

IO2.A – GUIDELINES TO IMPLEMENT THE STORYTELLING ACTIVITIES AND COLLECT THE VISUAL SOURCES

LA STORIA DI GIGIBALLA

In each country, project partners' experts will cooperate with the teachers and with pupils' families asking them to tell traditional tales during classroom activities.

Every project partner will coordinate the activities of 5 kindergartens each represented by 2 preschool teachers, a class of at least 15 children and 6 representatives (parents/grandparents/family caregivers) of the families of the children.

The tales will represent both the local traditions of the area in which the kindergarten is located and the traditions of those pupils who are part of other countries/ethnic/religious backgrounds.

Once the tales are identified the parents/grandparents/family caregivers will tell the stories to the class and the children will be asked to produce drawings/collages/clay models representing their understanding of the story plot.

From 3 to 6 stories should be collected for each Kindergarten involved. That is a total of 15 to 30 per partner.

For every tale the project partners' experts will collect and provide the following information:

- Tale description
- Collection of photos of the drawings/collages/clay models
- **If possible: Photos, Audio, Video of the activity**

Title of the Tale	LA VERA STORIA DI GIGIBALLA
Name of the Kindergarten	SCUOLA DELL'INFANZIA PESTALOZZI LIVORNO
Tale typology	<input type="checkbox"/> Local traditions
Story teller	<input type="checkbox"/> Grand Parent
Tale summary	<i>The story of Gigiballa. Parterre is a park, called "Parco Pertini", there are a lot of games for children. Many years ago it was a wonderful public garden. After it was transformed in a zoo. Therewere wild boars, chimpanzees, llama, lions and bears. Today there are no animals and the cages are empty. Many years ago there was a very special bear, called Gigiballa, because it was a dancer. Gigiballa was the attraction of the zoo, the parents brought the children to see the dancing bear. The truth was that Gigiballa danced because it had a terrible toothache. After Gigiballa was treated and was moved to the wildlife park Orecchiella where it lived happily with</i>

	<p><i>its family. Now in the wildlife park Orecchiella you can find the Gigiballa's "grandchildren". This story is known by all Livorno's citizens, mainly by a song of Bobo Rondelli, a localsongwriter.</i></p> <p><u>Testo del racconto "La vera storia di Gigiballa"</u></p>
<p>Tale Gallery</p>	<p><u>Foto del laboratorio e delle attività svolte</u></p> <p><u>Attività svolte in sezione</u></p>
<p>Media Gallery (If possible)</p>	<p><u>Video del laboratorio</u></p>