

## **Estonian workshop**

22<sup>nd</sup> May 2018 Linyola, Catalonia (Spain)

### **KEYCHAIN**

**Objectives:** achieve practical skills in designing, introduce ancient Estonian folk motives.

**Material needed:** pre-cut juniper discs, plastic pearls, thin strings, markers/felt tip pens

### **Methodology:**

1. All students got the juniper discs having an Estonian motive of eight-point cross on one side.
2. We introduced Estonian traditional folk motives and gave students some Estonian patterns to choose from to decorate the other side of the juniper disc.
3. Students decorated the other side of the juniper disc using felt tip pens.
4. Using glass/ plastic beads and cotton thread the students decorated their keychains.
5. The key ring holder was fastened.
6. Finally, the decorated juniper disc was ceased and left to dry for couple of hours.

### **Achievements:**

The group was small and it was easy to give instructions and help students. The most difficult step was the last one- fixing the key ring holder with the disc. In general, the practical task we did was affordable and the students managed well.

