ASEF Classroom Network #ASEFClassNet Online Collaboration 2018

Proposal

1. Title of the Online Collaboration (Max. 6 words)

Culture through my Lens – Level 2

2. Name and contact details of project co-ordinators

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3. School description (Max. 30 words)

St. Mark's Girls Sr. Sec. School is a school exclusively for girls focusing on the academics, co-curricular and extracurricular activities for the overall development of a child. Special care is taken to instill self-discipline in their receptive minds. The school has a strength of around 2500 students in the age group of 3 to 17 years.

4. Summary of the Proposed Online Collaboration (Max. 200 words)

Like other forms of expression, **PHOTOGRAPHY** is an art and not just a grabbed image. It is the only language that can be understood anywhere in the world. A photograph can make the invisible visible, it can help us speak our heart to others and communicate across the globe. It is the actual way of life, the way you see life and everything around you.

In this online collaboration, we aim to see the diverse culture around us through our camera lens, capture and share with our peers. This will help to create an entirely new class of imaging platform that has an understanding of the world. Students will enjoy exploring the culture of their own country as well as of other countries across the borders through still pictures captured on different themes assigned. For instance, pictures of a dance performance or a wedding in the local community, clicked and shared by the students of a country would not only highlight their art of observation but would also be an enriching experience for others.

5. The Online Collaboration falls under the main themes of:
Please state "1" to "3" in level of relevance

1	Arts & Culture		Health
	Business & Entrepreneurship		History
2	Education		Media
3	Environment & Sustainable Development		Science & Technology
	Others. Please specify below:		

6. Duration of the Online Collaboration (Please state start and end date):

Start Date	:	15 April 2018
End Date	:	15 October 2018
Duration	:	6 months

7. Expected no. of schools/students involved and level of language and ICT skills

No. of Schools in total	:	Flexible, Min.3 and Max. 20
No. of Students in total	:	Flexible, Min. 5 and Max. 10, from each school
Students Age Group	:	13 - 18
Level of English	:	Intermediate
Level of ICT Skills	:	Intermediate

8. ICT tools/software required
Please tick (✓) as appropriate)

Word processing software		Video conference tools		Storage tools	
	Adobe Acrobat Reader	✓	Skype		Dropbox
	Google Docs/Sheets		Viber	✓	Google Drive
✓	Microsoft Word/Excel		Vyew		iCloud
	Scribd		Wechat		
	Wordpress				

Social media	Image editing software	Online collaboration
☐ Ask.fm	☐ Adobe Illustrator	☐ Mindmeister
☑ Facebook	☐ Adobe Lightroom	☐ Slack
☐ Flickr	☐ Adobe Photoshop	☐ Telegram
☐ Instagram	☐ BeFunky (online)	☐ Trello
☐ Pinterest	☐ Sketch (Mac only)	
☐ Tumblr		
☐ Twitter		
☐ Weibo		

Video/audio editing software	Presentation	App development
☐ Adobe Premiere	☐ Google slides	☐ Adobe Flash builder
☐ Audcity	☑ Microsoft Powerpoint	☐ Alpha Software
☐ Garageband (Mac only)	☑ Prezi	☐ Appy Pie
☐ Soundcloud		
☐ Windows Movie Maker		
☐ Youtube		

Others (please specify):

9. Other resources needed:
(Please tick (✓) as appropriate)

☑ Camera	☐ E-reader	☐ OHP
☑ Desktop Computer/Laptop	☐ Go Pro	☑ Smart Phones
☐ Digital Projector	☐ Interactive Whiteboard	☑ Tablet
☐ Voice Recording Devices	☐ NA	

Others (please specify):

10. Learning objectives and outcomes for teachers and students
(Please list at least 3 learning objectives and outcomes for teachers and students respectively.)

Learning Objectives	Outcomes
Teachers should join to:	**For Teachers:**
1. Enable students to understand and appreciate cultural diversity.	1. Arouse students' curiosity in other cultures and bridge the gaps between Asia and Europe.
2. Help students with the use of ICT tools.	2. Engage student participants in authentic learning and creative thinking.
3. Motivate students to work in a team	3. Enable participants to acquire collaborative skills through working in a team to achieve common goals.
Students will learn to:	**For Students:**
1. Use ICT tools at school level.	1. Acquire ICT skills and communication skills.
2. Exercise thinking skills.	2. Attain a sense of fair-mindedness and decision-making with a focussed vision.
3. Experience the synergy of working in a team.	3. Enhance intercultural understanding and appreciation of diverse cultures across the globe.

11. Timeline and activities of the Online Collaboration

	Main Coordinator	Teachers	Students
Phase 1 (April to May 2018)			
▪ Set-up Facebook group and invite members to the group	✓		
▪ Self-introduction by all participating members along with: ➢ A group picture of the students and teachers from each participating school ➢ Pictures of the partner school		✓	✓
▪ Match the Group works between Asian and European Schools.	✓		
Phase 2 (May to August 2018)			
▪ Capture culture of their country on the following themes in their camera ➢ Festivals ➢ Performing Arts (e.g. Music, Dance, Theatre) ➢ Visual Arts (e.g. Painting, Sculpture, Architecture) ➢ Traditional Food ➢ Ceremonies ➢ Traditional Games			✓

▪ Upload and share with a brief blog on the online platform.			✓
Phase 3 (August to September 2018)			
▪ Showcase of the research in the respective countries through an exhibition/display of Photo Gallery in each partner school. ▪ Collection of feedback on the Photo Gallery from the visitors and uploading on online platform.		✓	✓
Phase 4 (September to October 2018)			
▪ Evaluation of the work done by the student participants and reminders to address any gap in the information flow. ▪ Feedback and evaluation by the group members.	✓	✓	✓

For further details about this online collaboration, please contact the coordinator directly.

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