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APRIL 2023: Video creation training in Florence

As part of the training activities enrolled in our accredited Erasmus+ project for the 2022-23 academic year, four members of the teaching staff carried out the course **Photo and Video Making in your classroom: The Educational power of multimedia** in April 2023. The training took place at the Europass Teacher Academy in Florence.

On the first day of the course we did some group dynamics and we presented our center to the rest of the attendees. We also used several video platforms, focused on working on the Flipped Classroom concept or on learning how to broadcast lessons online.

Another of the activities was to carry out a Treasure Hunt through the city of Florence using a digital application.

The third day was dedicated to video recording, with the explanation of different filming techniques and special effects with the use of Croma.

The session on the fourth day focused on editing videos with the OBS editor, as well as learning how to add subtitles or texts.

The last training day of the course helped us learn how to use the Stop Motion technique and prepare practical examples.

It was a very positive experience, both professionally and personally.





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In recent years, it has become increasingly common to use videos as a teaching resource in the classroom. The creation of our own videos with content that is closer and adapted to our school can be very useful for students. This training will allow us to teach students to make their own videos of educational content.

On our return from Florence gave a small course to the rest of the teachers of the center, in order to share our experience and learning. In addition, the center has implemented a "chroma classroom" where we have taken the opportunity to centralize the specific material (spotlights, microphones, etc.), in order to facilitate and support the creation of videos with the students.

On the other hand, the course has allowed us to learn about other educational experiences of the European Union and also to practice the English language. In addition, it has been a way of teaming up in an unbeatable cultural and artistic environment.

