don't think are beneficial for the students. This school allows the student to interact with the environment and grow personally and intellectually, each looking for their own path.

A teacher wanted to express this to us and told us: in the other schools the teachers open the children's heads and put the information they want, instead here we teach the children to

open their heads and acquire all the stimuli and knowledge that they really want to acquire. That is why it is significant learning.

As for my stay here, I think it is a dream city where everyone would love to be at some point in their life. The monastery has been very comfortable, they have respected us a lot and helped us in everything we have needed.

The prices here are very different compared to Spain since the minimum wage there is much lower and therefore the products too. Here, on the other hand, the minimum wage is much higher and for this reason they can afford to set prices that for Spaniards with a Spanish salary, are exorbitant prices.

Even so, with the luck we have had with the price of the monastery, we have been able to be calm and money has not been a problem.

3.Goals and professional benefit

My personal goals when I arrived were to acquire new knowledge that I did not have in my country and new learning techniques that would lead me to succeed when I returned to Spain. Without a doubt, I have met my goal and not only that, but I have exceeded it. It has been a joy, motivating experience and enrichment not only educational but also personal.

There have been two points that have undoubtedly surprised me a lot: the treatment of the student and the regulation of behavior and the work they do with the environment.

The students have a connection with the environment that seems unreal, it is everything a teacher could hope for his student to grow. And as for the regulation of behavior, here they work on personal space, they assimilate feelings, they do not avoid them and it is a very individualized job.

4.Personal evaluation of the stay

Points that I think I could improve: my insecurity when teaching, my fluent reading in English and the English language.

Points that I think I have improved: my creativity, my teamwork and my assessment and treatment of students.

If I had to recommend this site to future students, I would definitely tell them to go for it. It has been the best experience of my life, it has helped me to be a better teacher and a better person. The community and tranquility that the teachers there transmit is incredible and helps to make you feel strong and eager to work and give everything.