

Newsletter 9

November/December 2023

GreenEduLarp steps into early winter

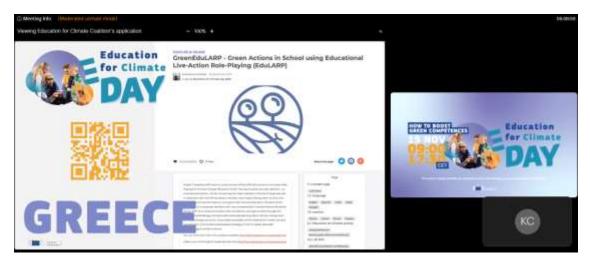
In early winter we are testing GEL materials in all partner countries. More detailed information can be found below in different country summaries. Good news is that <u>Green Edularp</u> has been included as a Good Practice, in the digital booklet of the EU Education for Climate Day!

Also there are some first videos in GEL Audiovisual HUB! Please visit: www.youtube.com/@GreenEdularp



GEL participates in EU's "Education for Climate" Day 2023





Green Edularp has been included as a Good Practice, in the digital booklet of the EU Education for Climate Day, with inspiring green education initiatives.

This year's issue for the Day is focusing on the theme "Boosting Green Competences for a Sustainable Future." The aim is to explore climate education issues, showcase green

education solutions, and inspire innovative implementation actions. In the booklet, along with our project, you can find more inspiring green educational projects that have been taking place all over Europe.

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Promoting the GreenEduLARP method classes in Poland

In Poland, in November and December, classes promoting the GreenEduLARP method are taking place in schools. Currently, three schools are participating in the pilot program. After initial conversations with

students, we can conclude that this new method has been enthusiastically embraced by the youth. Students actively engaged, willingly collaborated in groups, and established new connections. We look



forward to the conclusion of the pilot to conduct a comprehensive analysis of surveys among both students and teachers.

We started the classes with a presentation on what the EduLARP method is, and then we connected it with GreenEduLARP. Auxiliary materials were used: both lesson plans and a

toolkit, which were created and continuously improved during the course of our project. The classes turned out to be very interesting; students were highly excited about the opportunity to participate, and the materials were utilised and became a valuable source of knowledge for the teachers.





GreenEdularp audiovisual HUB video - the benefits of educational role play game

Peipsi Center for Transboundary
Cooperation has launched a short
video about the benefits of
environmental educational role play
games.

Edularp is live-action roleplaying used to impart pre-determined pedagogical or didactic content. Edu-LARP is thus a form of experiential

learning that engages students on multiple levels. In this video, three people who have used educational role-play games to talk about environmental issues are sharing their thoughts about it.

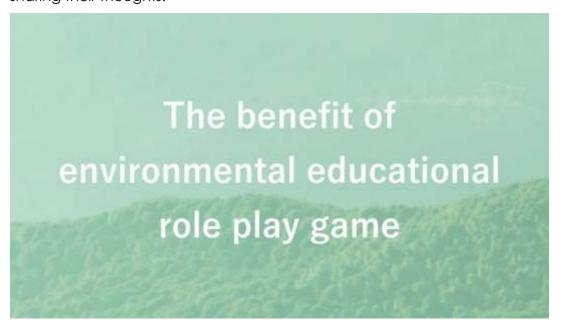
In the video

of the European Union

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and a nature house teacher are sharing their thoughts.



How to continue with edularps in Estonia?

In the end of November 2023 Peipsi
Center for Transboundary Cooperation
had a seminar/discussion evening of
the project together with partners and
experts who have participated in the
different edularp project where
discussion about how the topic of
educational role-plays could and
should be moved forward.
We met people from different sectors
(from ministry of education,
universities, environmental NGOs, local
schools and educators from nature

Table Discussion that aimed to discover possibilities for a collaborative effort to explore and integrate EduLARPing into the national educational landscape. The main idea is that there is a need to do more training and seminars and create more open source scenarios and create more syllabus specific games, life games, understanding the optics etc.

In the year 2023 Peispi Center for Transboundary Cooperation has organised around 20 trainings and













education) and we had an Open





gameplays for school children at school. The present problem is that ad Peipsi CTC is not oriented to the edularp development; generally it is not possible to increase the amount of training. In Estonia, there is a missing umbrella organisation who is interested to develop edularp over Estonia. There are several small local NGOs, but

nobody is leading this topic at the country level.



Edularps in Sweden

Lajvverkstaden and
Kungsängsgymnasiet recently joined
forces to bring an innovative Green
EduLARP workshop to life. This
immersive experience wasn't just a
typical classroom event – it was a
collaboration with another erasmusproject between schools in Sweden,
Austria and France. The workshop
provided a unique platform for
students to actively participate in
scenarios where sustainable practices
and eco-friendly solutions took centre

stage. Kungsängsgymnasiets students embraced their roles, navigating through challenges and devising sustainable solutions in a lively, interactive environment. This collaborative effort exemplifies the potential of creative, experiential education to instil a sense of responsibility and environmental awareness in the minds of the future custodians of our planet.

November in Greece



In the month of November, AeliaPath took centre stage at the 3rd Theater Directors' Symposium of Northern Greece, where they presented the innovative European program, Green EduLARP. During the event, AeliaPath not only showcased the program but also elucidated on its potential applications within the school setting.

It's worth noting that the edularp methodology is a novel approach in the Greek educational landscape. However, following AeliaPath's presentation, numerous educators expressed keen interest in delving deeper into the methodology. Stay tuned for more updates as we continue to explore and embrace new educational possibilities!

November and December in Poland

On November 29th, the Maria Wójcik School in Krępiec participated in a conference for teachers, where the GreenEduLARP project was presented, the principles of this method were discussed, the stages of Edu LARP were outlined, and a workshop session was organised for the attending teachers. The meeting date, venue, and speakers are provided below:

Date: 29 listopada 2023 godz. 17:30 Place: Szkoła Podstawowa nr 5 w Świdniku

Speakers:

1.Szkoła Podstawowa nr 3 w Świdniku -Jak uczyć uczenia się 2.Szkoła Podstawowa nr 5 w Świdniku -

3.Szkoła Podstawowa w Krępcu -Metoda GreenEduLARP

Warsztaty "Myślenie wizualne"

4.SpecjalnyOśrodek Szkolno-Wychowawczy w Świdniku organizacja mobilności job shadowing na przykładzie szkoły we Włoszech.

On November 23, the Nausika Foundation, based in Krakow, conducted another climate workshop titled "Climate Game," where various climate-themed games were















presented, including "Ceremony for Hope" and "Reservoir." We played the ever-joyful Golden Sun - a game with a wink about recruitment to a climate tabloid where teams competed for



positions by writing articles evaluated based on clickability, creativity, and presentation. Golden Sun - truth & creativity!













