

INSTITUT PUIG CASTELLAR

GEP1: 2022-2023



CONTEXT OF OUR SCHOOL

INS Puig Castellar is a public high school founded in Santa Coloma de Gramenet in 1968. We are a family of 95 teachers and 970 students. It is considered an organization of reference in our city due to the educational, professional and training we offer:



Compulsory Secondary Education (ESO)

Technological, Scientific, Humanistic and Social A-levels.

Vocational Studies for the "Information Technology and Communications" and "Administration and Finance" families. In both cases, intermediate and high grade cycles.

In the Vocational Training programs we have Erasmus accreditations and now, we are in the process of requesting Erasmus projects in ESO and A-levels.

Most of the students come from working-class families and are part of the second generation of immigration of the last 20 years from Morocco, China, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Eastern Europe and Latin America. The rest of the students are part of the third generation of Spanish immigration from the 60-70s.

The socio-cultural environment, in which the high school is located, implies managing multiple cultural backgrounds and learning and social needs. We want to improve the capacities of our teaching staff to attend to the implementation of English

in subjects other than the English language and in methodologies that help us manage attention to cultural diversity. We want to equip ourselves with mechanisms to be able to provide learning opportunities to students who, otherwise, would not be able to have them.



IMPLEMENTATION OF TASKS 1 AND 2

Check out the links!

TASKS 1 & 2:

- Symptoms of the climate change
 - Recycle your reading!

REFLECTION OF OUR IMPLEMENTATION

-We have observed that it has been difficult managing so much information on the part of the students. In the purpose of providing them with instruments to face the different activities regarding the subject, we have given them a lot of instructions followed by information about how to talk among them, the roles they need to carry, specific vocabulary of the topic, how to make a presentation, assessment information... and they have become overwhelmed.

REFLECTION OF OUR IMPLEMENTATION

-It has also been difficult to make them talk among them in English when doing the cooperative activities. They tend to change back to Spanish or Catalan whenever there is something hard to explain.

-We have observed that students need some supportive material to help them with the **spelling** of specific words related to the topic.

-After a session of one hour, a **wrapping up activity**, recollecting all the information we have worked on that day, has been necessary to make clear the information was understood by the students and to be sure we can follow with the topic.

REFLECTION OF OUR IMPLEMENTATION

- The students have complained about the little time they have had to prepare the contents of the final project. It would have been better to plan one more session in order to get a better fulfillment of the project.
- As our last reflection, we want to highlight that no matter the difficulties and the things, we know, we have to improve, it has been an extraordinary experience that has helped us to realize that we can do, and even more important, that students have proved themselves that they can do other subjects different to English in English.

HERE ARE SOME EVIDENCES FROM
OUR IMPLEMENTATION!





They are doing individual work

Are we able to understand the video?

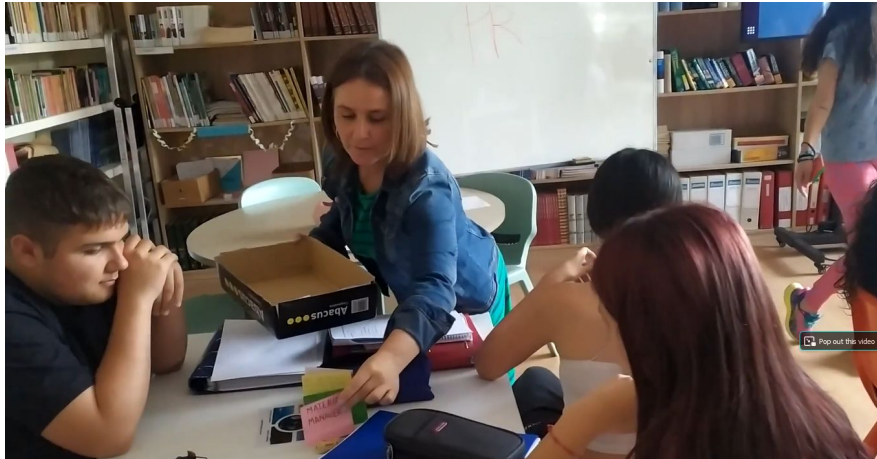


Who has more knowledge about the environment?



