

Austrian Feedbacks about Chieti

The Italy meeting took place in Chieti, Abruzzo from the 04th to the 10th of March 2018. There were people from Italy, Slovakia, Denmark, England, Germany and Austria. All the people were really nice and friendly.

During the week, we had a different program every day: On the first day we were welcomed by the headmistress. After that some students informed us about the school. Then we visited the school and had a volleyball tournament. It was not a real tournament because nobody counted the points. Then we had a nice brunch at a hotel. I really liked the food and it was enough for everybody. We prepared a presentation on the second day. It was about Fair Trade and our project meetings.

The third day was the day, which I enjoyed the most. We went to a pasta factory near to Chieti. Unfortunately the workers didn't speak English and it was very loud inside. But it was interesting and we got some nice pasta as a gift. Then we went to another part of Chieti and visited the inner city. On Thursday we hold our presentations and nearly everybody of the school visited us. It was nice to meet new people and talk with them. The people liked our Austrian Fair Trade chocolate a lot.

My host family was very nice and friendly and I had a good time there. Overall I enjoyed the project a lot. I met some nice people and we saw a lot of interesting things of Italy. The students and their guests met very often in the evening after the program. We all had a lot of fun there. (Luca Wiesner)

First, I want to say that this trip isn't self-evident. In my opinion it was a great experience and I am glad to say that I was a part of the project. I got to know other countries, cultures and of course people from all over Europe. I was in Italy for one week and my host family was truly the best. On my first day a Slovakian girl, who was also a host of the same family, and I were welcomed with a dinner. We found out that in Italy pineapple on a pizza is like the worst case and that the Italians have dinner at 8 pm or later. We also got to know the family although the Italian people can't speak English very well we could understand each other. It wasn't a problem.

Almost every morning we had breakfast at a café and there we met nearly all the students who took part at the project. It was like the meeting point at the morning. Every day we had either dinner that ma host mum cooked, or we went to a restaurant and tried the typical food. In our private time we were at a laser game, at the beach, shopping and dancing. It was so funny, I loved it!

The things we did during the day weren't that special. Most of the time we only sat somewhere and did nothing. In my opinion it wasn't well organized. I really wanted to see more of the city. For example, we were at a museum and we saw pictures from different artists. It was so cold, and the guide couldn't speak English therefore the students from Italy had to translate it. In my opinion it was very boring and after that my feet were like frozen.

At the end I just want to say thank you to every person who made this project possible for me and to the best host family. It was a very awesome experience! I am very thankful that I got to know the Italian culture. (Elena Segedi)

In the week of the 5th-9th March 2018 I had the opportunity to take part in the Erasmus+ project in Italy. I was very happy that I could participate and learn more about different cultures. The week in Italy was much fun and we had many interesting activities. Unfortunately there were a few organisational problems and problems with the weather so we could not do all the fun things we thought we could do. There were a lot of times when we just waited for the next point in our schedule. Some examples for activities we did were a visit to a factory that makes pasta, a visit to a museum and preparing and doing presentations.

In our free time the students were very well organised and had something planned for every day. It was great fun because all the people were very nice and tried to have fun with us. A very important thing for Italians is their food so we spent quite a lot of time eating which really showed the difference in cultures. All in all the project was very fun and I am glad I was a part of it. (Veronika Semmelrock)

The Project was very interesting and a lot of fun, but it was a pity that it was not as well organized as I expected. The best thing we did in these five days, was for me definitely the visit of the Pastafabrik. I heard a lot about how Pasta is produced and how they check if the quality is high. We also got some free pasta from there with us, what was really awesome.

It also was amazing that the first activity was to play a volleyball match at school on Monday and I was really into it. Also the making of our Posters was fun. The host family was kind and it was very cool that I had the opportunity to practise my Italian and to be hosted by them. It was in general an amazing week and worth doing it again. (Dumitru Ipati)

At first, I want to say that it was a really fantastic week. I got to know a lot of new people and I had a lot of fun. So, I would like to say thank you to everybody who made this project possible. I also would like to say thank you to my host family. They were so kind and nice to me. It was a big pleasure for me to stay with them a whole week. We stayed a whole week so if I would mention all we did this would go beyond the scope but here are my favorite things: the pasta factory visit, the volleyball match, the visit of the shopping mall "megalo", the presentations of the Fair-Trade products of each country, the free time with our hosts, the tasting of some typical food, for example: "arrosticini" and "pallotte cace e ove" and the conversations in English or Italian. In general it was an amazing week with a lot of fun and I am already missing the people from there. (Andreas Oliva)