# European School Karlsruhe Open Day 2021 European Hours

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#### Organisation of the teaching of this subject

- > From 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> class, every Monday afternoon for 90 minutes
- > The groups are composed of mixed language and class levels
- Groups rotate during the year
- Generally the second language of the pupil's is used for communication in the group

Examples of EU art projects class 4 & 5







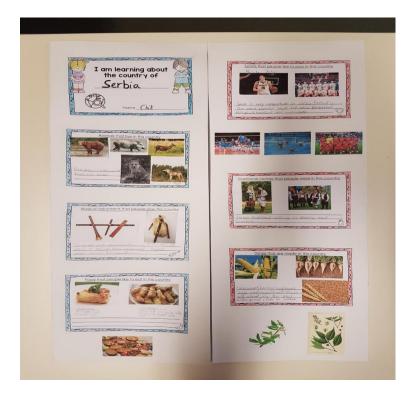
#### Didactic Principles

- Promotes the European spirit of tolerance and intercultural understanding
- ➤ The syllabus incorporates key aspects of all syllabuses with a European dimension and the 8 key competences for lifelong learning interlinked through every subject and activity
- Developing the European dimension is a step by step learning process taking into consideration the individuality of each pupil's cultural and linguistic heritage in an atmosphere of understanding and appreciation
- Through the projects the children are explicitly made aware of the benefits of the 'European Dimension' working together united as a team through challenges and enjoying positive experiences as a result of their work



#### Added value of learning European Hours in the European School

➤ To give pupils confidence in their own cultural identity-the bedrock for their development as European and world citizens and to develop their individual personalities



The coat of arms project allows pupils to share about their ancestry, culture, where they are from and how the came to be living where they do today.

#### **Class 3 EU Hours Project**





#### Added value of learning European Hours in the European School

- > To encourage a European and global perspective overall and particularly in the study of the human sciences
- > To foster tolerance, cooperation, communication and concern for others throughout the school community and beyond
- > To encourage working through other languages in particular their second language







In class 3, EU hours is about getting to know each other and learning about Europe in small groups.





**Examples of projects about Europe and the countries in Europe** 

#### **European Sport and Drama**







#### **European Dance and Band**









#### Film