What vocabulary did you learn the last class?

It's time to decide the roles!



Do you need any instructions to go on?



You need to talk in English,
please

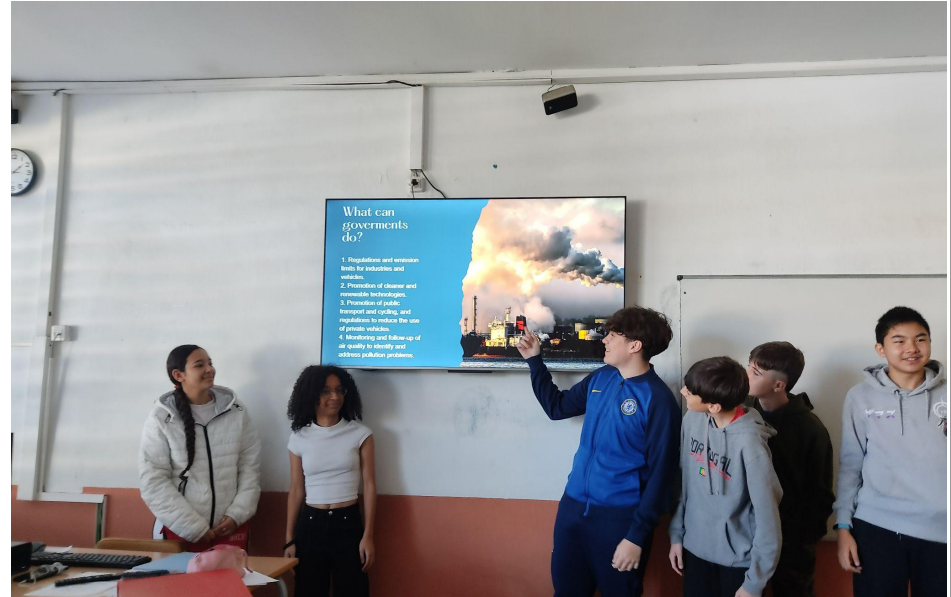


We also can have fun during the project!

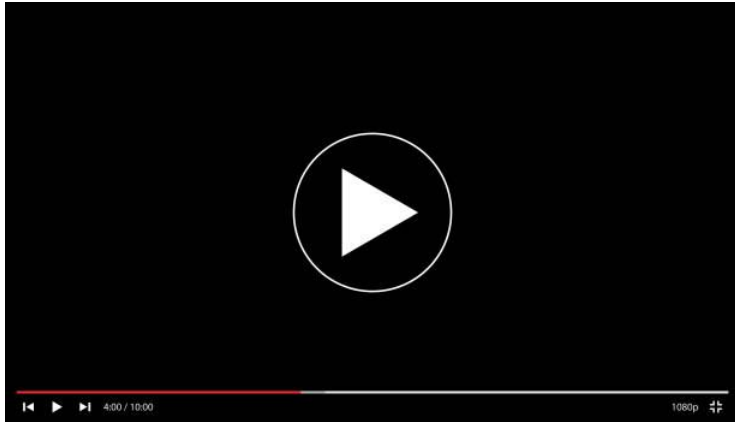


We also need to use technology!

