

6^η Μαρτίου- Πανελλήνια Ημέρα κατά της Βίας

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Φέτος στο σχολείο μας στο πλαίσιο του εορτασμού της **Πανελληνίας Ημέρας κατά της Σχολικής Βίας και του Εκφοβισμού** πραγματοποιήσαμε ενημέρωση στους μαθητές μας από επίσημους ιστοχώρους (Αλκυόνη, Χαμόγελο του Παιδιού, saferinternet4kids.gr) - για το **τι σημαίνει** ο όρος <<Σχολικός Εκφοβισμός>>, τα **αίτια** του φαινομένου, την **πρόληψη** και την **αντιμετώπιση** τέτοιων περιστατικών, τόσο στον χώρο του σχολείου, όσο και στο διαδίκτυο. Δόθηκε έμφαση στη διαφορά ανάμεσα στο απλό πείραγμα και στο επαναλαμβανόμενο, σκόπιμο και απρόκλητο μπούλινγκ, και παρουσιάστηκαν όλοι οι τρόποι που συμβάλλουν στην πρόληψη αλλά και στην αντιμετώπιση του.

Ταυτόχρονα οι **μαθητές της Β΄ τάξης** αντέταξαν το σύνθημα « **Unity in Diversity**» ως λύση στην πρόληψη και αντιμετώπιση της βίας στο σχολείο αλλά και στην κοινωνία ευρύτερα. Σε **πρότζεκτ** που πραγματοποιήσαμε στο μάθημα των Αγγλικών κατά τη διάρκεια της χρονιάς, μιλήσαμε για τον **Σεβασμό στη Διαφορετικότητα και τη Συμπερίληψη** ως πυρήνα μιας κοινωνίας με πολιτισμό, όπου όλοι προοδεύουν, εξελίσσονται και καινοτομούν και στην οποία οι διαφορές μεταξύ των ανθρώπων συνθέτουν **μια μοναδικότητα δημιουργική ως πλεονέκτημα και επένδυση, κι όχι ντροπή.**

Οι μαθητές γέμισαν τον χώρο του σχολείου με τις δημιουργίες τους πάνω στο θέμα , και εκφράστηκαν δημιουργικά αποτυπώνοντας στο χαρτί τις σκέψεις τους γι το τι σημαίνει γι αυτούς η φράση «UNITY IN DIVERSITY».

Μερικές από τις **δημιουργίες** και τα **κείμενα** βλέπουμε εδώ:

Unity in diversity is a very old concept dating back to ancient times in both Eastern and Western world cultures. It is an expression of **harmony and unity between dissimilar individuals**. Also it increases the peace of a nation and shows its strength.

In my understanding, unity in diversity means **appreciating the value that each person brings to life**.

It's about **fostering respect and empathy** for one another, regardless of our differences. It' s like a beautiful tapestry where every thread contributes to the overall picture.

We can promote unity in diversity with education and awareness about different cultures and traditions, so we can achieve unity in diversity more easily. Also we can **break down barriers and build bridges of understanding**. Moreover we can encourage open dialogue and communication, where everyone's voice is heard.

Another way is to **advocate equality and social justice**. By ensuring that everyone has equal opportunities and access to resources, we can create a more unified society.

To sum up, unity in diversity is not just a concept, but a way of life. **It's about embracing our differences and finding strength in our collective experiences**. By doing all these things, we will have the ability to build a more harmonious and united world!

Emmanouela D.- B1

In this world differences prevail,
a tapestry of colors, a vibrant tale,
we come together, hand in hand,
unity in diversity across the land.

Everyone is a book, waiting to be read,
expressing thoughts, feelings,
and talking as loudly as they can,
waiting to be heard.

Unity is power and diversity is love,
us being all together is the best thing
humanity could have!

Kiveli V. - B1

For me, **unity in diversity** means a world that no one feels left out or lonely, that everyone is happy with who she/he is, without stressing out who she/he wants to be and a world that **everyone is accepted no matter what tribe, nation or country he belongs to** and no matter what his color is, even if he is blonde or brunette, tall or short. Unity in diversity **means inclusivity** to me. The world that I mentioned earlier, needs to become the world of tomorrow in every corner of this earth especially in schools. In school children learn how to behave correctly, and have the right values in order to form a responsible adult, when they grow up.

As I said earlier, the problem should be dealt with immediately, starting from the root of it, which is as we all know school. **Education programs**, activities, even lessons should be created and devoted to explaining and promoting unity in diversity. By beginning to learn about the definition of unity in diversity at such a young age, children will raise awareness about the matter and they will be more careful when judging a person for his/her appearance or when gossiping behind their friends backs'. Also, work should be done at workplaces, where managers discriminate upon their employees.

To conclude with, in this way, we will achieve what everybody has always wished for. **A world full of love, inclusivity, faith, trust, without judgment, hate, bullying and sadness. I hope that this is the world that my kids will live in.**

Kleio K.- B2

Unity in diversity refers to the idea that despite our differences in culture, ethnicity and beliefs, we can come together and live harmoniously. **It means embracing and celebrating our unique identities**.

To achieve unity in diversity, we can start by **fostering open-mindedness and empathy**. By actively listen to others and seeking to understand different perspectives, we can build connections. Additionally, by promoting cultural exchange we can help unity. By celebrating different traditions, languages and customs we can build bridges between communities and promote a sense of belonging for all.

In conclusion, **unity in diversity is not about erasing our differences, but rather embracing them**. It requires **respect and understanding**. **By valuing diversity and promoting unity, we can create a more harmonious world for everyone.**

Klaudia N.- B3

Unity in diversity means that although we all differ from each other in various aspects, such as religion and identity, we should be united and collaborate to solve our problems in our daily lives.

An example of unity in diversity is when we **respect each other's opinions and beliefs** and count them as any other person's with equal rights, despite our numerous differences. Also, countries should not start wars against others, because of their potential diversity in culture.

We can achieve unity in diversity by stopping racism in our lives. We have to understand that we all have the same rights and nobody is better than the others. For that reason, we must respect each other's beliefs. In my opinion, this is the only way we can achieve unity in diversity. It is by applying inclusion in our lives.

In conclusion, unity in diversity is a crucial and timely goal that everyone should be aware of. **If we all apply inclusion, our society will certainly improve and flourish.**

Dimitris F.-B4

