

TITLE: Saint George Bookmark in Northern Ireland

COUNTRY: Catalonia (Spain)

DATE: March 2018

Duration and involved people:

One session of one hour. Primary teachers, 3th grade students, teachers from all over Europe.

Objectives:

- To know a new country and its most important cultural features, working and promoting the interculturality of the students.
- To develop practical skills, allowing the exchange of experiences and the use of local resources.

Methodology:

1. Students watched a short video about the legend of Saint George.
2. Teachers explained the Catalan tradition of giving books and roses.
3. Teachers proposed to students to make a bookmark.
4. Students started the craft activity following a digital presentation to help them.
5. Then, they cut cardboard into different parts of the rose and the book.
6. They pasted the green part of the rose and stuck a ribbon on it.
7. Next, they pasted the green part of the rose.
8. They pasted the other part of the rose and it had to match with the other part.
9. Finally, they drew the petals of the rose and decorated the book.

Achievements:

This activity developed satisfactorily. The students were very active and asked us lots of questions about our culture and the legend of Saint George. Next, we started the craft activity; students and some Europe teachers followed the steps that we explained and they also had the digital resource to develop the activity. It is important to mention that the students who finished more quickly helped the classmates who needed it.

All in all, students knew a different culture by making motivational craft activity.