After working very hard, we are showing our final project



If you want to have a look our videos, you can access with the following link:

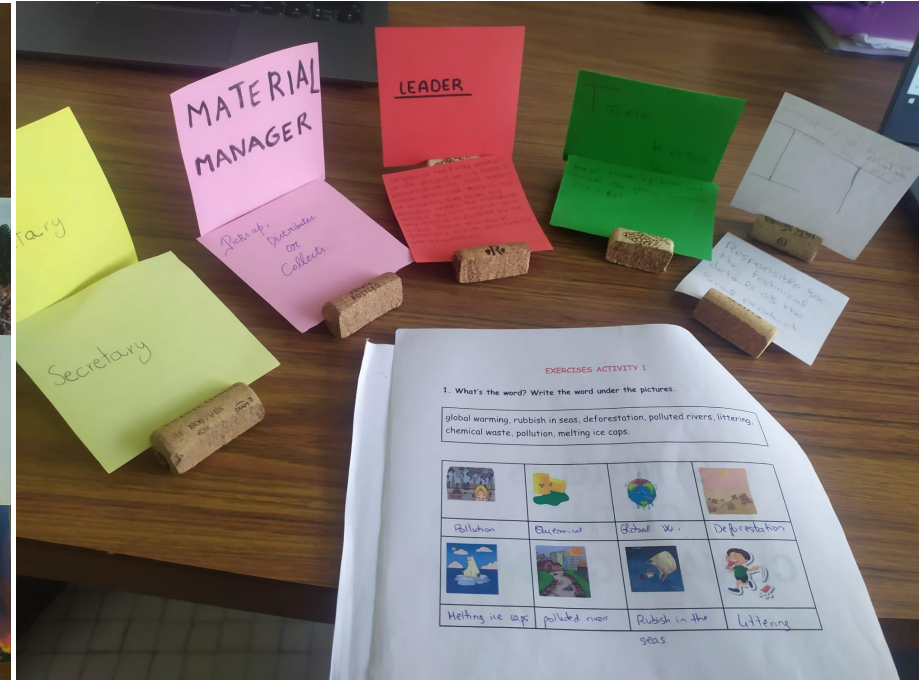
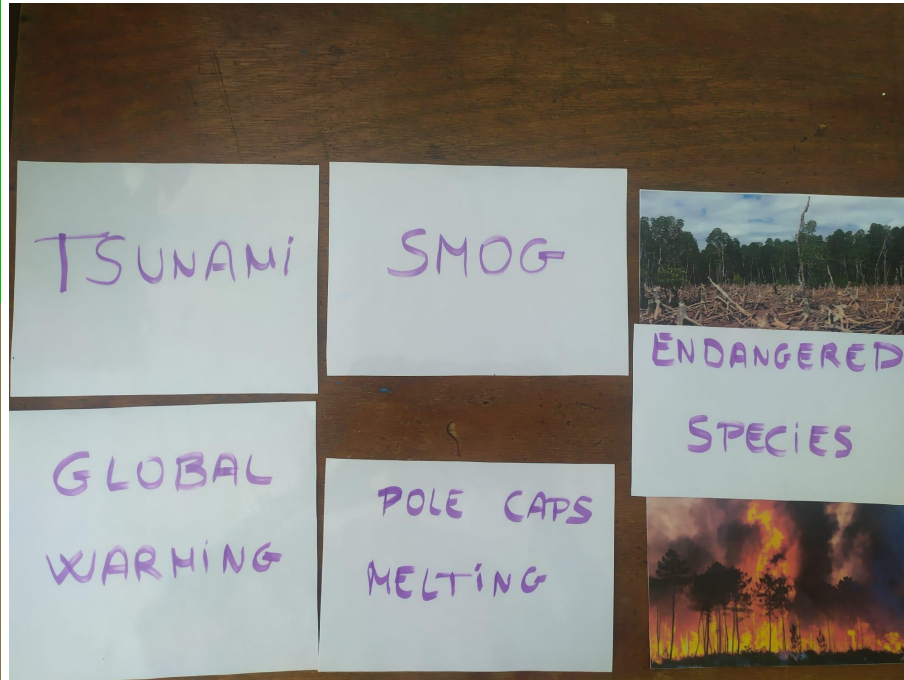


Videos

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Institut Puig Castellar,
thank you for your time!

