

Practical Activity 3: "Cultivating links"

Description of the Practical Activity: The idea is to create a vegetable garden in the school playground. Teachers will divide parents into many groups according to their abilities (drawing, stitching, woodworking..). Parents will make costumes for the school play and sceneries.

This workshop aims to develop a sense of belonging and to encourage sensitivity for nature.

Activities:

1. Children design their ideal vegetable garden by using their drawings and paintings. After that children create a diorama with recycled materials;
2. Parents classify plants (aromatic plants, evergreen plants,..);
3. Designing the vegetable garden;
4. Collecting materials (pots, garden tools,..)
5. Ploughing the land;
6. Taking care of plants every day;
7. Picking up vegetables;
8. Organizing a trade market.

Activity duration:

According to the needs the project some meetings will be scheduled during the whole school year.

Title of the activity	"Cultivating links"
Summary	Parents create a vegetable garden.
Description of the activity	The idea is to make a vegetable garden in order to help children to know the natural world around them
Activity structure	<p>Activities will take place in the classroom and in the school garden:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Children describe their ideal vegetable garden by using their drawings and paintings. After that children create a diorama with recycled materials;2. Parents classify plants (aromatic plants, evergreen plants,..);3. Designing the vegetable garden;4. Collecting materials (pots, garden tools,..)5. Plowing of the land;6. Taking care of plants every day;7. Picking up vegetables;8. Organizing a trade market.

	<p>Activity duration:</p> <p>According to the needs the project some meetings will be scheduled during the whole school year</p> <p>Resources needed for documentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – camera, books.
Learning objectives	<p>To develop social and relational skills;</p> <p>To respect the nature.</p>
Expected outcomes	<p>This activity will help parents to feel more integrated into the school system</p>
Target group	<p>Parents</p>