



Exchange in Bulgaria 14-20 November, 2022

Pre-assignment

Dear friends,

The topic for the exchange in Stara Zagora is Leadership and Empathy.

Your task before you come to visit is to interview some people to find out a bit about the relation between these concepts. You should talk to a school principal (as a leader of an educational organisation), a teacher (as a leader of classes or groups of students on a daily basis) and a student (who you see as a leader in their friend group or class).

Think over these quotes:

Empathetic leadership means being aware of people's feelings and thoughts, understanding their needs, providing appropriate support, and understanding how they handle situations and trying to improve or respond to them.

In Sir John Templeton's words:



- How do these words correspond with the way your principal takes care of their teachers?
- How do teachers keep on good terms with the students and still come up with high learning results?
- How do teenagers or young people like you "lead" their friends with empathy and without being seen as weak?

Combine your results in a short video (about 2-3 minutes) and send to pokasno@yahoo.com by 12th November, 2022.

See you in Bulgaria!