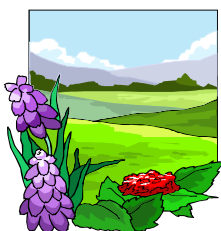


SEEDS Project Subgroup meeting Montegrotto, Italy 8-10th November 2007

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NORWEGIAN DELEGATION Andreas Holvik Linda Velle Sjoen	UK DELEGATION Jane Jones Michaela Thomas



Mira Monti !

Welcome- Thu 8th

Giovanna welcomed all to the meeting and introduced Maria Ojuel, our new colleague from Catalunya. Maria commented on new developments in Citizenship Education in which she had been involved. She described the levels and the intention for the subject to be cross-curricular as well as recognisable as a discrete subject. It was commented that the transition phase is always a difficult one for teachers. The work plan was agreed.

The Publication-Fri 9th

It was decided to make something practical and readable to accompany the CD and something a little bit different from the many hundred of other publications about Citizenship. Over the course of the meetings, a format was agreed and is attached. The main substance will be the blog-stories that will be the result of a constructively critical interaction between the partners about each country's project contribution. Each will need a one page introduction by the partner concerned so that the intentions are clear and an overall introduction by Jane. Blog comments would normally be a half page to a page, not more. Partners were given areas of responsibility for parts of the publication as in the attachment. Giovanna stressed how important it was to seek to understand and interpret and not to criticise. The blogs reflected the growth, interactions and reflections of the project.

Norway would be the 1st and it was agreed to complete the blog -story by the end of December.

The Course-Sat 10th

After discussion, an updated programme which is attached was agreed with presenters, chairs and those responsible identified. It was felt to be important that there was a thread of coherence throughout and that the main methodological ingredient of the course would be active learning which should be planned into the sessions. Italy would take care of the organisation in Italy and the documentation for participants. Giovanna asked for suggestions for background reading for the reader. Andreas mentioned the importance of events for the whole group to socialise and learn together. Jane was asked to write a page introducing the course to participants.

Action

All partners should attend to:

- Sending their receipts, clearly labelled, to Gianfranco (immediately)
- Sending a short profile of themselves for the course participants to Gianfranco (immediately)
- Preparing a page introducing their project contributions for the blogs (Linda within 2 weeks, the others before Christmas)
- Their contributions to the publication (by end March)
- Planning their course sessions (by end March)

All these should be sent to Gianfranco in the 1st instance.

Close

Giovanna thanked everyone for their contributions. We looked forward to a whole group meeting together. Both she and Andreas would explain to partners not at this meeting and support their valuable contributions.

Jane Jones, proposed and seconded as Minute-taker

December 2007

