

## Our trip to Estonia from 3rd to 10th June, 2022

### Friday

On Friday our departure was at our school at 5 pm. We drove 1 hour to the Frankfurt Airport. Because our flight got delayed, we had to wait another hour which wasn't that dramatic because we were all hungry and bought some food at the airport shops. After we checked in and found our seats, it was finally time to start our journey to Estonia. We were all super excited to visit a country that none of us have been to before. Unfortunately, we had some turbulences, but we eventually landed in Riga safely. We were all really tired and exhausted, but still had a three-hour ride ahead of us. When we got to our host family, we immediately went to bed and fell asleep very quickly.



### Saturday

Saturday was a very short but beautiful day for us. We would have had to wake up at 7:30 am but slept till 8 because we were still so exhausted and tired from our long trip to Estonia. Our host mother drove us to a bus stop one mile away where the festival march began. There was a live orchestra that led us to the main festival. It was a bit rainy and cloudy but that didn't stop us from having a great time. It was near the sea which was very cool. There were a lot of local businesses with their stands. They offered a lot of handmade stuff such as mugs, woodwork, jewellery and more. There were a lot of cute dogs which was awesome. At 12 pm different dance performances were shown. The women and men wore beautiful traditional clothing that consisted of leather shoes, wool socks, long red skirts with golden accents, long scarfs wrapped around their shoulders, a black or white blouse, and a matching headpiece.



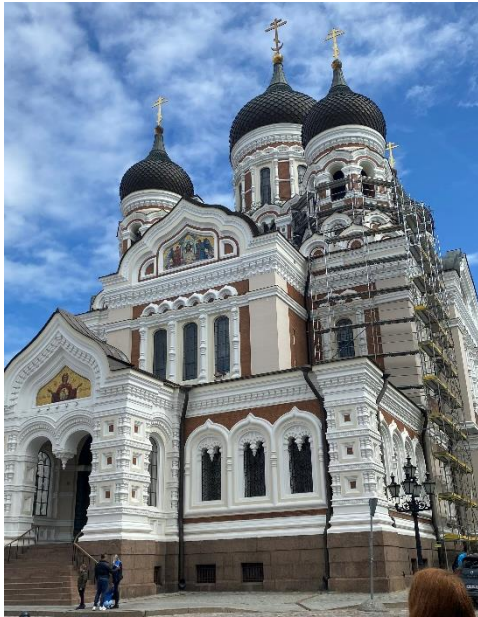


## Sunday

On our exchange we had a beautiful colorful streets of Tallinn and enjoying conditions. The Estonian teacher, accompanied us, gave us some city's history. It was a very sunny and decided to get something to eat and was truly such an amazing day. We had a lot of fun taking in the breathtaking view from a public rooftop that you can visit. Tallinn has a lot of tiny stores which are super fun to look at. The city feels very safe and calm but also alive.



time walking through the the good weather Rene Kurm, who interesting insights into the warm day, which is why we to drink in our free time. It



## Monday

On Monday, we had an English lesson at school first. After that we heard presentations about projects the students had worked on during the year. Furthermore we continued our work on a common E-book and ate at the school cafeteria.





## Tuesday

On Tuesday we went on working on our E-books in the IT-Lab and after that we went to the Häädemeeste museum. Afterwards we went to a sports camp called Jõulumäe and had lunch there. At the end of the day we went to a theme park called „Lottemaa“ to hear about (summer) jobs there.



## Wednesday

On Wednesday we first visited a vocational school and after that we went on a riverboat and ate there. Thereupon we did a tour through Pärnu in groups of girls and boys. In the afternoon we had free time to explore Pärnu and went home by bus in the early evening.





## Thursday

First, we went to the clay factory called FIBO. A man explained the processes in the factory to us and showed us around. After that, we went to the Lapanina Hotel and saw a small presentation about the hotel. After the presentation, we went outside to look at the buildings near the beach. After that, we drove to the Kabli Bakery and had a lunch break there. Then we went on a nature trail near the beach that led us to the Kabli Nature Centre. After that we headed back to Häädemeeste and in the afternoon we took part in a ceramic workshop with Margit. After the ceramic workshop we had some free time. Finally, we had a pizza night in the school yard.





## Friday

On Friday, it was the last day for us. Everyone was in Häädemeste at 9am, we said our last goodbyes! Most of us were really sad about it and we will miss everyone. Our plane was scheduled for 2 pm, so we headed for the airport at 11am. We sat on the bus for 2 hours from Häädemeeste to Riga Aiport. It was really sad to leave.

After we went through all security checks, we had some free time and went to get some snacks and water. Then we were ready for take-off to Frankfurt. Everyone was happy to see their family members! It was really fun in Estonia.



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