



Grundtvig
Learning
Partnership
(Inter)national
Days

March 19th
Fathers' Day



Proposal to celebrate the Fathers' Day

Introduction

This day is celebrated by both Spanish and Italian citizens so we propose these days to celebrate like both countries people. We will provide some of the learners of pilot Adult Training Centers in our city to participate in celebration activities.

Objectives:

- To gain knowledge about Spanish and Italian geography, society and politics.
- To find out the reason or origin of the celebration of the Fathers' Day in Spain and Italy.
- To learn about Spanish and Italian cultural peculiarities
- to prepare a celebration role play

Target groups:

This proposal is addressed to:
Learners of the Adult Education Centre:

- Students of culture courses
- Literacy
- Art
- Cooking
- ICT
- Foreign Language
- Drama courses
- Handicrafts

Preparatory activities, prior to the celebration

- To plan and coordinate the activities between the teachers of the different courses
- The learners of the subject Foreign Language and cultural courses will search for information about Spanish and Italian geography, cultural peculiarities in the Internet, the library and any other source at hand, and will write down the information they gather. Then, they will prepare a brief presentation with visual support (flashcards, pictures, photos, music and visual records, PowerPoint etc.)



- The learners of Culture and drama courses will do research into the reason and origin of the celebration of Fathers' Day and they will write short script of the celebration in Spain. This short script will be played by the students and recorded. This record will be displayed for the other adults. This script will include cooking (special dishes), hand made presents.
- In the Cooking course learners will find a special dish ("pasta") of Italy recipe and cook it. During this activity students will be informed about the some Italian dishes.
- Learners of Handicrafts courses make handicrafts about the day and give them as a gift to their fathers and exhibit them to local community.

Activities proposed for the celebration programme (with references to the document *Inventory of creative strategies*):

Strategy 16 : Presentation about Italy and Spain and Father's Day by the learners of Foreign Language and culture class.

Strategy 12,16 : Asking students search for tales or legends of Fathers' day (St. Joseph Day) and share them in class.

Strategy 17,18,22 : Write the script of a role play about fathers' day celebration in Spain and it will be acted by the students and recorded a video. Share the video record in Project web site and it will be played in World Theatre Day.

Strategy 15 : Students in Cooking courses will prepare a special dish of Italian cuisine and take a photo of it.

Strategy 22: Learners express their feeling about the day in handicrafts and they give as gift them their fathers and exhibit them to local community.